



**Towards an innovative monitoring mechanism of the CFS:
Monitoring the CFS Tenure Guidelines and the Agenda for Action for Food Security in
Protracted Crisis**

8:30 - 9:30 Wednesday, 15 October, 2014

Philippines Room (C-277), FAO Headquarters

Five years after the CFS reform, the establishment of an innovative monitoring mechanism is still pending. CSOs have urged the CFS, particularly governments, to take steps towards implementing the monitoring and accountability agenda of the CFS.

As a contribution to this agenda, CSOs want to present a practical example of how the progress of implementation of the CFS Tenure Guidelines (TG), their impacts and their contribution to better tenure governance could be monitor. The side event will also address the monitoring challenge for the upcoming A4A for food security in Protracted Crises.

The side-event will practically show how a space of convergence and dialogue among *different* experiences and *existing* monitoring mechanisms could be created in the CFS, where all actors will benefit from learning and understanding of actions needed to respect and protect the legitimate tenure rights of communities, especially in situations of protracted crisis.

Panelists will include:

Francisco Cali, President of the UN Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination

Robert Vaughan, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights

Jorge Muñoz, World Bank (tbc)

Mariam Al Jaajaa, The Arab Group for the Protection of Nature

Caio Galvão de França, Ministry of Agrarian Development of Brazil

EN, SP and FR interpretation will be provided.

The event will be moderated by Manigueugdinapi Jorge Stanley Icaza, International Indian Treaty Council.

Organized by the CSM Working Groups on Monitoring and Accountability and on Food Security in Protracted Crisis, the IPC Working Group on Land and Territory, the Arab Group for the Protection of Nature, the Arab Network for Food Sovereignty, Action Aid, Brot für die Welt, DanChurchAid, Oxfam and CIDSE.

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