



Informal Joint Meeting of the FAO Council,
IFAD Executive Board and WFP Executive Board

14 September 2018
9:30-16:00

FAO headquarters, Plenary Hall
Provisional agenda

Time	Item
9:00 – 9:30	Welcome coffee (Tree of Life, Atrium)
9:30 – 9:35	Opening and welcome by Gilbert F. Houngbo, Chairperson of the IFAD Executive Board and President of IFAD
9:35 – 9:50	Video – Niger visit
9:50 – 10:05	Joint visit of the Rome-based agencies' (RBA) Principals to Niger, introduced by David Beasley, Executive Director of WFP
10:05 – 10:20	Regional approach of the RBAs in the Sahel, introduced by José Graziano da Silva, Director-General of FAO
10:20 – 10:30	Statement by Permanent Representatives who accompanied the RBA Principals to Niger
10:30 – 12:30	Q&A session with Member States, chaired by Khalid Mehboob, Independent Chairman of the FAO Council
12:30 – 14:00	Light luncheon (Tree of Life, Atrium)
14:00 – 14.15	United Nations system coherence: the case of the RBAs, introduced by IFAD
14:15 – 15:55	Q&A session with Member States, chaired by Zoltán Kálmán, President of the WFP Executive Board
15:55 – 16:00	Closing of the meeting by Gilbert F. Houngbo