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Shalmali Guttal is the Executive Director of Focus on the Global South (Focus). She has been working on economic development, trade-investment, food and land rights, and ecological and social justice issues for over 25 years, with emphasis on community rights to resources, women's rights, and democratization of resource governance. Focus has been a member of the Civil Society Mechanism (CSM) in the Committee for World Food Security (CFS) since its establishment.

Ms. Guttal has been actively engaged in several CFS processes, notably the VGGT, RAI, HLPE Report on Water and Nutrition, HLPE Report on Sustainable Forestry for Food Security and Nutrition, and is currently involved with the negotiations on CFS Guidelines on Food Security for Nutrition

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