

## Working together to transform the European Agri-Food Sector

Hotel NH Brussels EU Berlaymont, Blvd. Charlemagne 11/19, 1000 Brussels 5 December 2018, from 10:00 – 12.00 (Registration as of 9.30) Walking lunch from 12.00 – 13.00

## DRAFT PROGRAMME

- Opening remarks by Prof. Dr. Gert Meijer, Chair of the ETP 'Food for Life'
- Session 1: From problems to solutions

Keynote speeches:

- Current challenges on food systems and the urgency for action

Mr Barend Verachtert (Head of Unit F3, DG RTD, European Commission)

Vision, Strategy and Implementation of Actions of the ETP 'Food for Life'

Prof. Dr Jochen Weiss (ETP 'Food for Life' Vice-Chair)

 Joint call for action from the ETP 'Food for Life', FoodDrinkEurope, EIT Food, Food Nexus, EFFoST and Food*force*

Prof. Dr Rob Hamer (member of the Leadership Team of the ETP 'Food for Life ' and President of Food Nexus)

• Session 2: How to make solutions a reality

Moderated discussion with the audience on the role of every stakeholder in the agri-food system transformation, e.g. primary producers, food industry, bio-based industries, retailers, Academia, policy makers, etc.

• Wrap-up and closing remarks