

Advanced Course on Development of sustainable aquatic food value chains - Zaragoza (Spain), 3-7 November 2025

TIMETABLE

Hour	Monday 3	Tuesday 4	Wednesday 5	Thursday 6	Friday 7
09:15-10:15	1. Opening	3.4.1. Fish4ACP, FAO	4.4. Traceability, transparency and regulatory compliance	6.2. By-product utilisation, and reduction of food loss and waste (FAO FLW)	7. GOVERNANCE AND STRATEGIES FOR SUSTAINABLE AQUATIC FOOD VALUE CHAINS 7.1 to 7.4
10:15-11:15	2.1.Role of aquatic food systems within food systems in general	3.4.2. VCA4D, European Commission	4.5. Local networks and community-supported fisheries	6.3. The contribution of technology (Digital platforms; Blockchain; AI) and innovation to sustainability	
11:15-11:45	Coffe break				
11:45-12:45	2.2. What we mean about sustainable aquatic value chains	4.1. Equity aspects and food security	6.1. Value addition and efficient resource use	6.4. Sustainable business models (circular models, doughnut models, cooperative)	7. GOVERNANCE AND STRATEGIES FOR SUSTAINABLE AQUATIC FOOD VALUE CHAINS 7.1 to 7.4
12:45-14:15	Lunch				
14:15-15:15	3.1. Input-output and linkage analysis; 3.2. Impact factors and spillover effects of the demand for fish; 3.3. Price formation and transmission along the chain	4.2. Market trends and consumer preferences	5. STAKEHOLDER ANALYSIS AND ENABLING ENVIRONMENT 5.1. to 5.4	6.5. Building inclusive and equitable value chains	7.5. Work group on upgrading sustainable value chain (2 hour)
15:15-16:15		4.3. Sustainability, certifications and labels: opportunities and challenges			
16:15-16:30	Coffe break				
16:30-17:30	2.3. Participants’ presentations about their own country value chains	3.5. Work group on VCA serious game or map and analyse your own value chain	5.6. Work group on Stakeholder analysis of aquatic food value chains	5.5. Case study. Producer’s organizations (Spain)	8. FINAL DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSIONS
17:30-18:30					