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“The voice of rural women for a sustainable and healthy future”

A high-level side-event for the 62nd session on the Commission on the Status of Women
12 March 2018
1:15 to 2:30pm
CR 7
Sponsored by Italy, the World Health Organization and Zambia

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Moderator:
- Ms. Nazneen Damji, Policy Advisor, Gender Equality, HIV and Health, UNWOMEN

Welcoming remarks:
- H.E. Teresa Bellanova, Deputy Minister for Economic Development, Italy
- Mr Werner Obermeyer, Deputy Executive Director, WHO office at the UN

Key note speaker:
- Her Honour Madam Inonge Mutukwa Wina, Vice President of the Republic of Zambia

Panellists:
- Ms. Laura Bargione, Woman farmer winning the De@Terra Award
- Ms. Giorgia Pontetti, Woman farmer winning the De@Terra Award
- Ms. Emilia Nardi, Woman farmer winning the De@Terra Award
- Ms. Mariangela Costantino, Woman farmer winning the De@Terra Award

Investing in rural women and girls’ nutrition accelerates progress toward eradicating poverty and hunger, improving health outcomes, and achieving the Sustainable Development Goals by 2030. Co-sponsored by the governments of Italy and Zambia, this side event will promote a constructive dialogue to enhance the exchange of good practices among rural women, national Governments, international Institutions, NGOs and other stakeholders. The event will also advocate for political leadership and seek opportunities to mobilize new resources for rural women and girls’ nutrition under the Decade of Action on Nutrition. The Italian Ministry of Agricultural, Food, and Forestry Policies will also present the De@Terra Award to women working in the agricultural sector in Italy.