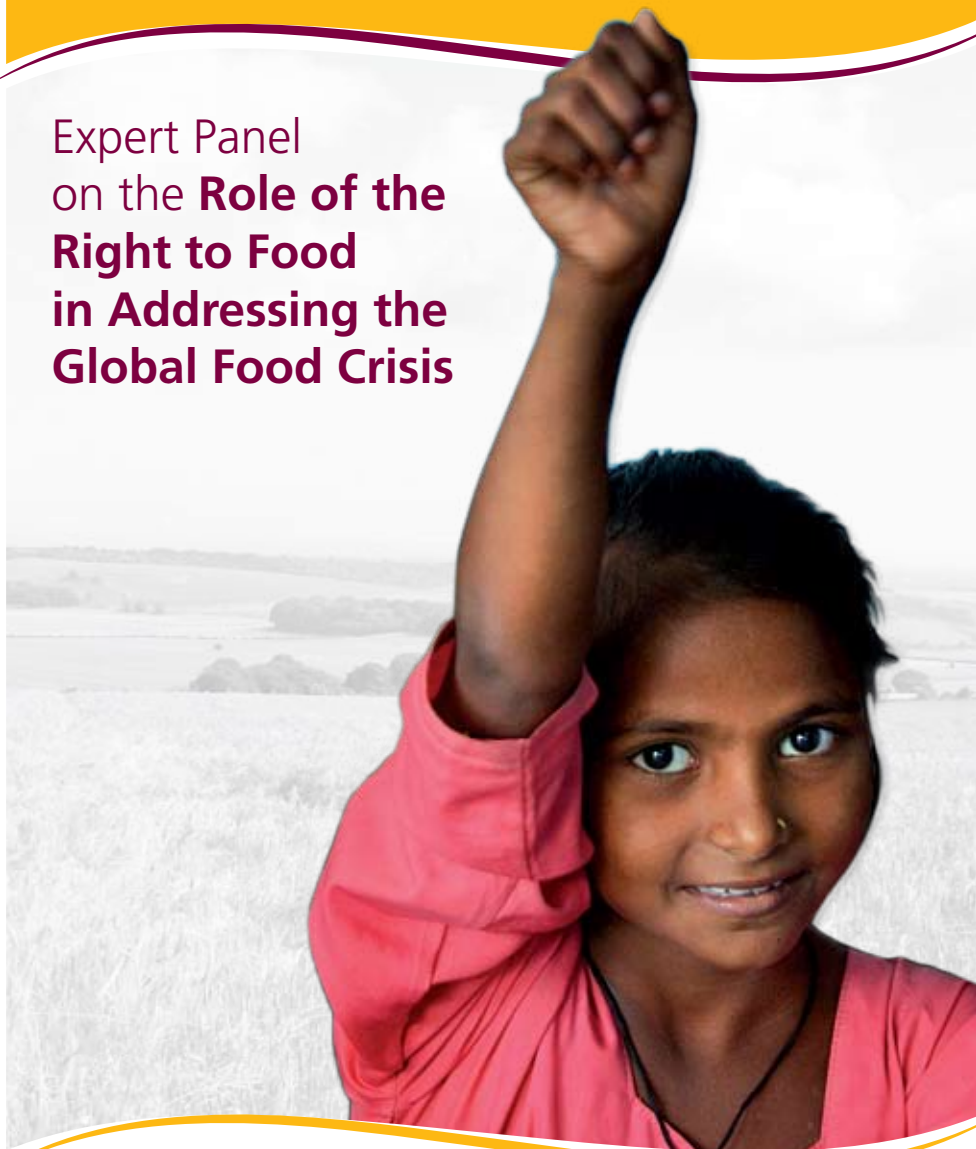


Friday Expert Panel Invitation

Expert Panel
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The Expert Panel on “The Role of the Right to Food in Addressing the Global Food Crisis” is consistent with the World Food Week theme, “Achieving Food Security in Times of Crisis” and it will be a useful occasion to reflect in the view of FAO major event in November, the World Food Summit.

A multidisciplinary expert panel will discuss and provide recommendations to FAO and member countries on how the right to food can concretely contribute to ensure food security during global crisis. The high level expertise in different fields will ensure the soundness of the outcome.

The Expert Panel will bring together the views of economists, policy makers, human rights experts and the academia to the debate.

The panelists are:

Ms Crowley Eve, Officer-in-Charge, Gender, Equity and Rural Employment Division, FAO;

Prof. Asbjørn Eide, Senior Fellow, Norwegian Centre for Human Rights;

Mr David Nabarro, Assistant Secretary-General, Coordination on Avian & Pandemic Influenza and the Global Food Crisis (UNSIC);

Prof. Siddiqur Osmani, School of Economics of Ulster University;

Mr Flavio Valente, Secretary-General, Face It Act Now (FIAN) International.

Mr Hafez Ghanem, Assistant Director-General, Economic and Social Development Department, will moderate the Panel.

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