

Agricultural Development to Achieve Food Security and Sustainable Food Systems: Global Policies and Best Practices

12:45 pm – 2:15 pm | Sunday, July 23, 2017 | Independence Ballroom

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Division of International Nutrition Education (DINE) Session

Outline

- **Introduction** (Kathleen Cullinen, PhD, RDN, DINE Annual Conference Planning Committee Chair)

- **Presentations**
 - Tatyana El-Kour, MS, RDN, FAND
 - Carmen Byker Shanks, PhD
 - Kathleen Dietrich, PhD
 - Luiza Torquato, MS

- **Q & A**

Co-organized with Hee-Jung Song, PhD and Seung-Yeon Lee, PhD

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Tatyana El-Kour, MS, RDN, FAND



- Highly influential leader and support provider for global health and humanitarian agencies.
- Ms. El-Kour holds more than 15 years of experience in global public health, humanitarian response and policy related to maternal and child health, social determinants of health, noncommunicable disease control and prevention, hunger, malnutrition, nutrition governance, surveillance and programming in complex emergency, postconflict and development settings.
- Served in various technical and leadership roles at national and international levels within the World Health Organization.
- Ms. El-Kour has assumed various roles in the past two years at *Action Against Hunger* coordinating nutrition programming for Syrian refugees in the Middle East. She is currently focused on strategizing nutrition support within Lebanon.

Carmen Byker Shanks, PhD



- Serves on the faculty at Montana State University and Principal Investigator of the Food and Health Lab (<http://www.montana.edu/foodhealthlab/>)
- Research focus includes food waste measurement to understand linkages between dietary quality and human health.
- Expertise conducting food waste research with grade schools, universities, preschools, households, and foodservice operations.
- Dr. Byker Shanks' research provides evidence that food waste is a powerful measurement tool for changing policies and practices to positively influence sustainable dietary practices.

Kathleen Dietrich, PhD



- Executive Director of Food Bus, a nonprofit that recovers food from elementary school cafeterias, delivers unused food to pantries, strengthens communities by connecting those in need with those that can help, and teaches children about food justice.
- Dr. Dietrich works with schools to strategize involving children in the Food Bus food recovery/donation system and educates district and local level nutrition directors, principals, parents and cafeteria staff about reducing food waste.
- Food Bus supplies refrigerators and baskets to assist with the storage and collection of food, has created Pop Up Pantries right inside of schools, and supplements Power Packs.

Luiza Torquato, MS



- Technical Advisor of the Federal Council of Nutritionists in Brazil
- Researcher at the Observatory of Food Security and Nutrition Policies at the University of Brasília
- Educator of the Slow Food Movement Brazil
- Research interests: Food and Nutrition Education and public policies to guarantee the Human Right to Health and Human Right to Adequate Food