“Don’t Waste Our Future”
Towards a global commitment for food waste reduction and the right to food

Location: Committee of the Regions, Brussels
Date: 20 April 2017

09:00  Opening of the registration desk
09:30  Opening speeches: Neoklis Sylikiotis (European Parliament), Alfredo Janampa Ramos (European Commission, DG DEVCO B2)

9:45-10:20  Session 1: The “Don’t Waste Our Future!” Project

Moderator: ACR+
Introduction video on the impact of food waste (FAO)
Creating commitment for action of the European youth and Local Authorities (FELCOS Umbria and Municipality of Foligno)
Good practices and methodologies from the “Don’t Waste our Future!” project (University of Glasgow)

10:20-12:30  Session 2: The crucial Role of the Development Education and Awareness Raising (DEAR) for the food waste reduction and the global right to food

Opportunity and challenges from the territories: voices from the project young protagonists (video with involved students’ experiences)

Moderator: ACR+ and Cardet
Panel discussion, first part (10:35-11:15):
- FAMSI Fondo Andaluso de Municipios para la Solidaridad Internacional
- OXFAM Italy
- Passerelles.info
- Education Committee of the Council of the European Union or 1 Member of the European Parliament (tbc)
- Platforma - European platform of local and regional authorities for development

11:15-11:45 Coffee break & Market place on DWOF activities
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Panel discussion, second part (11:45-12:30):
- Inloco
- Agios Athanasios Municipality
- International Food Waste Coalition
- Municipality of Orvieto
- FoodWin

12:30-13:30 Lunch break and Market place on DWOF activities

13:30-15:40 Session 3: The role of local public policies for food waste reduction and sustainable food systems

Moderator: ACR+

13:45 "Towards a sustainable EU food policy that creates jobs and growth in Europe’s Regions and Cities (Matteo Scampicchio, UNIBZ)

14:00 Local action for sustainability: Localizing the Sustainable Development Goals (UNDP)

14:10 Guidelines for sustainable food strategies from local and regional authorities (ACR+)

14:25 Lessons from FUSIONS & REFRESH (Toine Timmermans, Wageningen University)

14:40 Panel discussion: Local examples of sustainable food strategies: challenges and opportunities (City of Milan, Lyon, Lipor, Agios Athanasios Municipality)

15:25 Conclusion and wrap-up

15:40-16:10 Networking and continuation of the Market Place

16:10 Closing of the event