

Climate and Nutrition gearing up from 2010

UN Standing Committee on Nutrition (UNSCN) – one of UN-Nutrition's predecessors* – started discussing the linkages btwn. climate change and nutrition with the publication of:

- **SCN News 38: Climate Change: Food and Nutrition Security Implications**
- **Climate Change and Nutrition Security - Message to the UNFCCC negotiators – a brief presented at COP16**



Sustainable Food Systems and Health: the convenient truth of addressing climate change while promoting health – prepared in the context of COP21



- UNSCN participated in **UNEA-4**, leveraging the findings of the 2017 paper
- UNSCN organized an **event at the Climate and SDGs Synergy Conference** (April), preparing the recommendations on food system, nutrition and climate change



- UN-Nutrition participated in:
- **UNCCD15** (May)
 - **Stockholm+50** (June)
 - **COP27** (November)
 - UN-Nutrition identified healthy diets from sustainable food systems as 1 of its priority areas
 - UN-Nutrition support to the **Initiative on Climate Action and Nutrition (I-CAN)** launch



UNSCN Statement on Nutrition Security of Urban Populations
 “Climate change affects food and nutrition security and further undermines current efforts to reduce hunger and protect and promote nutrition.”



UNSCN **discussion paper – Sustainable Diets for Healthy People and a Healthy Planet**
ECOSOC Coordination and Management Mtg.
 Panel on Climate change and Nutrition (April)



The Year of Action on Nutrition

- UN-Nutrition engaged in COP26 to bring nutrition into the discussions taking place outside of the negotiation rooms
- UN-Nutrition Exec. Secretary co-authors **OpEd in FoodTank**



- UN-Nutrition will:
- Join efforts with a growing number of Member States to continue **advocating about the central role of food systems**, being both one of the causes of our current challenges, but also part of the solution to ensure human and planetary health
 - Organizing **GFFA high level panel** with CFS
 - **COP28** in the UAE
 - Cont'd support to **I-CAN**



* UN-Nutrition was born out of the merger between the UN Network for the Scaling Up Nutrition (SUN) Movement and the United Nations System Standing Committee on Nutrition (UNSCN) in 2020.