



## INVITATION

## UNFCCC COP26 Side Event 'Towards Sustainable Livestock Systems'

Livestock systems play a crucial role in reaching global goals. How can we stimulate action towards a climate-neutral, biodiversity-friendly and food secure livestock sector?

The governments of the Netherlands, New Zealand, Colombia and Kenya, the International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) and Wageningen University and Research (WUR) are honored to invite you to the UNFCCC COP26 side-event 'Towards Sustainable Livestock Systems'. You will be hearing diverse perspectives from livestock keepers, researchers, government officials and multilateral organisations and invite you to join the discussion! Non-accredited participants watching via youtube can ask their questions via this link: [Voting \(menti.com\)](#)

### Opening remarks

- **Damien O'Connor**, Minister of Agriculture, New Zealand
- **Harry Kimtai**, Principal Secretary of the State Department for Livestock, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Cooperatives of Kenya

### Presentations

- **Simon Oosting** – Head of the Animal Production Systems Group, Wageningen University and Research
- **Susan Arts** - Social Designer, TwijnstraGudde

### Panel discussion

- **Sinead Waters** - Research Officer, TEAGASC and co-chair, Livestock Research Group, Global Research Alliance on Agriculture Greenhouse Gases
- **Emma Naluyima** - Ugandan smallholder farmer and private veterinarian
- **Mark Casey** - General Manager - Trade Strategy & Stakeholder Affairs - Europe, Middle East & Africa, Fonterra
- **Jorge Mario Diaz** - Executive Director of AGROSAVIA, Colombian Corporation of Agricultural Research
- **Caroline Plante** - Senior Agriculture Specialist, Agriculture and Food Global Practice, World Bank

### Closing remarks

- **Rodolfo Zea Navarro**, Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development, Colombia
- **Carola Schouten**, Minister of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality, the Netherlands

**MODERATOR**  
Peter Ballantyne

**DATE**  
Wednesday  
10 November 2021

**TIME**  
13:15 -14:30 GMT

**VENUE**  
**Online**  
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