

Cooperatives: essential for food security?!

The special occasion for this year's World Food Day Colloquium (WFDC) is the 200th anniversary of the University of Hohenheim, founded in 1818 for generating knowledge on increasing food productivity after a great famine in Baden-Wuerttemberg, and the Raiffeisen Year 2018, in which the cooperative idea is celebrated on the occasion of the 200th birthday of its founder, Friedrich Wilhelm Raiffeisen.

The thematic focus is on cooperatives and their contribution to global food security. What has already been accomplished? And what kind of challenges do cooperatives have to face regarding the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)? To enable and strengthen the struggle of people to improve their food security was one of the cooperatives' initial points of action. It is still the stimulus of new cooperatives and self-help groups in various countries and regions. The World Food Day Colloquium 2018 will discuss the specific roles of cooperatives in this process and their different contributions to global food security. As a special highlight the Hans Ruthenberg Memorial Lecture will be part of the program.

Venue

University of Hohenheim
Castle, Balcony Hall
Schloss Hohenheim 1
70599 Stuttgart



Directions



Public transportation
from Stuttgart main station:

1. Railway:

Underground U7 / U15
until "Ruhbank (Fernsehturm)"
then

2. Bus:

Bus 70 ("Plieningen Seemühlenweg")
until "Universität Hohenheim".
Cross the street and continue
straight to the main castle building.



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Cooperatives: essential for food security?!*Moderation: Stefanie Anhalt**Editor and moderator**SWR 1 Baden-Württemberg Magazine, Germany***08:00 - 09:00 Arrival & Registration** Foyer**09:00 - 09:30 Opening Session** Balcony Hall**Welcome Address***Prof. Dr. Stephan Dabbert**President, University of Hohenheim**Prof. Dr. Reiner Doluschitz**Director, Food Security Center (FSC), University of Hohenheim**Dr. Roman Glaser**President of Baden-Württembergischer Genossenschaftsverband (BWGV), Germany***09:30 - 09:45 Key Session** Balcony Hall**Global Hunger Index 2018 – Forced Migration and Hunger***Mathias Mogge**Secretary General, Deutsche Welthungerhilfe, Germany***09:45 - 11:00 Key Session** Balcony Hall**Cooperatives: Essential for Food Security***MinDir. Gunther Beger**Director-General, Policy issues; private sector; trade; rural development, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ), Germany***Raiffeisen. Impact on Cooperatives in International Development***Dr. Eckhard Ott**President of the German Cooperative and Raiffeisen Confederation (DGRV), Germany***11:00 - 11:30 Coffee Break** Foyer**11:30 - 12:15 Hans Ruthenberg Memorial Lecture** Balcony Hall*Moderation: Prof. Dr. Regina Birner**Vice-Director Hans-Ruthenberg-Institute, University of Hohenheim***Rapid transformation of agrifood supply chains in Africa and Asia with implications for farming systems***Prof. Dr. Thomas Reardon**Professor in the Department of Agricultural, Food, and Resource Economics, Michigan State University and AAEA Fellow***12:15 - 13:15 Lunch Break** Foyer**13:15 - 13:45 Young Scientists Session** Balcony Hall**Approaches of young scientists from FSC, University of Hohenheim and the Center for Development Research (ZEF), University of Bonn***Theresa Bäuml, Rahel Deribe Bekele, Sebastian Forneck, Md. Fuad Hassan, Tessa Jensen-Auermann, Olta Sokoli***13:45 - 15:15 View from Practice Session** Balcony Hall**Cooperative Sector in Brazil: Challenges and Opportunities of Food Production and Food Security***Prof. Dr. Gilson Martins**Coordinator of the Center for Applied Economics, Cooperation and Innovation in Agribusiness (CEA), Department of Rural Economics and Extension, Federal University of Paraná, Brazil***Mother Teresa Rural Development Society (MTRDS) – a cooperative movement in India based on the Raiffeisen-idea***Dr. Ewald Glaser**CEO, ZG Raiffeisen eG, Germany***Catalyzing Agricultural Transformation through integrating Food Security, Income and Nutrition aspects***Anthony Chamanga**Chief Development Manager, Tanzania Horticultural Association (TAHA), Tanzania***Cooperatives are indispensable for cocoa farmers***Eberhard Schell**CEO Schell Schokoladen, Germany***Women and collective action: lessons from the Indian dairy cooperative sector***Carla Dohmworth**Department of Agricultural Economics, Division of Economics of Agricultural Cooperatives, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin***15:15 - 15:30 Coffee Break** Foyer**15:30 - 16:15 Panel** Balcony Hall**Discussion with experts:****Do cooperatives contribute to food security?***Fukamusabe Dieudonné**Head Manager Deputy, COCOCA Consortium of Coffee Cooperatives, Burundi**Anthony Chamanga**Chief Development Manager, Tanzania Horticultural Association (TAHA), Tanzania**Eberhard Schell**CEO Schell Schokoladen, Germany**Dr. Ewald Glaser**CEO, ZG Raiffeisen eG, Germany**Prof. Dr. Reiner Doluschitz**Head of Research Center of Cooperatives, University of Hohenheim***16:15 - 16:30 Closing** Balcony Hall*Dr. Andrea Fadani**CEO, Foundation fiat panis, Germany*