

NEWSLETTER 4 – JULY

INTERNATIONAL MEETING

***“Global Ethics and Equal opportunities:
The women's contribution to the development of Europe and
Mediterranean”***

Turin 11 - 14 September 2014

Women and NUTRITION



Dear friends,

As we announced in the Newsletter 3, during next months we will focus on the fundamental themes of the International Meeting of September. In particular this month is dedicated to the theme “Women and Nutrition” and here you can find some references to FAO documents and a brief biography of the experts invited.

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- **Maria Lodovica Gullino**
Director of Agrinnova Centre of Competence (involved in the agro-environmental and agro-food sector)
Since 1998 she is in charge of international affairs at the University of Turin.



- **Cinzia Scaffidi**
Director of the Centre of Studies of Slow Food, she teaches "Interdisciplinary angle of Gastronomy" at the University of Gastronomical Science in Pollenzo. She is one of the coordinators of the meeting Terra Madre and vice president of Slow Food Italia.

Personality who will participate to the International Meeting

How much does NUTRITION influence development?

UNESCO recognizes a fundamental role to women for the development of society. In most parts of the world are women who sow, harvest and transform raw materials in food. "How much does nutrition influence development?"

FAO facts (*FOOD and AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION*):

- **EVERY 6 SECONDS A PERSON STARVE**
- **840 MILLION** of people are VICTIM OF POOR NUTRITION, THE **60%** ARE WOMEN
- THE **60% - 80%** OF FOOD IS PRODUCED BY WOMEN
- *Feeding the Planet. Energy for life* is the Theme of Expo 2015. Will the women be the main characters?

We look forward to your reflection and statement,
take part to:

INTERNATIONAL CONTEST
"CULTURE, NUTRITION, VIOLENCE:
"EXPERIENCES OF WOMEN OF ANY AGE AND COUNTRY "

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