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Seminar

Sustainable Agriculture and Food Production

The Way Forward to Ensure Food Security



One of humanity's greatest challenges is how to produce enough healthy food for the growing world population while reducing the negative social and environmental impacts of food production. Sustainable agriculture takes many forms but at its core is the shift away from the industrial approach developed during the 20th century. It is a way of producing food that is healthy for consumers and humane for workers, respects animals, does not harm the environment, and supports and enhances rural communities.

The **39th UNU Global Seminar** will examine the importance of transforming global food systems in addressing issues such as climate change and biodiversity loss. Through group work, participants will discuss

sustainable agricultural practices and explore how these practices can help ensure food security while mitigating negative impacts. Participants will also be tasked with developing innovative solutions to mainstream sustainable agriculture.

PARTICIPATION

Undergraduate and graduate students and young professionals. Faculty and researchers of the university are not admissible.

Format: Online

Language: English

Fee: 30,000 JPY

7– 8 August 2023

13:00 – 17:00 (JST)

9 August 2023

10:30 – 17:00 (JST)

** The programme also includes an optional consultation session on 8 August 2023, 18:30 – 20:30 JST*

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