

An Agrifood Policy for Canada: A Recipe for Food Justice?

March 17, 2018 - University of Ottawa

Fauteux Building (FTX), room 147A

Welcome & Registration - 10:00 AM

Recipe for Food Justice? Critical & Historical Perspectives on the Food Policy for Canada

10:30 to 12:00 AM

- Tracing the History of Food Policy in Canada
Mary Coulas - Carleton University
- Civil Society Engagement in National Food Policy
Amanda Wilson - Food Secure Canada
- Food Policy for Whom? The Power of Finance Industry in Canada's Food Systems
Sarah-Louise Ruder, Phoebe Stephens, and Jennifer Clapp - University of Waterloo

Lunch Break - 12:00 to 1:00 PM

Growing Food or Profits? Canadian Agriculture at the Crossroads

1:00 to 2:45 PM

- "Smart" Advertising: Information and Communication Technologies in Canadian Agriculture
Megan Beaulieu - Carleton University
- A Shift Towards Agroecology: What's Working, What's Not, and How We Can Shift the Needle
Genevieve Grossenbacher & Faris Ahmed - USC Canada
- Regulating Finance in Farmland Ownership: Where Canada can Intervene to Fill Policy Gaps in Ontario and Quebec
Christopher Kelly-Bisson - University of Ottawa
- Politicizing Agriculture: Food Sovereignty Through institutionalization and Movement Building
Bryan Dale - University of Toronto

Break - 2:45 to 3:00 PM

Have You Been Served? Food Accessibility in Canada

3:00 to 4:30 PM

- Food Insecurity, Health, and Experiences in Accessing Food Banks in Ottawa, Ontario
Aganeta Enns - University of Ottawa
- "I guess they just ran out of food" The Precarity of the Emergency Food System
Susan Belyea - Queen's University
- Problematizing Ethical Eating: The Role of Policy in an Ethical Food System
Daniela Spagnuolo - Ryerson University