

International seminar Urban food sufficiency

// Public procurement as a booster of midscale food supply chains

// Enabling and constraining factors to hone in on options to improve and increase urban food sufficiency in the Mediterranean region

Avignon, 26-28 September 2019

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Thursday 26th September 2019

Public procurement as a booster of midscale food supply chains

9:15/9:30 Presentation of the 2-days meeting.

9:30/10:00 The social and scientific context. Esther SANZ SANZ, Aurélie CARDONA et Claude NAPOLEONE (INRA Ecodéveloppement). Public procurement as a catalyst for promoting “agriculture of the middle” and increasing urban food sufficiency (Aliville project)

10:00/10:45 Catherine BRINKLEY (University of California, Davis). Visualizing the social and geographical embeddedness of local food systems. Feeding Cities: Charting a Research and Practice Agenda Towards Food Security.

10:45/11:00 *Coffee break*

11:00/12:30 **Round table 1.** Local food and public procurement: enabling and constraining factors (offer and demand).

- Pierre-Noël CANITROT (Food Project Officer, DRAAF Provence-Alpes-Côte-D’azur – Regional Direction for Food, Agriculture and Forest)
- Christian ROCCI (Délégué à l’agriculture, Avignon City)
- Pauline MARTY (Lecturer in geography and planning, Université de Technologie de Troyes)
- Valérie ANGEON (Economist, senior researcher, INRA Ecodéveloppement)

12:30/13:30 *Lunch*

13:30/14:10 Eric VERGER (Researcher in nutritional epidemiology, Institut de Recherche pour le Développement, UMR Nutripass). Public procurement et implications for food urban food sufficiency. Effects on the nutrition security of vulnerable households.

14:10/15:15 **Round table 2.** From the introduction of local products in food public procurement to the structuring of midscale food supply chains

- Valérie BARRE (Sustainable Public Procurement and Food Project Officer, ARPE Provence-Alpes-Côte-D’azur – Regional Agency for the Environment-)
- Pascale FALCO (Officer of the Division of Food Procurement to Catering, Marseille City)
- Hugues FORTUNA (Head of the central kitchen, Avignon City)

15:15/15:30 *Coffee break*

15:30/17:00 **Round table 3.** Structuring midscale food supply chains: what are the contributions of the intermediate support structures to the urban food sufficiency?

- Pauline RICARD (Project Officer for Agriculture and Rural Development, Vaucluse County Council)
- Albert ALAMELDINE (Coordinator of the device REGAL, Education Service of Alpes-de-Haute-Provence County Council)
- Eric GRUNEWALD (Coordinator of the network Eating Organic Here and Now -*Manger Bio Ici et Maintenant*, MBIM-, Valence)
- Rosalia FILIPPINI (Economist, researcher, Università Milano, Italy)

17:00/17:15 Conclusions of the day & see you tomorrow

Friday 27th September 2019

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9:30/9:45 Presentation of the day. Christophe SOULARD, representing INRA-SAD department: researches of INRA-SAD department on territorial food systems

9:45/10:15 Presentation of the day. Esther SANZ SANZ et Claude NAPOLEONE. Beyond public food procurement: enabling and constraining factors to deepen and broaden Mediterranean urban food sufficiency (Divercrop project)

10:15/11:00 Catherine BRINKLEY. High “rugosity” cities: The geographic, economic and regulatory pathology of America’s most non-concentric urban areas. Focus on California, a Mediterranean-climate region

11:00/11:15 *Coffee break*

11:15/12:45 **Round table 4.** Enabling and constraining factors for food sufficiency in Mediterranean city-regions: social and technological innovations.

- Abdelmajid SAIDI (Economist, lecturer-researcher, Université Moulay Ismail, Meknès, Morocco)
- Claire Lesur-Dumoulin (Research engineer, facilitator of the Technical Joint Network Local Food – *Réseau Mixte Technologique RMT Alimentation locale*–, INRA Alenya)
- Christelle RUYSSCHAERT (President of the Commission Valorisation of Production, Agrifood sector and Short Circuits, Baronnies en Drôme Provençale community of communes, Territorial Food Project). *A confirmer*
- Lamia ARFA (Economist, assistant lecturer, Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique de Tunisie, Tunis)

12:45/13:45 *Lunch*

13:45/15:30 **Round table 5.** Enabling and constraining factors for food sufficiency in Mediterranean city-regions: governance

- Nabil HASNAOUI AMRI (Trainer at Ifocap, researcher associated to INRA UMR Innovation, Montpellier, France)
- Joël GUITARD (Vice-president of the Association Terre de Liens Provence-Alpes-Cote-d’Azur)

- Mylène MAUREL (Responsible of the Agriculture, Tourism and Economic Development Cluster of the Luberon Regional Natural Parc, Territorial Food Project)
- Oriane and Tristan ARLAUD (Farmers on organic horticulture production, Puy-Sainte-Réparate municipality)
- Carolina YACAMAN (consultant at Heliconia, lecturer-researcher in geography and planning, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain)

15:15/15:30 *Coffee break*

15:30/16:15 SANZ SANZ : Discussion and conclusions. Perspectives for un special issue (Food policy? Urban studies? Agriculture and human values?, Environmental Science and Policy ?....)

Saturday 28th September 2019

9:30/12:30 : Visit of three farms in the peri-urban fringe of Avignon in order to illustrate the diversity of farming models in peri-urban areas in relation to production and marketing methods.

- High diversified production model selling the whole production in short circuits to the nearest cities. It cannot supply public catering services
- Not very diversified or single-crop farming, with diversification of marketing methods. It can supply public catering services
- Not very diversified or single-crop farming, with little or lacking diversification of marketing methods. It does not supply public catering services but it could do it.