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Food and Water – Basic Challenges to International Stability

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Programme

- 09:00 am Registration of participants
- 09:30 am **Welcome speech** :
- **Christian Noyer**, Governor, Banque de France
- 09:40 am **Overview of 2009 Conference series on Food and Water Security (20')**
- Speakers :*
- **Domenic D’Ginto**, President, CFA Society of Philadelphia
 - **David Kotok**, GIC Program Chairman and CIO, Cumberland Advisors
 - **Francis Chipimo**, Assistant Director, Economics Department, Bank of Zambia
- 10:00 am **Session 1 : Food and Water, Inflation and Monetary Policy (80')**
- Moderator:*
- David Kotok
- Speakers : (60')*
- **Christian Noyer**, Governor, Banque de France
 - **Dennis Lockhart**, President, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta
 - **Abdellatif Jouahri**, Governor, Bank Al Maghrib
 - **Francis Chipimo**, Assistant Director, Economics Department, Bank of Zambia
 - **Philibert Andzembe**, Governor, Banque des États de l’Afrique Centrale
- Discussion (20')**
- 11:20 am *Coffee break (20')*

- 11:40 am **Session 2 : Financial crisis and Food supply** (80')
- Moderator:*
- John Silvia, Chief Economist, Wachovia
- Speakers :* (60')
- **Sean Egan**, President, Egan-Jones Rating
 - **Jean-Baptiste Compaoré**, Deputy Governor, Banque Centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest
 - **Alain de Janvry**, University of California, Berkeley
 - **Aly Abou Sabaa**, Director, Agriculture and Agro-Industry Department, African Development Bank
 - **Philippe Chalmin**, Professor, University of Paris Dauphine
- Discussion** (20')
- 1:00 pm *Lunch*
- 2:30 pm **Session 3 : Food and Water supply and environmental issues** (80')
- Moderator:*
- Paul Horne, Independent International Market Economist
- Speakers :* (60')
- **Laurence Tubiana**, Director, Institute for Sustainable Development and International Relations (IDDRI)
 - **James Lucier**, Managing Director, Capital Alpha Partners
 - **Michel Griffon**, Deputy Director General, French National Research Agency
 - **Benoit Coeuré**, Assistant Secretary for Multilateral Affairs, Ministry of Economy, Industry and Employment
 - **André Pouilles-Duplaix**, Deputy Director, Operational Technical Division, AFD
- Discussion** (20')
- 3 :50 pm *Break (10')*
- 4 :00 pm **Session 4 : Food and Water Security Geopolitical risk** (80')
- Moderator:*
- GIC
- Speakers :* (60')
- **Patrick Guillaumont**, Professor, Centre d'Études et de Recherches sur le Développement International
 - **Jean-Marc Chataigner**, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs (*to be confirmed*)
 - **Pierre-Frédéric Teniere-Buchot**, Governor, World Water Council
 - **Manish Uprety**, Ambassador, Resident Representative to the Republic of India & Special Envoy to South Asia, IIMSAM
- Discussion** (20')
- 05:20 **Closing remarks** (10')
- David Kotok