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Addressing the Challenges of Feeding the World Sustainably

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7.30pm, Monday 16th November, 2015

Wolfson Hall Lecture Theatre, Churchill College, Storey's Way, Cambridge

The Lecture:

Professor Tim Benton writes:

Demand for food is increasing, being driven by a growing global population and a desire to eat differently, associated with increasing global wealth and connectivity.

Projections for demand imply production increasing 60-100%.
Can this demand be met sustainably?

In this talk, I will explore some of the issues about the scope for (and perhaps limits on) growing more sustainably.

However, for the food system to provide global food security for all requires research and innovation around the whole system, including changing demand via reducing waste and eating differently.

Please note: This lecture will be preceded by the CSAR AGM.

About the Speaker:

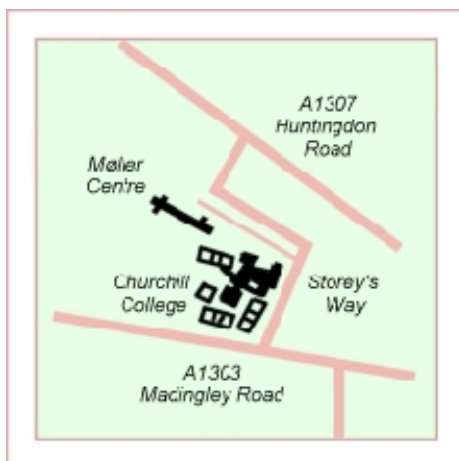
Professor Tim Benton is the “Champion” for the UK’s Global Food Security (GFS) programme, leading, facilitating and coordinating its activities.

GFS is a partnership of the UK’s main public funders of research in food security, including the research councils and government departments (including environment, farming and rural affairs, international development, health and business, innovation and skills).

The role of GFS is to ensure that strategically important research in this area is undertaken, and to add value to research via interdisciplinary collaboration, alignment and engagement of different communities of stakeholders.

He is also a leading researcher, based at the University of Leeds, on agri-environment interactions and finding ways to make agricultural production more sustainable.

Practical Matters



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