

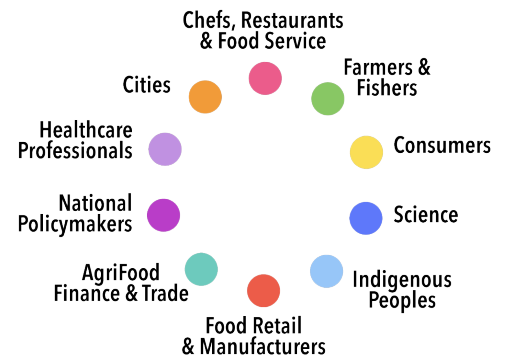
# A Gateway to the Regions: Bridging the 2025 EAT-Lancet Commission Global Launch to Local Realities and Community Action



**Wed 22 October | 8:30 - 9:45 | Austria Room  
FAO Headquarters Rome**

This event presents the 2025 EAT-Lancet Commission Summary for and with Policymakers, highlighting science-to-action pathways for sustainable food systems transformation and bridging global insights to national and regional policy work. It will feature an interactive discussion with Commissioners, country representatives, and community leaders. The 2025 EAT-Lancet Commission provides an independent scientific assessment of healthy diets, sustainable food production, and the social foundations of a just food system. Its findings show that while current food systems drive insecurity, inequality, and environmental degradation, coordinated action can nourish a growing population, improve health, advance justice, and stay within planetary boundaries.

The Summary for and with Policymakers (SPM) convened 84 individuals, including policymakers from over 30 countries, who participated in at least one dialogue and/or contributed written comments. The SPM echoes their voices. It includes key messages drawn from the 2025 EAT-Lancet Commission with additional key messages contributed by policymakers. It further identifies 34 policy actions which have been demonstrated to have impact on facilitating transitions to healthy, sustainable, and just food systems, and provides specific country examples of how these policy actions are being applied.



**"We are convinced that community mobilisation is at the heart of the change we aim to catalyse, backed by the science that the EAT-Lancet Commission provides."**

Fabrice DeClerck  
Chief Science Officer at EAT

Timing CET	Session
8:30	<b>Open and Welcome</b> Preet Lidder (FAO)
8:35	<b>The 2025 EAT-Lancet Commission: Insights for Policy Action</b> Fabrice DeClerck (EAT)
8:45	<b>The Summary for and with Policymakers</b> James Stapleton (Alliance Bioversity & CIAT), Edward Boydell (SUN Movement)
8:55	<b>The Science-Policy Interface in Action: Progress, Success Factors and Potential for Transformative Change</b> Moderator: Amanda Harding (Convene) Lilian Rahal (Brazil), Lena Savelli (UNFS Hub), Sandy McCleery (UK), Tran Van The (Vietnam), Matthews Mhuru (Zambia) <i>tbc</i>
9:25	<b>Q&amp;A Dialogue</b> Addressing audience questions linked to the panel's guiding themes
9:40	<b>Wrap Up and Looking Forward</b> Joanne Raisin (SUN Movement) <i>tbc</i>

