

UN FOOD SYSTEMS SUMMIT 2021: REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA'S SYNTHESIS DIALOGUE



DRAFT PROGRAMME
JULY 22, 2021

**LEVERAGING PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNESHIPS
TOWARDS SCALING UP FOOD SYSTEMS
SOLUTIONS IN SOUTH AFRICA DURING AND
BEYOND COVID-19**

CONVENOR
CURATOR

Ms Vangile Titi-Msumza
Dr Sifiso Ntombela

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09:00 – 10:00 PLENARY SESSION 1		Dr Sifiso Ntombela
09:00 - 09:15	Welcome and Introductions	Acting DG M Ramasodi
09:15- 09:25	Opening Remarks	HON Minister Thoko Didiza
09:25 – 09:30	Reflections on SA Process	Dr Brave Ndisale: FAO Resident Representative
09:25 - 09:40	Key Outcomes of the National and Provincial Dialogues	Masiphula Mbongwa
09:40 – 09:45	Key Outcomes from an Independent Dialogue Driving Food Systems in South Africa Via Agritourism Markets	Jeanette Sutherland
09:45 – 09:50	Key Outcomes from an Independent Dialogue. The role of Youth in the transformation of South Africa's Food System	Dr Sifiso Ntombela





PLENARY SESSION 2
10:00 – 12:00 **Scaling up Government and Private Sector Programmes in Support of Outcomes** **Dr Sifiso Ntombela**

- 10:00 – 10:15 Agriculture and Agro-processing Masterplan
Prof Mzukisi Qobo
- 10:15 – 10:30 Smallholder Empowerment Promotion Approach
Mr Bonga Msomi - DALRRD
- 10:30 – 10:45 CASP and Blended Finance Model
Ms Elder Mtshiza - DALRRD
- 10:45 – 11:00 Coordinating Food Systems Interventions - Food Security Council
Dr Jemina Moeng - DALRRD/ Mr Maisela - DPME
- 11:00 – 11:15 Using data to integrate smallholder farmers into the value chain.
Dr Ferdi Meyer – BFAP
- 11:15 – 11:30 Using research to support interventions to scale up food systems.
Solutions
Prof Sheryl Hendriks – University of Pretoria

11:30 – 12:30 **Plenary Discussions deliberations** **Dr Sifiso Ntombela**

12:30 – 12:45 Closure & Way Forward Dr Sifiso Ntombela

