

Sustainable Food Systems and Nutrition: Food Post-Harvest Losses



Webinar I
Food Post-Harvest Losses

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OBJECTIVES OF THIS SESSION

- Present the impact of climate change on soil and land resources assessment
- Combine land management practices to tackle land degradation
- Share tools to support the implementation of sustainable soil and land management measures

SPEAKERS

This technical webinar will be delivered by **Ms Rosa Rolle**, Senior Enterprise Development Officer (FAO) and **Ms Carola Fabi**, Senior Statistician (FAO), and moderated by **Ms Cristina Petracchi**, Leader of the FAO eLearning Academy.



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Rosa Rolle is a Senior Enterprise Development Officer in the FAO Nutrition and Food Systems Division. She leads a team working on actions to reduce food loss and waste. She has extensive experience working on food processing and packaging in Small Islands Developing States (SIDS), and has extensively worked across East and South-East Asia in capacity building and project implementation to manage quality and reduce food loss and waste in fresh product supply chains. She holds a PhD in food science from the Ohio State University, and has published a number of peer reviewed journal

Carola Fabi is a Senior Statistician at FAO Statistics Division and the focal point for SDG indicator 12.3 on Food losses, where she leads the Methodological Innovation team. She holds a Master Degree in Economic Statistics and a Master Degree in Agricultural Economics. Carola developed the SDG indicator 12.3 Food Loss Index, supervised the development of the food loss estimation model and coordinated the “Guidelines for the measurement of harvest and postharvest losses” in 2014-2015. She is leading the statistical development of the new corporate Statistical Working

Cristina Petracchi heads the FAO eLearning Academy. She manages and coordinates the design, development, delivery and language adaptations of an extensive portfolio of eLearning courses and blended learning programmes, for the benefit of FAO member countries, and is responsible for the creation of University Masters’ and Post Graduate Degree Programmes. She engages actively in consolidating partnerships across United Nations agencies, academic institutions and universities, regional organizations, CSOs and NGOs, for capacity development

articles as well as technical materials - in the field of post-harvest handling, packaging, processing, food safety and quality – tailored for development support.

System and is coordinating the new Data Lab for statistical innovation.

initiatives. In addition to a University Degree in Biological Sciences, Ms Petracchi holds a PhD in Nutrition and Food Science, and has several years of experience of capacity development activities, in a number of countries.

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