

FEBA ANNUAL CONVENTION 2022
Europe in Crisis, Food Banks in Action

In collaboration with Tafel Deutschland e.V.
13-14 October 2022 | Berlin, Germany

Venue: Crowne Plaza Berlin City Centre, Berlin

Background concept

The effects of **climate change**, the **COVID-19 pandemic**, and the **war in Ukraine** have placed the global economy under tremendous strain. This three-fold crisis provoking **crippling supply chains, skyrocketing inflation rates, and spiraling costs of living** leads to **food donation becoming a game changer and food security being increasingly fragile**.

In this difficult period, FEBA Members continue to work facing the challenge not just to prevent good surplus food from becoming food waste but also to ensure its safe delivery and redistribution to charities helping people in need.

During the 2-day Annual Convention, FEBA together with its members as well as external partners and stakeholders will **share, discuss, and exchange best practices to alleviate the repercussions of the crisis and become more resilient to future shocks**.

| WEDNESDAY, 12 OCTOBER 2022 | |
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| During the day | Arrival of FEBA participants Optional: visit to Berliner Tafel |
| THURSDAY, 13 OCTOBER 2022 | |
| 8:30 – 10:00 | Registration |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | Welcome speech <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jacques Vandenschrik, President, European Food Banks Federation (confirmed, onsite) - Jochen Brühl, Chairman, Tafel Deutschland e.V. (confirmed, onsite) |
| 10:15 – 10:50 | Opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Alexandra Nikolakopoulou, Head of Unit, DG Health and Food Safety, European Commission (confirmed, online) - Loris Di Pietrantonio, Head of Unit, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission (confirmed, online) - Representative from German government / Ministry (invited) - Jonathan Bennet, External Relations, General Mills (confirmed, onsite) |

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| 10:50 – 11:45 | <p>High-level plenary session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rosa Rolle, Food Loss and Waste Team Leader, FAO (confirmed, online) - Fabien Santini, Deputy Head of Unit, European food security crisis preparedness and response mechanism (EFSCM), European Commission (confirmed, online) |
| 11:45 – 12:30 | <p>Food Banks in action</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - COVID-19 crisis: Fondazione Banco Alimentare ONLUS, Italy Salvatore Maggiori, General Manager (confirmed, onsite) - Ukraine crisis: Kyiv City Charity Foundation “Food Bank”, Ukraine Nadiya Borysenko, Founder (confirmed, onsite) - Natural crisis / wildfire: Food Bank Greece, Greece Dimitris Nentas, General Manager (confirmed, onsite) - Natural crisis / flooding: Tafel Deutschland e.V., Germany (invited) - Costs of living: FareShare, UK Lindsay Boswell, CEO (confirmed, onsite) |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | Lunch |
| 14:00 – 14:15 | Instructions for working sessions |
| 14:15 – 15:45 | <p>Working sessions / Part 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Data collection & Digital transformation</i> Fabio Fraticelli, TechSoup Italy (confirmed) - <i>Knowledge sharing & Communication</i> Vivienne Lawlor, FoodCloud (confirmed) - <i>Empowering collaboration</i> Bruce Learner, Volunteer (confirmed) |
| 15:45 – 16:15 | Comfort break |
| 16:15 – 17:00 | <p>Working sessions / Part 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Data collection & Digital transformation</i> Fabio Fraticelli, TechSoup Italy (confirmed) - <i>Knowledge sharing & Communication</i> Vivienne Lawlor, FoodCloud (confirmed) - <i>Empowering collaboration</i> Bruce Learner, Volunteer (confirmed) |
| 17:00 – 17:45 | Restitution of working sessions |
| 17:45 – 18:00 | <p>Closing remarks of Day 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jochen Brühl, Chairman, Tafel Deutschland e.V. (confirmed, onsite) - Jacques Vandenschrik, President, European Food Banks Federation (confirmed, onsite) |
| 19:30 – onwards | Dinner |

| FRIDAY, 14 OCTOBER 2022 | |
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| 9:00 – 10:00 | Registration |
| 10:00 – 11:00 | <p>International panel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Brooks Reed, VP of Business Development, CAF America (confirmed, onsite) - Jacques Vandenschrik, President, European Food Banks Federation (confirmed, onsite) - Friederike Meister, Senior Advocacy Director, Global Citizen (confirmed, onsite) - GlobalGiving (invited) - Chris Rebstock, Field Services Director, The Global FoodBanking Network (confirmed, onsite) |
| 11:00 – 12:00 | <p>Presidents' Conference with the participation of FEBA Board of Directors, Presidents or delegates of Presidents from FEBA Members.</p> <p>Alternative activity in parallel for the other participants</p> |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | <p>Closing remarks of Day 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jochen Brühl, Chairman, Tafel Deutschland e.V. (confirmed, onsite) - Jacques Vandenschrik, President, European Food Banks Federation (confirmed, onsite) |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | Lunch |