

NETWORK NEWS



Greetings from Cambridge!

Happy International Women's Day (and month!) to all women. This year's theme is #BreakTheBias, and we are profiling women who work in food security and gender development. Please read our [interview](#) with Alessandra Galiè, who reflects on how gender norms in Ghana impact female livestock farmers' access to veterinary services, and how the project she is working with is approaching this challenge. We will upload a new interview within the next few days, so please keep an eye on our website for that.

The 2022 [Cambridge Festival](#) starts on 31 March, and we are actively participating in two events with [gloknoS](#). We look forward to welcoming you at [Alternative proteins, alternative values: changing foods for a changing world](#) at 3.30 pm GMT on 8 April, and [A world of tastes: nature, culture and the making of the palate](#) at 5.30 pm GMT on 8 April. Both of these events can be attended in-person or online. [Through the Laboratory Keyhole](#), an online event held the 2021 Open Cambridge Festival, is currently showing as well.

Together with the Institute for Manufacturing (IfM), we have organised the [OI Forum Meeting Spring 2022](#). Check the web page to find out more details of how you can participate.

The next Dialogue of the Forgotten Crops Society, on Tuesday 26 April at 5 pm GMT, will feature our Steering Committee members Dr. Helen Anne Curry in

discussion with Professor Shailaja Fennell about: 'Maize: Examining Narratives of Crop Extinction'. Please find registration details [here](#).

We will be allocating [Fika](#) partners again on 6 May. Please feel welcome to join our Fika Group and connect with other professionals interested in global food security.

Our next [Coffee Break Seminar](#) features Dr Daniel Fuks (Archaeology), who will discuss 'Archaeobotany and Archaeogenetics: problems, prospects, and potential for food security.' Contact [Francesca](#) if you would like to present your work at a future Seminar.

Finally, Karen is moving to another position in April, and she bids this community a fond farewell. It has been a great learning and working opportunity for her, and she wishes everyone all of the best going forward.

'Inside the University Library'. Credit: Alice the Camera/Cambridge University Library



Nutritious fish stocks are being squandered by salmon farming, say scientists.

Eating wild-caught fish instead of using it as feed in salmon farming would allow nearly four million tonnes of fish to be left in the sea, while providing an extra six million tonnes of seafood for human consumption, a study finds.

Please find the rest of the article by David Willer [here](#).

Shoal of fish. Credit: [Fengyou Wan on Unsplash](#)

LISTINGS

INTERNAL EVENTS

Please note that some of our past events were recorded, and the [links](#) have been added to the original event listings.

Every Friday during term time. [Coffee Break Seminars](#). A relaxed online learning, networking, and discussion platform for our food security community. Please find information on our previous talks (with links to the speakers' slides and recordings of the events) and forthcoming talks.

21 - 22 June: [Halfway to the SDGs Conference – Learning from the South](#)

EXTERNAL EVENTS

23 March. [Food Politics 2022: Advocates Unite! With Marion Nestle of New York University](#)

23 March. [Habitat-Fed Beef: Separating Facts From Fiction on Grass-Fed and 'Regenerative' Beef](#)

23 March. [e-Dialogue Series on Equitable and Sustainable Food Systems](#)

21 April. [Online Agri-Tech Express: "Agri-Tech for Fresh Produce – Meet Horticulture Nova Scotia"](#)

28 April. [In-Person: On-Farm Research 101](#)

1 April. [Pepin Lecture: Green with Milk and Sugar](#)

4 - 5 April. [Responsible Sourcing and Ethical Trade Forum](#)

PUBLICATIONS AND MEDIA

**[Contact us](#) if you would like support in promoting your new publication.*

[Wild fish stocks squandered to feed farmed salmon, study finds.](#) By Damien Gayle. Featuring David Willer's research.

[Swap salmon for sardines to keep four million tonnes of fish in the sea.](#) By David Willer.

[Relocating farmland could turn back clock twenty years on carbon emissions.](#) By Jacqueline Garget.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

If you are a University of Cambridge researcher interested in putting together an interdisciplinary application and would like assistance in finding suitable collaborators/coordinating a group meeting, please [contact us.](#)

[Traineeships in the European Food Safety Authority](#)

[Saskia Beer Churchill fellowship](#)

[Preparatory projects for international proposal in health and food](#)