

# The Future of Food Vietnam

**Food waste reduction, innovation and sustainability**

**WEDNESDAY 20 APRIL 2022**

12pm - 3pm VST (UTC+7) - Hanoi, Ho Chi Minh City

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## YOUR INVITATION



Farmers, producers, manufacturers, hotels, restaurants, supermarkets, NGOs and government all play a key role in shaping the future of food and food waste. As we race towards the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goal of halving food waste by 2030, come and learn how Vietnam can play a leading role in helping reach these global targets. This is your invitation to be part of the conversation around how we manage food waste, create a sustainable food system, and create shared economic opportunities across Australia and Vietnam to strengthen our economies.

## TOPICS TO BE COVERED

### **The Global Race Towards Reducing Food Waste by 2030**

Exploring practical solutions and addressing the fact that 30 percent of all food produced is lost or wasted, costing the global economy \$1USD trillion annually. Sharing ideas and pathways to alleviate the one billion people around the world who are undernourished and who experience hunger due to food insecurity.

### **The Social and Economic Benefits of Reducing Food Waste**

Learn how food security and sustainability critically need to be at the forefront of holistic opportunities, solutions and innovations in food trade within ASEAN and beyond. As economic trade opportunities continue to grow across Australia and Vietnam, we will discuss sustainable practices and solutions that address food waste - saving businesses millions of dollars whilst simultaneously helping the community and feeding our underserved and vulnerable population.

### **Food Industry Innovations in Asia and Australia**

Food waste reduction solutions present an \$18USD billion economic opportunity for future business investments. With Australia and Vietnam deeply involved within the agriculture and food sector, there is a huge opportunity to create bilateral prosperity using innovative business solutions, technology and industry networking. Hear from leading entrepreneurs and visionaries on how to create value and economic opportunity within your business across the food industry supply chain.



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## FEATURED SPEAKERS



### **Ronni Kahn AO, OzHarvest Founder & CEO**

Ronni Kahn AO is a social entrepreneur and founder and CEO of food rescue charity OzHarvest and Board Director of OzHarvest's social enterprise and innovation arm ForPurposeCo.



### **Luu Thi Lan, SunRice Group Head of Vietnam Operations**

Lan is the Head of Vietnam Operations for the SunRice Group, a global food business and one of the largest rice food companies in the world. Lan is responsible for overseeing SunRice's people and operations across Vietnam.



### **Fiona Hall, BiteRiot! Founder & CEO**

Fiona owns BiteRiot!, a premium fruit brand that grades, packs, markets and exports fruit. She also launched a premium product to avoid produce going to landfill.



### **Claire Kneller, WRAP Head of Asia-Pacific**

Head of WRAP's new Asia Pacific office, a global sustainability organisation and leads the delivery of the voluntary commitment program for Stop Food Waste Australia.



### **Louise Tran, VietHarvest Co-Founder**

Louise is passionate about social impact and has worked for OzHarvest and ForPurposeCo. over the last decade. She is committed to establishing a food rescue model in Vietnam, setting up VietHarvest in 2022.



### **Tam Bui, RINA Consulting Environmental Consultant**

Tam is an Environmental and Social Consultant at RINA Consulting. She has almost 10 years of experience promoting environmental and social sustainability amongst the private sector in Vietnam.



### **Clementine O'Connor, UNEP Program Officer**

Clementine is the focal point for food waste and sustainable diets at UNEP. She co-authored the 2021 Food Waste Index Report, developing a global food waste methodology for countries to measure food waste.



### **Jimmy Pham, KOTO Founder & Chairman**

Founder of Know One, Teach One (KOTO), Vietnam's first social enterprise which provides at-risk youth free hospitality training and life-changing opportunities. He is also Co-Founder of VietHarvest.



### **Dr Lyndal Hugo, Orlar Co-Founder & CEO**

Lyndal Hugo is a scientist and entrepreneur who developed high-tech vertical farming 'pods', creating the world's most efficient food production technology which is creating clean, safe jobs for men and women.



### **Rathana Chea, rathana.org Co-CEO**

Rathana is Co-CEO of social impact consultancy, rathana.org. He has 20 years experience across five continents in leading, creating and managing purpose-driven organisations.



### **Olympia Yarger, Goterra Founder & CEO**

Olympia founded Goterra, an innovative company that is redefining waste management with biotech and eco-friendly infrastructure design. It is the first company to deploy and commercialise a modular solution using robotics and insects!

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If you are an entrepreneur, business owner, leader in the sustainability, research, or policy-making space across the food sector in Vietnam or Australia, this virtual workshop will be relevant to you. We invite you to share this event across your teams and join us for a FREE workshop with an in-person networking event scheduled in June 2022 in Vietnam.

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