

2025 United Nations Ocean Conference
Ocean Action Panel 9: Promoting the role of sustainable food from the ocean for poverty eradication and food security.

Friday, 13 June 2025, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

AGENDA

Co-Chairs

- United Republic of Tanzania: H.E. Mr. Philip Isdor Mpango, Vice-President
- Republic of Korea: H.E. Kim Sungbum, Deputy Minister for Marine Policy, Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries

Moderator

- Mr. Jim Leape, Stanford University

Panelists

- Ms. Shakuntala Haraksingh Thilsted, CGIAR's Director of Nutrition, Health and Food Security Impact Area Platform
- Mr. Manuel Barange, Assistant Director General, Director of the Fisheries and Aquaculture Division, FAO
- Ms. Rhea Moss-Christian, Executive Director, Western & Central Pacific Fisheries Commission
- Mr. Ciyong Zou, Deputy-Director - General, United Nations Industrial Development Organization
- Mr. Jörn Schmidt, Worldfish, Science Director for Sustainable Aquatic Food Systems

Lead Discussants

- Professor Gideon Henderson, Chief Scientific Advisor, Defra