



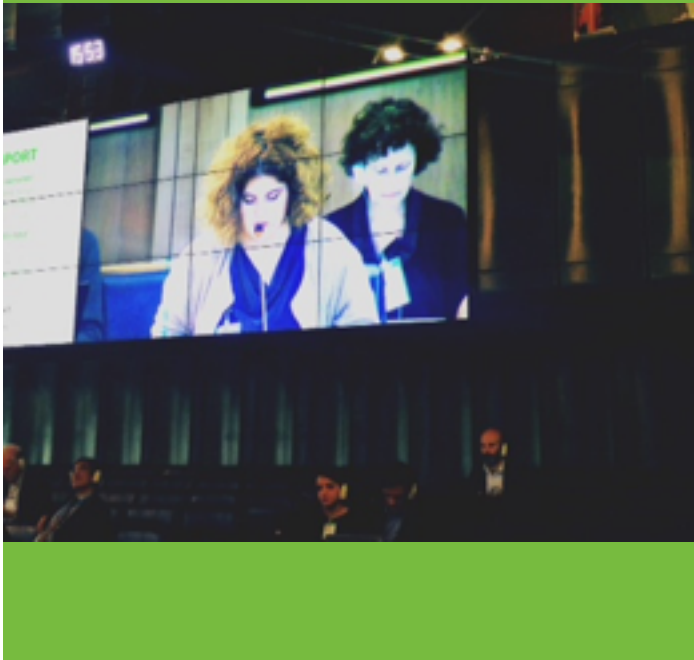
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Read CSM
[Final Statement](#)
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CFS 43 Plenary Statements at CFS 43

Civil Society Organisations actively engaged during the 43rd Plenary Session week of the CFS. Find all CSM Interventions at this [link](#)!

CFS 43 Final Report and CSM Final Statement

At this [link](#) you will find the CFS 43 Final Report and at this [link](#) the CSM Final Statement

CSM MYPoW Proposals

On November 7th the CSM submitted its three proposals for the MYPoW 2018-2019. During the CSM Forum the participating organizations mandated the Coordination Committee to frame the identified priority themes:

- [Agroecology for Food Security and Nutrition](#) (HLPE Report proposal)
- [The impact of market concentration on public policies for Food Security and Nutrition](#)
- [Working conditions of Plantation Workers and the need for public policies ensuring their Food Security and Nutrition](#)

Please find at this [link](#) the CFS compilation of inputs received on the HLPE theme for 2019 and for the workstreams of 2018-2019. The CFS ranking exercise will conclude on December 12. Please visit the [CSM MYPoW webpage](#) to read the 2016-2017 timeline process!

HLPE Consultation on the Zero Draft of the Report on Nutrition and Food Systems

The CSM Working Group on Nutrition is currently collecting and drafting the collective input to the HLPE Zero draft. Unfortunately the HLPE zero draft is only available in English at this [link](#). Follow-up [CSM Nutrition WG's webpage](#) to know more about the 2016-2017 timeline of the process! The CSM WG will submit its comments by the 5th of December!

Updates on CFS Evaluation

As part of the broader CFS Evaluation exercise conducted in 2016, the CFS evaluation team is currently conducting a number of country visits during the months of October, November and December. The CFS Evaluation team meets with different actors at country level, including CSOs. Please find at this [link](#) all relevant documents and timeline: a) [set of guiding questions prepared by the CFS Evaluation Team](#); b) [the info guidance note on this matter](#); c) [CSM Working Paper on the status of health of the CFS 7 years after the reform](#). With the occasion of the upcoming meeting of the CFS Advisory Group and Bureau a Workshop to present the [Preliminary Findings of the CFS Evaluation Team](#) will be held by the CFS Evaluation Team on the 29th of November.



Deadline postponed for the inputs on the HLPE inquiry on Critical and emerging issues

The deadline for the inputs of the HLPE inquiry on Critical and emerging issues has been postponed to December 2! Please find at this [link](#) more information!

Updates from the OEWG on Nutrition of 4th November

The OEWG on Nutrition took place on November 4th. The main objectives of the meeting were to discuss the HLPE zero draft Report on Nutrition and Food Systems and to discuss and decide on the OEWG Workplan for the 2016-2017 inter-sessional period. Please find at this [link](#) the relevant OEWG Background Documents, the timeline for the 2016-2017 CFS process and the [CFS OEWG Outcomes](#).



Upcoming OEWG on Urbanisation and Rural Transformation

As an outcome of the Forum on Urbanization, rural transformation and implications for food security and nutrition at CFS 43, the CFS Plenary requested the Open Ended Group on Urbanization and Rural Transformation to agree on a process to compile experiences and effective policy approaches for addressing food security and nutrition in the context of changing rural-urban dynamics. The first discussion on the process ahead will take place in the OEWG meeting scheduled for December 2nd. At this [link](#) you will find the background material for the upcoming meeting, including CFS Secretariat proposal on the process.

Upcoming OEWG on GSF

The first OEWG on GSF of the inter-sessional period 2016-2017 will take place on the 30th of November. The purpose of the meeting is to advance with the preparation of the Periodic Update of the Global Strategic Framework on Food Security and Nutrition. Please find at this [link](#) the background documents relevant to this first meeting and the timeline of the 2016-2017 process.

CFS Calendar 2017

Please find at this [link](#) the latest version of the CFS meeting calendar.

CSM Working Group on Smallholders to Markets publication

During the CFS 43 Plenary Week the CSM Working Group distributed its publication: "Connecting Smallholders to Markets. An analytical guide". Available in English, French and Spanish in the dedicated [page on the CSM website](#).

