

Science-policy event (June 13)

What are we looking for?

We are looking for focused contributions that showcase how inter- and or transdisciplinary research and education has contributed to SDGs. We organise this event around three main nexuses:

Nexus 1: Environment – Society nexus

Nexus 2: Society – Food nexus

Nexus 3: Food – Environment nexus

A contribution should fit in either of these three nexuses. Next to presenting achievements, we would like the contributions to reflect on lessons learned on the science-policy interface in their context, and what is needed (in terms of science-policy interface) to increase your societal impact in the future.

What should the expression of interest cover?

Expressions of interests for the policy event should cover

- Project title, country of implementation, presenter (we specifically encourage contributions from Low and Middle-Income countries)
- Motivate your choice for one of the 3 nexuses:
 - Nexus 1: Environment Society nexus
 - Nexus 2: Society Food nexus
 - Nexus 3: Food Environment nexus
- Key societal (and scientific) impact in relation to the SDGs and specific nexus and successes
- What lessons learned in relation to the science-policy interface would you like to discuss? (What works, what does not and why?)

How to submit your expression of interest?

Please click <u>here</u> to fill out the online form to submit your proposal. In order to submit your proposal, you need to create an author account.

Selection and review procedure

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- We have space for a maximum of 12 presentations (4 in each track), each of them being max 15 minutes long.
- All expressions of interest will be reviewed by the organising committee [link to organising committee].
- A selection will be made based on the criteria mentioned above as well as ensuring balance and diversity in terms of content and institutional background.
- We will communicate to the selected expressions of interest on March 10 the latest.
- 12 selected expressions of interest are requested to submit the summary of their contribution (1500 words) on April 15.
- Summaries of contributions will be put online on June 1st, for the audience and participants to have a look at them beforehand.

Accepted policy briefs will be included in a publication with the main findings of the event. The details of this process will follow soon.

<u>Summary and key dates</u>	
Deadline expression of interest April	1, 2022
Selection of expressions of interest April 3	8, 2022
Submission draft contribution (1500 words) April	26
Deadline final submission contribution May 2	23