



2nd Annual International Migration Conference: “Food (In)Security and Migrants on the Move”

Online (via Zoom) event organized by IIMAD and the MiFOOD Network of the Hungry Cities Partnership (HCP)

Thursday, 27 October 2022
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PROGRAM

Day 1: Thursday, 27 October 2022	
8:15-8:20 EDT	Welcome: Ann Fitz-Gerald, Director, BSIA Kim Rygiel, Director, IMRC
8:20-8:30 EDT	Opening remarks: S. Irudaya Rajan, Chair, IIMAD Jonathan Crush, Director, MiFOOD Network
Session 1: COVID-19, Migration and Food Security	
Chair: S. Irudaya Rajan, IIMAD	
8:30-8:45 EDT	COVID-19, Food Insecurity and South-South Migration <i>Sujata Ramachandran, Balsillie School of International Affairs</i> Abstract
8:45-9:00 EDT	COVID-19, Migrant Households, Social Reproduction and Food Security <i>Juanita Elias, University of Warwick</i> <i>Saba Joshi, University of York</i> <i>Shirin M Rai, University of Warwick</i> Abstract

9:00-9:15 EDT	COVID -19 Pandemic, Rural Livelihood and Migration: A Case Study on West Bengal <i>Suraya Roy, University of Calcutta</i> Abstract
9:15-9:30 EDT	Cross-Border Food Remittances and Transfer Channels During COVID-19: Zimbabwean Migrants in Cape Town, South Africa <i>Sean Sithole, University of the Western Cape</i> Abstract
9:30-10:00 EDT	Q&A
10:00-10:10 EDT	Break
Session 2: Refugee Food (In)Securities Chair: Zhenzhong Si, Balsillie School of International Affairs	
10:10-10:25 EDT	Russian Invasion on Ukraine and its Impact on Global Food Crisis <i>Ramesh Jare, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai</i> <i>Md Perwez Alam, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai</i> Abstract
10:25-10:40 EDT	Gender-based Violence, Food Security, Rohingya Refugees, and Venezuelan Migrants: A Comparative Approach <i>Joseph Black, University of Sydney & Universidad San Francisco de Quito</i> Abstract
10:40-10:55 EDT	Intersecting Mobilities in Central America Migrant Food Insecurity in Mexico City <i>Tiana Bakić Hayden, El Colegio de México</i> Abstract
10:55-11:10 EDT	South-South Migration and the Urban Food Security Nexus: Somali Migrants in Nairobi, Kenya <i>Zack Ahmed, Balsillie School of International Affairs</i> Abstract
11:10-11:40 EDT	Q&A
Day 2 Friday, 28 October 2022	
Session 3: Migration and Urban Food Precarity Chair: Margaret Walton-Roberts, Wilfrid Laurier University	
8:15-8:30 EDT	Food Security at Emerging Urban Spaces in India <i>S. Irudaya Rajan, International Institute of Migration and Development (IIMAD), India</i> <i>Chetan Choithani, National Institute of Advanced Studies, India</i> <i>Abdul Jaleel CP, National Institute of Nutrition (NIN), Hyderabad, India</i> Abstract
8:30-8:45 EDT	The Role of the Informal Workers in the 'Circular Economy' for Food and Urban Food Security in Delhi <i>Sreerupa, Institute of Social Studies Trust, India</i> <i>Kritika Goel, Institute of Social Studies Trust, India</i> <i>Jahnvi Andharia, Institute of Social Studies Trust, India</i> Abstract
8:45-9:00 EDT	Food Care Chains & Commensality in Pandemic Times: Migrant Domestic Workers' Relational Food (In)security in Southeast Asia <i>Chand Somaiah, National University of Singapore</i>

	<p><i>Brenda Yeoh, National University of Singapore</i> <i>Kristel Acedera, National University of Singapore</i> <i>Theodora Lam, , National University of Singapore</i> Abstract</p>
9:00-9:15 EDT	<p>Migrant Anxieties and Informality in Secondary South African Cities <i>Jonathan Crush, Balsillie School of International Affairs</i> <i>Godfrey Tawodzera, University of Namibia</i> Abstract</p>
9:15-9:45 EDT	Q & A
9:45-10:05 EDT	<p>Keynote Address: Scarcity Amongst Abundance? Food Insecurity and Provisioning Among UK Migrant Communities During Covid-19 <i>Kavita Datta, Queen Mary University of London, UK</i></p> <p><i>Kavita Datta is a Professor of Development Geography and Director of the Centre for the Study of Migration at Queen Mary University of London. Her research interests are in transnational migration, financial practices and food. She is author of Migrants and their Money: Surviving Financial Exclusion in London and co-author of Global Cities at Work: New Migrant Divisions of Labour.</i></p>
10:05-10:15 EDT	Break
<p>Session 4: Urban-Rural Linkages and Food Security Chair: Sujata Ramachandran, Balsillie School of International Affairs</p>	
10:15-10:30 EDT	<p>The Role of Rural-Urban Migrants in Urban Food Systems in China <i>Taiyang Zhong, Nanjing University</i> <i>Zhenzhong Si, Wilfrid Laurier University</i> Abstract</p>
10:30-10:45 EDT	<p>Rural-Urban Migration and Dietary Deprivation in Urban Kenya <i>Elizabeth Opiyo Onyango, University of Alberta</i> Abstract</p>
10:45-11:00 EDT	<p>Behavioural Changes Among Consumers and Resilience of Informal Food Markets Serving Poor Household Communities in Secondary Cities under the Covid-19 Pandemic <i>Lovemore Itai Zuze, University of Livingstonia</i> Abstract</p>
11:00-11:15 EDT	<p>Socio-Environmental Determinants of Maize Price Volatility in Southern Africa <i>Andrew Zimmer, University of Arizona</i> <i>Tom Evans, University of Arizona</i> <i>Zack Guido, University of Arizona</i> <i>Patrese Anderson University of California, Santa Barbara</i> <i>Kathy Baylis, University of California, Santa Barbara</i> Abstract</p>
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