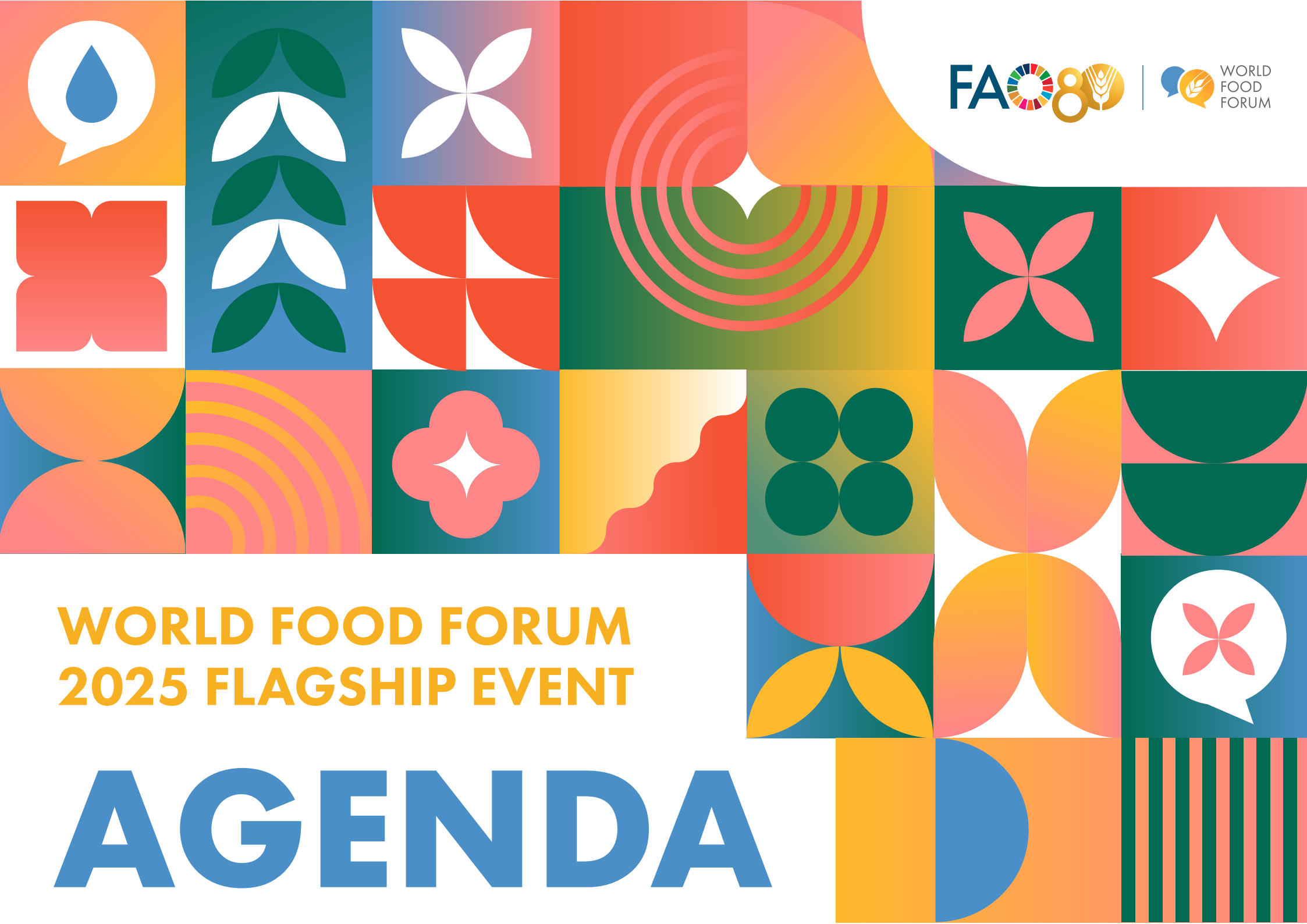

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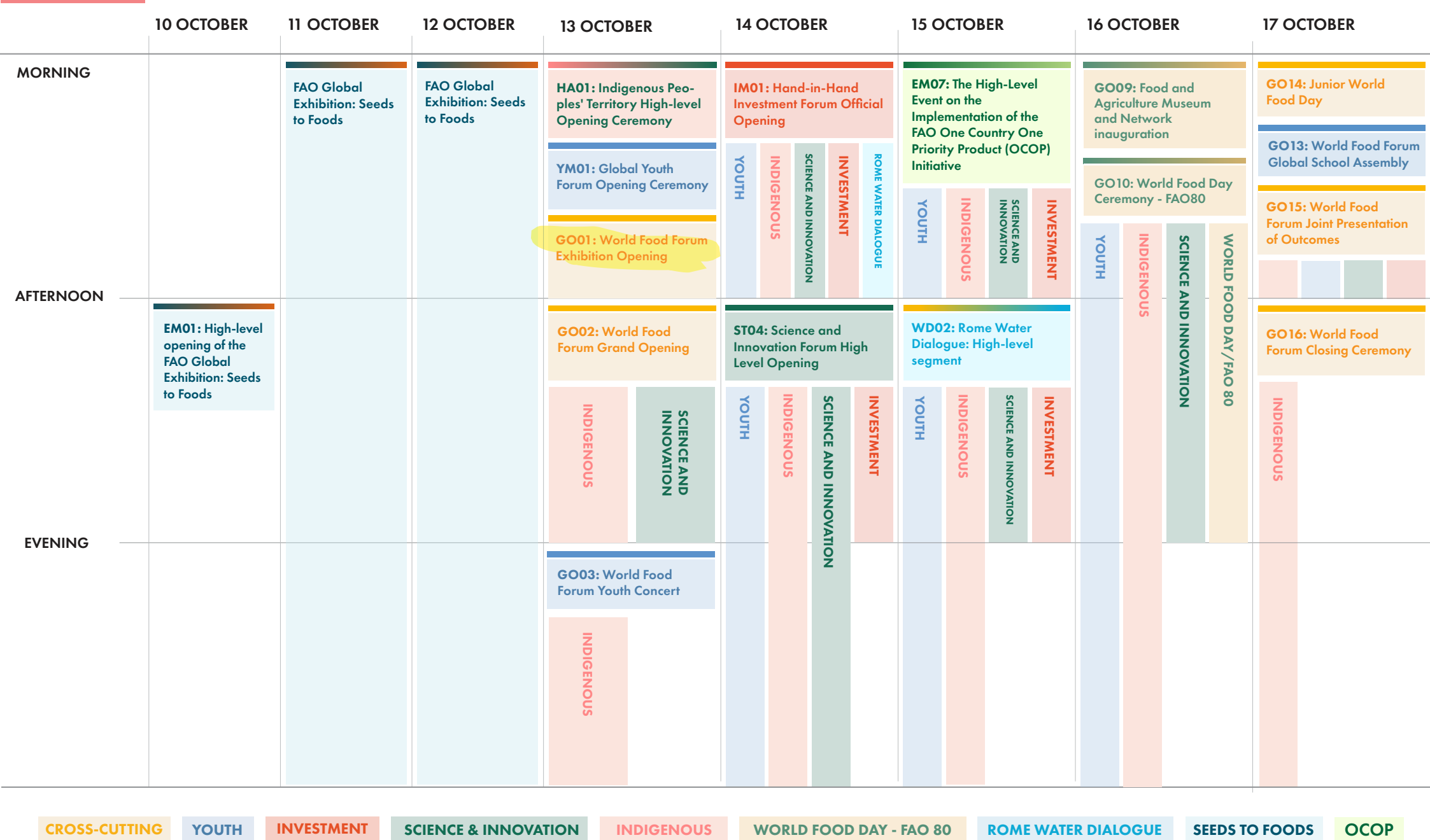

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FRIDAY
10 OCTOBER

16:00-17:00

EM01:
High-level Opening of the FAO Global Exhibition: From Seeds to Foods

Seeds to Foods Main Stage (Parco Porta Capena)

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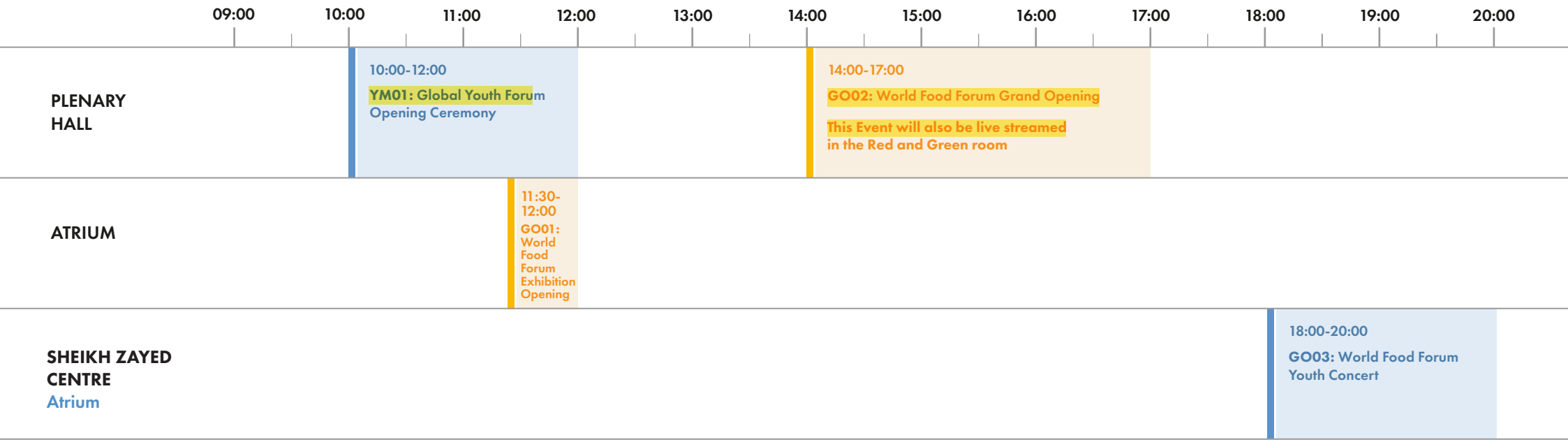

CROSSCUTTING YOUTH MAIN STAGE

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INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' TERRITORY

09:00 | 10:00 | 11:00 | 12:00 | 13:00 | 14:00 | 15:00 | 16:00 | 17:00 | 18:00 | 19:00

- 09:00 -11:00 — **HA01:** Indigenous Peoples' Territory High-level Opening Ceremony
- 11:00 -12:30 — **HA02:** Side Event
- 12:30 -13:00 — **HC01:** Chef Talk
- 16:00 -17:30 — **HA03:** Side Event
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- 19:30-20:30 — **HR01:** Country Reflection
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SCIENCE AND INNOVATION FORUM

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ATRIUM

- 09:00-17:00 — **SO01:** AgriTech Solutions & Innovations in Action

ACCELERATION ZONE

- 13 October, 09:00 - 14 October, 20:00 — **ST02:** Reboot the Earth 2025 - Rome, 48hrs Hackaton

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YOUTH CULTURE CORNER Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YC01:** Flip the Script: Women for a Sustainable Future	13:00-17:00 **YC02:** Brewing change: youth shaping the future of coffee
YOUTH BOOTH 1 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB01:** GoodTruck – From Where It's Left to Where It's Missing: Brazil's Circular Food Economy	13:00-17:00 **YB02:** ALEP Voices in Action: Youth Leading Agrifood Systems Transformation
YOUTH BOOTH 2 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB03:** From Peaks to Waves: Discover Bhutan and Indonesia's Food Story	13:00-17:00 **YB04:** Global Voices of Change: Educators Transforming Agrifood Systems
YOUTH BOOTH 3 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB05:** Youth Policy Board: Transforming agrifood systems through youth-led action	13:00-17:00 **YB06:** WFF National Youth Chapter Simulator, led by the WFF Italy Chapter

VIRTUAL YOUTH SIDE EVENTS

09:00 10:00 11:00 12:00 13:00 14:00 15:00 16:00 17:00 18:00 19:00 20:00

VIRTUAL	10:00-11:00 **Y117:** 2025 WAFI World Youth Forum: What Future Agrifood Systems Do You Envision?

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SHEIKH ZAYED CENTRE
Atrium

- 09:00-10:00 **YM02:** From Policy to Action: Youth shaping global agri-food systems
- 10:30-12:00 **YM03:** World Food Forum National Youth Chapters: Launching youth platforms for local agrifood systems transformation
- 14:00-16:00 **YM04:** Transformative Research Challenge Finals
- 16:30-17:30 **YM05:** Agri-food Leader-ship Education Programme: Leading the future of agrifood systems
- 18:00-19:30 **YM06:** From Potential to Progress: FAO driving excellence in youth programming for agrifood systems transformation

ETHIOPIA ROOM
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- 10:15-12:00 **YA01:** Youth Assembly Session: Africa roundtable
- 12:10-13:40 **YA02:** Youth Assembly Session: Agrifood systems, NDC 3.0 and COP30
- 13:50-15:35 **YA03:** Youth Assembly Session: Near East and North Africa roundtable
- 15:40-17:00 **YA04:** Youth Assembly Session: Indigenous youth roundtable
- 17:05-18:10 **YA05:** Youth Assembly Session: Improving access to finance for rural youth
- 18:15-20:00 **YA13:** Youth Assembly Session: Latin America and the Caribbean roundtable

GERMAN ROOM
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- 09:00-10:00 **YE01:** AgX Fair Finals: Showcasing the power of agri-food systems education
- 10:30-12:00 **YP02:** Agriculture: an opportunity for youth in crisis contexts
- 14:00-15:00 **YE03:** "Plastics" Impact on Earth and Our Well-Being: A Global Call-to-Action to Protect Planet and Our Health
- 15:30-16:30 **YE04:** A systems approach to Agrifood Systems Transformation: barriers and enablers
- 17:00-18:00 **YE05:** Youth Training: From Classroom to Field for Food System Futures

PHILIPPINES ROOM
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- 10:30-11:30 **YI02:** Re-defining futures: youth and women shaping agrifood systems
- 12:00-13:20 **YI03:** The Hidden Capital: Accelerate innovations through trusted partnerships
- 14:00-15:00 **YI04:** Youth solutions for the start-up valley of death
- 15:30-16:30 **YI05:** Skilling Youth for Food Systems Transformation
- 17:00-18:00 **YE08:** Youth Futures in Agri-food Systems: A Causal Layered Analysis Workshop

KING FAISAL ROOM
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- 09:00-10:00 **YI07:** Empowering Farmers & SMEs Against Climate Shocks
- 10:30-11:30 **YE02:** Youth for Food Security: Promoting Food Literacy in the Asia Pacific
- 12:00-13:00 **YL09:** Path-ways to action - an interactive di-alogue on youth in sustainable food systems
- 15:30-17:30 **GO04:** Scaling Up Climate Response through Agrifood Systems: Sustainable and resilient agrifood systems to deliver better production, better nutrition, better environment and better life

UZBEKISTAN LOUNGE
8TH FLOOR

- 14:00-15:00 **YC01:** Climate-Smart Agriculture for Central Asia: Uzbekistan's Contribution to Global Solutions

YOUTH MAIN STAGE | YOUTH ASSEMBLY | YOUTH EDUCATION | YOUTH INNOVATION | YOUTH CULTURE | LOCAL YOUTH ACTION | YOUTH POLICY | CROSSCUTTING

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PLENARY HALL

09:30-12:00
IM01: Hand-in-Hand Investment Forum Official Opening

12:00-14:00
IM02: Hand-in-Hand Investment Forum: Lunch provided by young chefs
Reserved for HIH IF opening attendees

GREEN ROOM

14:00-15:30
IM06: Investment Plan Presentations: Guatemala and El Salvador

16:00 -17:30
IM10: Investment Plan Presentations: Bolivia and Peru

18:00 - 19:30
IM11: Thematic Session: Systemic investing in agrifood systems – responding to complex global challenges

RED ROOM

14:00-16:00
IM05: Regional Initiative for the Sahel: Scaling-up capacity, partnerships and investment to accelerate agrifood systems transformation in the Sahel

16:30 -18:00
IM09: Regional Initiative for Caribbean SIDS: Water Scarcity, Climate Uncertainty, and the Fight Against Poverty in SIDS: The Critical Role of Irrigation in the Caribbean Region

AUSTRIA ROOM
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14:00-15:30
IM03: Investment Plan Presentations: Angola and Zambia

16:00 - 18:00
IM07: Investment Plan Presentations: South Sudan, Uganda and Rwanda

IRAN ROOM
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14:00-15:30
IM04: Investment Plan Presentations: Papua New Guinea and Tuvalu

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IM08: Investment Plan Presentation of Bangladesh, The Philippines and Lao PDR

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PLENARY HALL

- 14:00-16:00 **ST04:** Science and Innovation Forum High Level Opening
- 16:00-17:30 **ST05:** Driving technologies and innovations toward equitable agrifood systems transformation: launching of ATIO
- 17:30-18:30 **ST06:** Reboot the Earth - Rome Final Pitch

RED ROOM

- 09:00-10:30 **SD01:** Deep Dive 1 - AI Meets Food Safety

ACCELERATION ZONE

- 08:00-08:45 **ST03:** The Innovators' Breakfast
- 13 October, 09:00 - 14 October, 20:00 **ST02:** Reboot the Earth 2025 - Rome, 48hrs Hackaton
- 10:30-12:00 **ST20:** Playing the UN 2.0 Quintet of Change for Better Food Futures

ATRIUM

- 09:00-17:30 **SO02:** AgriTech Solutions & Innovations in Action

Learn more about the Science and Innovation Forum here!

GREEN ROOM

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- 09:00-12:00 — **WD01:** Rome Water Dialogue: Impactful water solutions

GLOBAL-HUB ON INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' FOOD

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' NOMADIC - ADVOCACY TENT

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YOUTH BOOTH 1 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB07:** Innovative Tech for an Inclusive Seafood Sector	13:00-17:00 **YB08:** Innovations for healthcare gastronomy	
YOUTH BOOTH 2 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB09:** Meatless Monday Around the Globe: How Young People Can Shape a Healthier Planet, a More Sustainable Food System, and Influence Change	13:00-17:00 **YB10:** Empowering Youth for Sustainable Food Systems	
YOUTH BOOTH 3 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB11:** Certified Skills for Food System Futures	13:00-17:00 **YB12:** Youth Growing Change: Innovating Canada's Food Future	

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VIRTUAL	10:30-11:30 **YI19:** Pathways to Prosperity: Rabbit Production and Integrated Livestock Systems as Drivers of Climate-Smart Agriculture in Nigeria's FCT	15:30-16:30 **YI16:** Youth-Led Science for Better Food Futures

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PLENARY HALL

8:30-11:00
EM07: The High-Level Event on the Implementation of the FAO One Country One Priority Product (OCOP) Initiative

17:30-19:30
GO08: FAO Global Technical Recognition Ceremony

KING FAISAL ROOM

10:30-12:30
GO05: Ministerial Dialogue on South-South and Triangular Cooperation: A catalyst for agrifood system transformation

15:30-16:30
GO07: Intersessional Event of the FAO Committee on Commodity Problems: Better Information for better policies

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Atrium

11:00-12:30
GO06: FAO Four Betters Courses Initiative:
Engaging with academia and research institutions to develop the next generation of leaders for agrifood systems

19:00-21:00
GO17: Performance: Igor Butman Jazz Quartet

RED ROOM

8:30-10:30
GO19: The First International Green Cities Conference - High-level Segment

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- 09:00-10:30 — YM07: The Future of Family Farming: Policy Innovations for Young Farmers
- 14:00-16:00 — YM08: World Food Forum Startup Innovation Awards
- 16:30-18:00 — YM09: Private Sector Roundtable
- 18:30-19:30 — YM10: World Food Forum Youth Film Festival Award Ceremony

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- 09:00-10:45 — YA07: Youth Assembly Session: Asia and the Pacific roundtable
- 10:50-12:35 — YA08: Youth Assembly Session: Europe and Central Asia roundtable
- 12:40-13:50 — YA09: Youth Assembly Session: Young parliamentarians roundtable
- 13:55-15:25 — YA10: Youth Assembly Session: Desertification, land degradation and drought
- 15:30-17:00 — YA11: Youth Assembly Session: Fisheries and aquaculture
- 17:10-18:10 — YA12: Youth Assembly Session: Youth perspectives on the Committee on World Food Security policy products
- 18:15-20:00 — YA06: Youth Assembly Session: North America roundtable

GERMAN ROOM
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- 09:00-10:00 — YI01: AgroAdapt: Simulating Resilient Food Futures
- 10:30-11:30 — YL02: Voices for Change: Youth-Led Governance for Urban Agrifood System Transformation
- 12:00-13:00 — YL03: Cities at the heart of Food Systems Transformation
- 14:00-15:00 — YP01: Youth in Water Governance and Hydrodiplomacy: Integrating Youth Voices in the Water-Energy-Food (WEF) Nexus
- 15:30-16:30 — YL04: Mindful Food Futures – Bhutan's Living Wisdom Meets Global Agrifood Innovation
- 17:00-18:00 — YL05: Young Forest Champions: Indigenous and Rural Youth in Action

PHILIPPINES ROOM
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- 09:00-10:00 — YL01: Youth Innovation in Agri-heritage
- 10:30-11:30 — YP06: Seeds of Inclusion: How women and youth-led cooperatives are transforming agrifood systems
- 12:00-13:00 — YI08: Youth in Action: Driving Innovation and Technology for Sustainable and Risk-Smart Agriculture
- 14:00-15:00 — YI09: Innovation in Dialogue: TRC Researchers Networking
- 15:30-16:30 — YI10: Youth at the Forefront: Advancing Technology for Sustainable Agrifood System
- 17:00-18:00 — YI11: Youths Leading Local Agrifood Systems: Policy, Practice & Partnerships

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- 09:00-10:00 — YP05: Reimagining Weather, Water and Climate Services for Agrifood Systems
- 14:00-15:00 — YE07: Global Launch of the WFF Global Teach Ag. Network Community
- 17:00-18:00 — YP07: NAM Youth Perspective: Baku Harmoniya Climate Initiative for Farmers

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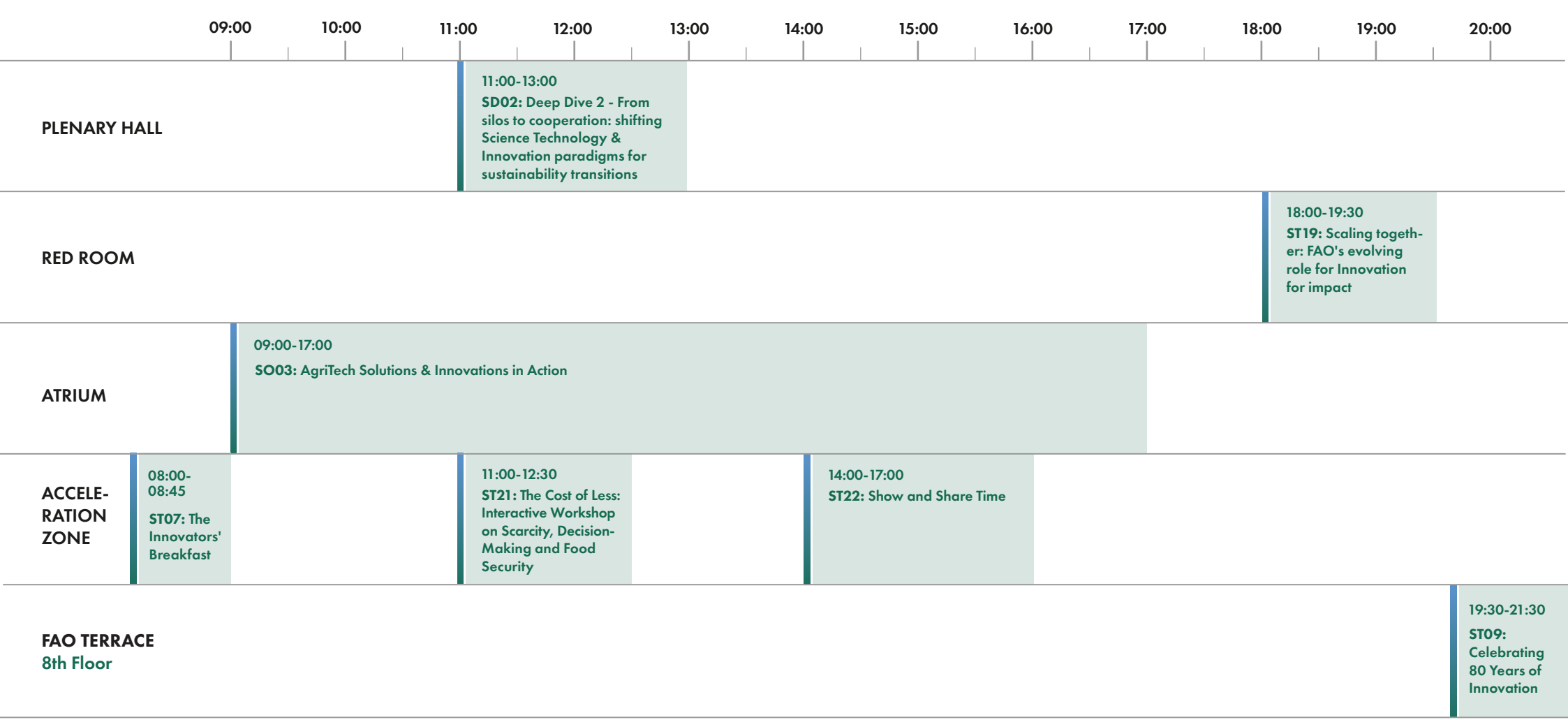
RED ROOM			11:00 - 13:00 **IM16:** Regional Initiative for Pacific SIDS: Scaling Public and Private Investments for the Transformation of Agrifood Systems in the Pacific SIDS			14:00-15:30 **IM20:** Regional Initiative for Southern Africa: Accelerating climate-smart investments and trade integration in Southern Africa's agrifood systems		16:00 -17:30 **IM24:** Regional Initiative for African SIDS: Stimulating Investment for Resilient Agrifood Systems in the Indian Ocean				
AUSTRIA ROOM C250bis	09:00-11:00 **GO22:** Deepening International Cooperation on Poverty Reduction to Advance the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development		11:00 - 13:00 **IM14:** Investment Plan Presentations: Cabo Verde, Chad and Somalia			14:00-16:00 **IM18:** Investment Plan Presentations: Burundi, Djibouti and Eritrea			16:30 - 18:00 **IM22:** Investment Plan Presentations: Ethiopia and Gambia			
IRAN ROOM B116bis			11:00-12:30 **IM15:** Investment Plan Presentation of Bhutan and Lao PDR			14:00-15:30 **IM19:** Investment Plan Presentations: Iraq and Mauritania		16:00-17:30 **IM23:** Investment Plan Presentations: Tajikistan and Mongolia				

Learn more about the Hand-in-Hand Initiative Investment Forum here!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SD02: Deep Dive 2 - From silos to cooperation: shifting Science Technology & Innovation paradigms for sustainability transitions
RED ROOM
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ST19: Scaling together: FAO's evolving role for Innovation for impact
ATRIUM
09:00-17:00
SO03: AgriTech Solutions & Innovations in Action
ACCELE-RATION ZONE
08:00-08:45
ST07: The Innovators' Breakfast
11:00-12:30
ST21: The Cost of Less: Interactive Workshop on Scarcity, Decision-Making and Food Security
14:00-17:00
ST22: Show and Share Time
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8th Floor
19:30-21:30
ST09: Celebrating 80 Years of Innovation

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PLENARY HALL

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WD02: Rome Water Dialogue: High-level segment

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INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' NOMADIC - ADVOCACY TENT

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HA08: Indigenous Peoples' Biocentric Restoration in critical biomes to combat land degradation and desertification

11:00 - 12:30
HA09: Side Event

12:30-13:00
HC03: Chef Talk

14:00 - 16:00
HA10: Responsible and Inclusive Investment for Transformative Food Systems: centring Indigenous Peoples

16:00 - 18:00
HA11: Ethical co-creation of knowledge: bringing Indigenous Peoples' voices at the centre

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HF03: Fireside Chat

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YOUTH CULTURE CORNER Atrium	09:00-12:30 **YC06:** Hand in Hand: Forest, Farm and Mountain Products through Indigenous Innovations for a Better Future	12:30-14:30 **YC07:** Immersive Peru: Biodiversity, Culture, Cuisine, Investment	14:30-17:00 **YC08:** Good Food For All with the Chefs' Manifesto
YOUTH BOOTH 1 Atrium	09:00-11:00 **YB13:** FAO 4 Better Courses Initiative: Demo and experience sharing	11:00-14:00 **YB14:** Online simulation game: Prevention, preparedness and response to plant pest outbreaks	14:00-17:00 **YB15:** Worldchefs Association of Young Chefs
YOUTH BOOTH 2 Atrium	09:00-17:00 **YB16:** On the road to the International Year of the Woman Farmer 2026		
YOUTH BOOTH 3 Atrium	09:00-17:00 **YB18:** South-South and Triangular Cooperation (SSTC) technologies from the Global South (PST)		

VIRTUAL YOUTH SIDE EVENTS

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VIRTUAL	10:30-11:30 **YL13:** "FTA Youth Intelligence, Green Chain & Food Security" - A Global Forum on Youth Innovation and Sustainable Agriculture	14:00-15:00 **YP14:** Youth and the Impact of Trade Uncertainty on Food

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PLENARY HALL

10:30-12:30
GO10: World Food Day Ceremony - FAO80

15:00-17:00
GO11: Food Futures: Conversations for a Better World – Global talks inspired by FAO's four betters on the Organization's 80th anniversary

17:00-18:00
GO21: Goodwill Ambassador Designation and Presentation of the Achievement Award

FAO MUNE

09:30-10:20
GO09: Food and Agriculture Museum and Network inauguration

FAO GARDENS

18:15 - 19:30
GO12: Illuminating FAO's 80th Anniversary

Learn more about World Food Day 2025 here!

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Atrium

- 09:00-10:30 **YM11:** Seeds of Change through Collaborative Efforts: Youth-led agrifood systems transformation across regions
- 11:00-12:30 **YM12:** Talk to your laureates
- 14:30-15:30 **YM14:** Youth at the Forefront: Driving agrifood systems transformation in Latin America and the Caribbean
- 16:00-17:30 **YM15:** Youth Food Lab Final Event
- 18:00-19:30 **YM16:** Local Youth, Real Impact: World Food Forum National Youth Chapters leading inclusive agrifood systems transformation on the ground

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- 09:00-10:30 **YA14:** Youth Assembly Session: Rome Water Dialogue
- 10:40-12:10 **YA15:** Youth Assembly Session: Forestry
- 12.20 - 13:50 **YA16:** Youth Assembly session: COP30 YOUNGO Global Youth Statement
- 14:00-15:20 **YA17:** Youth Assembly Session: The 2nd UN Food Systems Summit Stocktake follow up
- 15:30-16:45 **YA18:** Youth Assembly Session: Young farmers roundtable
- 16:50-18:20 **YA19:** Youth Assembly Session: Livestock
- 18:30-20:00 **YA20:** Youth Assembly Session: Spotlight on agrifood systems across the three Rio Conventions

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- 10:30-11:30 **YI13:** Youth driving Food Tech for a better future
- 12:00-13:00 **YI14:** Fuel the future: Back food startups now!
- 14:00-15:00 **YE09:** Just Blue Transformation by addressing child labour in fisheries and aquaculture
- 15:30-16:30 **YE06:** Empowering women and girls in science for agri-food systems transformation
- 17:00-18:00 **YI15:** Youth Innovation Showcase 2025

PHILIPPINES ROOM
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- 09:00-10:00 **YI06:** MENA - leading water security innovative solutions
- 10:30-11:30 **YL07:** Unlocking Funding for National Chapters
- 12:00-13:00 **YI12:** Closing the Gap between Innovators and Capital
- 14:00-15:00 **YL08:** Forest Food Futures: Youth and Local Action
- 15:30-16:30 **YP03:** Empowering Youth Through Agroecology: Building Climate Resilience and Participatory Systems
- 17:00-18:00 **YL10:** Ensuring Access of Nutritious Food for Africa
- 18:30-19:30 **YE11:** Agri-Jobs systems: networking event

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- 09:00-10:00 **YP08:** Addressing plant-based diets from a nutrition perspective
- 10:30-11:30 **YP09:** Youth with disabilities as champions of inclusive rural transformation
- 12:00-13:00 **YP10:** Bridging Policy and Innovation: Youth at the Forefront of Agri-Food Transformation
- 14:00-15:00 **YP11:** Nurturing youth-led Climate Action in Africa
- 15:30-16:30 **YE12:** Capacity Development, Youth and Inclusive Agrifood in Latin America
- 17:00-19:00 **YP12:** United Nations Model Programme: South-South and Triangular Cooperation Sharing Experiences and Facilitating Collaborative Innovations

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RED ROOM

14:00-15:30
SD04: Deep Dive 3 - Rome Water Dialogue - Innovations in Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries for Integrated Water Resources Management

16:00-17:30
ST15: Where farmers lead innovation! - 2025 Innovation Award on Farmer Field School for Sustainable Agrifood Systems

GREEN ROOM

14:00-15:30
ST13: Seed to Scale: Agrifood Pitch Battle

16:00-17:30
ST16: Seed to Scale: Data from Farm Value Global Challenge

IRAN ROOM

09:00-10:30
SD05: Deep Dive 5 - AI-Driven Transformation: Redirecting and Shaping Sustainable Investment in Agriculture

16:00-17:30
SD06: Science and Innovation Deep Dive 6 - Waves of Change: Aquaculture Innovation Through Partnership

ACCELERATION ZONE

08:00-08:45
ST10: The Innovators' Breakfast

10:30-12:00
ST11: Discover the Future of Agrifood Systems with ATIO Knowledge Base

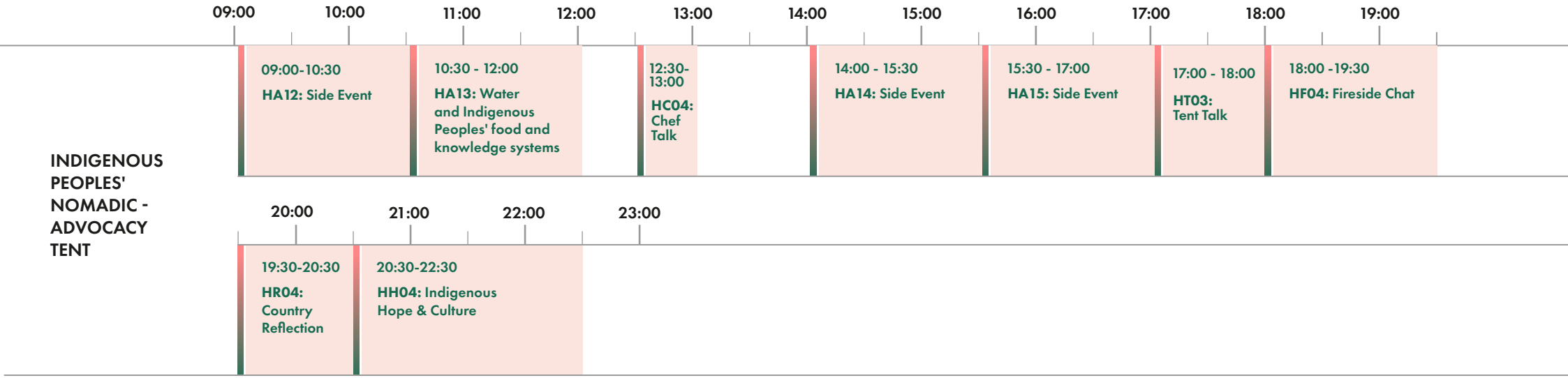
14:00-17:00
ST23: Show and Share Time

FAO MUNE

13:30-15:00
ST12: Inner Capacities, Outer Impact: A Conscious Food Experience

ATRIUM

09:00-17:00
SO04: AgriTech Solutions & Innovations in Action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HA12: Side Event
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HA13: Water and Indigenous Peoples' food and knowledge systems
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HC04: Chef Talk
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YOUTH CULTURE CORNER
Atrium

- 09:00-12:30 **YC09:**
- 12:30-15:30 **YC10:** Bio-inspired Futures: Youth Innovation in Food, Fashion & Bioeconomy
- 15:30-17:00 **YC11:** For Better Generation Art Exhibition

YOUTH BOOTH 1
Atrium

- 09:00-13:00 **YB19:** Land, Soil & Water for Better Food, Climate, and Youth Futures
- 13:00-17:00 **YB20:** Meet microalgae: nature's answer to sustainable nutrition

YOUTH BOOTH 2
Atrium

- 09:00-13:00 **YB21:** Uzbekistan's Cultural Heritage for Sustainable Agrifood Systems
- 13:00-17:00 **YB22:** Empowering Youth to shaping a Sustainable Future

YOUTH BOOTH 3
Atrium

- 09:00-13:00 **YB00:**
- 13:00-17:00 **YB24:** Climate-Smart Agriculture (CSA) and Resilient Agri-Food Systems Educational Toolkit

VIRTUAL YOUTH SIDE EVENTS

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VIRTUAL

- 09:00-10:00 **YI18:** Innovative & Inclusive Agri-Food Systems in Senegal
- 14:00-15:00 **YP15:** Geopolitical Tensions on Our Plate
- 15:30-16:30 **YL15:** NutriArt

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PLENARY HALL

10:30-12:00
GO14: Junior World Food Day

14:00-16:00
GO16: World Food Forum Closing Ceremony
This Event will also be live streamed in the Red and Green

SHEIKH ZAYED CENTRE
Atrium

11:30-12:30
GO15: World Food Forum Joint Presentation of Outcomes

GREEN ROOM

10:45-11:45
GO13: World Food Forum Global School Assembly

RED ROOM

11:00-12:30
IM27: High-Level Event: Bridging investments and smallholder farmers for resilient coffee value chains

GERMAN ROOM
C229-C269

10:30 - 11:30
GO20: Inclusive Climate Finance for Agri-food Systems: Launching the FAO–WSBI Partnership

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YM18: World Food Forum Youth Assembly Closing Session

GERMAN ROOM
C229-C269

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YP13: Safe Food in Africa: Empowering Youth Engagement

PHILIPPINES ROOM
C277

09:00-10:00
YE13: Reconnecting Youth to Indigenous and Traditional Foods

10:30-11:30
YE15: A Dialogue with Indigenous Youth Leaders: Intersectional Alliances for the Future

KING FAISAL ROOM
D223

09:00-10:00
YE14: Producing more with less: Youth as innovators for a sustainable future

10:30-11:30
YE16: Cultivating Care, Creativity and Community for Collective Impact

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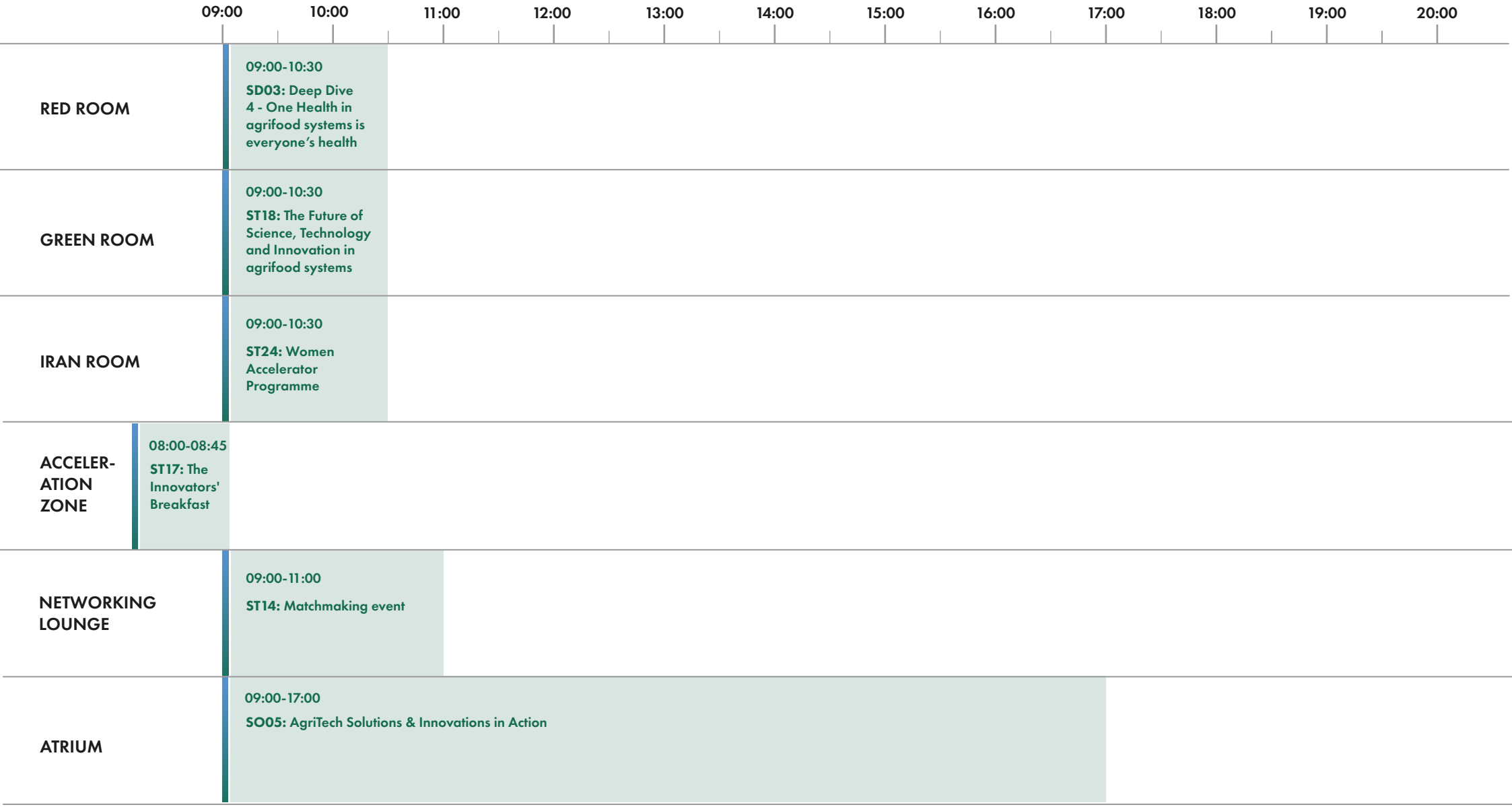
Learn more about the World Food Forum Global Youth Action Initiative here!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SD03: Deep Dive 4 - One Health in agrifood systems is everyone's health
GREEN ROOM
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ST18: The Future of Science, Technology and Innovation in agrifood systems
IRAN ROOM
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ST24: Women Accelerator Programme
ACCELER-ATION ZONE
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NETWORKING LOUNGE
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SHEIKH ZAYED CENTRE
Atrium

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YM17: Indigenous Peoples' wisdom & collaboration: a path towards Peace & Food Security for the Next 80 years with FAO

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YOUTH BOOTH 1 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB25:** Bushfood bites: Australian native ingredients
YOUTH BOOTH 2 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB26:** WFF Young Scientists Group: Youth-led research for better foods and a better future
YOUTH BOOTH 3 Atrium	09:00-13:00 **YB00:** TBC

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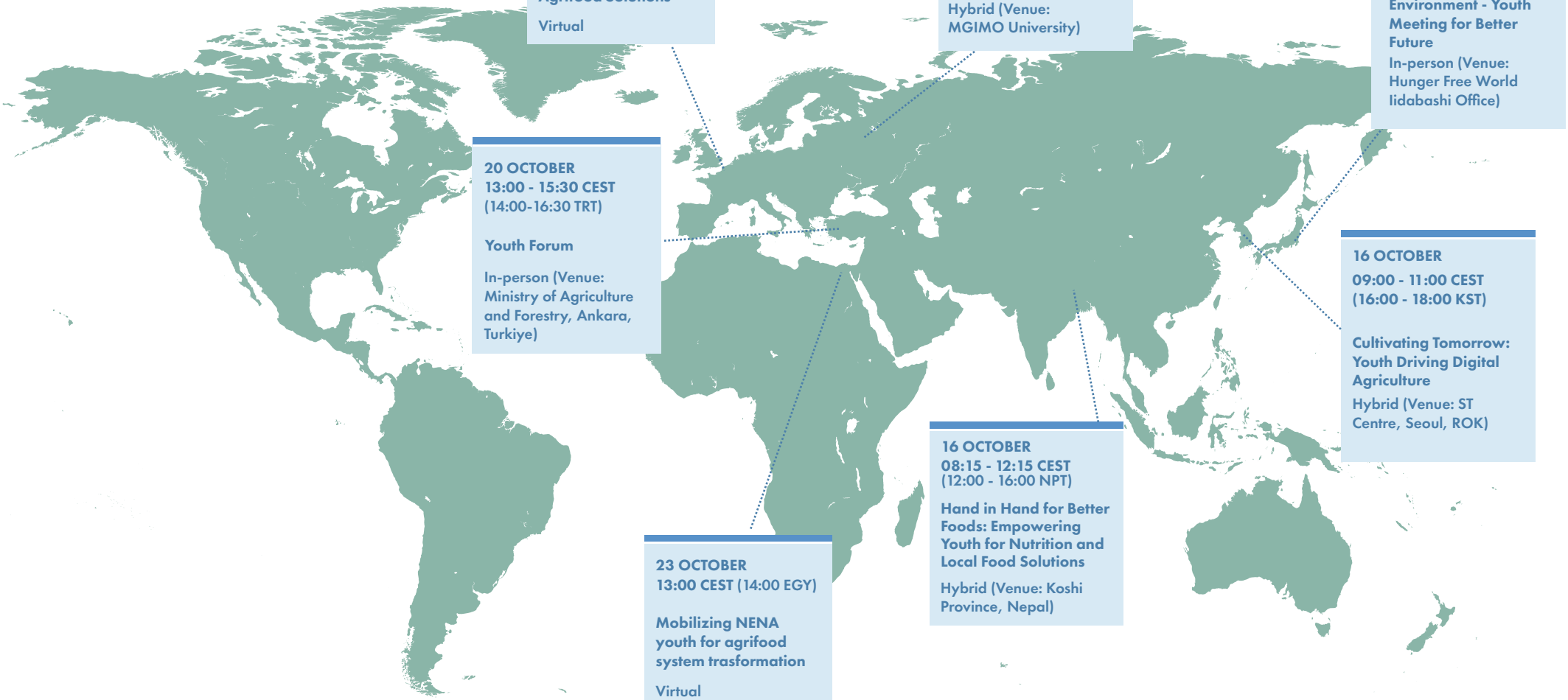

13 OCTOBER
15:30 CEST

Hand in Hand with Youth: Local Innovation for Global Agrifood Solutions

Virtual

14 OCTOBER
12:30 CEST (1:30 PM MSK)

Hand in Hand for better foods and a better future

Hybrid (Venue: MGIMO University)

11 OCTOBER
05:00 – 09:30 CEST
(16:30 - 21:00 JST)

Let's Find Connection! Food, Agriculture, Environment - Youth Meeting for Better Future

In-person (Venue: Hunger Free World Iidabashi Office)

20 OCTOBER
13:00 - 15:30 CEST
(14:00-16:30 TRT)

Youth Forum

In-person (Venue: Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Ankara, Turkiye)

16 OCTOBER
09:00 - 11:00 CEST
(16:00 - 18:00 KST)

Cultivating Tomorrow: Youth Driving Digital Agriculture

Hybrid (Venue: ST Centre, Seoul, ROK)

16 OCTOBER
08:15 - 12:15 CEST
(12:00 - 16:00 NPT)

Hand in Hand for Better Foods: Empowering Youth for Nutrition and Local Food Solutions

Hybrid (Venue: Koshi Province, Nepal)

23 OCTOBER
13:00 CEST (14:00 EGY)

Mobilizing NENA youth for agrifood system trasformation

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