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ToNoWaste Final Event

Tools, evidence and policies to prevent and reduce food loss and waste

Join us in Valencia to discover the results of ToNoWaste, a Horizon Europe project that has spent the last years developing practical tools, evidence and policy recommendations to tackle food loss and waste along the agri-food value chain. Try the ToNoWaste platform, meet companies, public authorities and researchers working on the topic, and help shape future policies.

WHEN	WHERE	PARTICIPATION
26 – 27 November 2026	**Las Naves, Valencia (Spain)**	**Free of charge**
Times in CET (UTC+1)	Carrer de Joan Verdeguer, 16-24	Registration by 15 November 2026

Who is it for?

Agri-food businesses, cooperatives and retailers · public authorities and policymakers · social organisations and NGOs · researchers, university students and anyone interested in reducing food loss and waste.

Three open sessions

01
WP3 Technical Workshop
Thursday 26 Nov · 09:00 – 12:30
In person · English

02
Regional & Local Stakeholder Workshop
Thursday 26 Nov · 16:30 – 18:30
Hybrid · with simultaneous Spanish-English translation

03
International Policy Conference
Friday 27 Nov · 09:00 – 14:00
Hybrid · English

Why attend?

- **Try the tools first-hand:** test the ToNoWaste platform and decision-support Demonstrator, and help improve them with your feedback.
- **Learn from real cases:** hear how companies, cooperatives, markets and social organisations are reducing food loss and waste in practice.
- **Connect with the sector:** meet professionals from across the agri-food value chain, public administration and research.
- **Shape future policies:** discuss the ToNoWaste White Paper and Policy Brief with experts and policymakers.

Places are limited. Register for one or more sessions by 15 November 2026

Register here →

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Venue location

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Programme in detail

All times are Central European Time (CET, UTC+1).

01 WP3 Technical Workshop

"The ToNoWaste Demonstrator: co-creating and testing a decision-support platform to reduce food loss and waste"

Thursday 26 November · 09:00 – 12:30 | In person | English | Led by the University of Deusto

09:00 – 10:00	**Demonstrator presentation and introduction** Discover the simplified web platform for non-expert users and how its repository, KPIs and predictive models support evidence-based decisions.
10:00 – 11:00	**Co-creation and scenario simulation** Hands-on session: explore real-world scenarios by adjusting key variables in the platform.
11:00 – 11:30	*Coffee break*
11:30 – 12:30	**Usability testing and stakeholder feedback** Test the Demonstrator live and give your feedback to shape the final version of the platform.

02 Regional & Local Stakeholder Workshop

"ToNoWaste: Innovation, Sustainability and Profitability in Addressing Food Loss and Waste in the Agri-Food Sector"

Thursday 26 November · 16:30 – 18:30 | Hybrid | In Spanish

16:30	**Opening and introduction to ToNoWaste** UJI + VIC Objectives, key achievements and pilot actions of the project.
16:45	**Demonstration of the ToNoWaste digital tools** University of Deusto Live demo of the platform and short interactive survey (Mentimeter).
17:15	**Stakeholder roundtable: challenges and opportunities to reduce food loss and waste** • Mari Carmen Morales – Director of Quality and Sustainability, ANECOOP • José Juan Morant – Direcció General de la Indústria i Cadena Agroalimentària, GVA • Vicen Mañez – MERCAVALENCIA • María José Antoni – CUINATUR • Amaia Uriarte – EROSKI (online) • Julián Tío Barraca – Director, Valencian Association of Consumers and Users (AVACU)
18:15	**Policy perspectives and key findings** OEAW / VIC Main policy outcomes for the Spanish context.
18:25	**Conclusions and next steps** UJI + VIC How to keep using the ToNoWaste platform after the project.

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03 WP6 International Policy Conference

"From ToNoWaste forward: How to create policies to prevent and reduce food loss and waste?"

Friday 27 November · 09:00 – 14:00 | Hybrid | English

09:00 – 09:15	**Welcome and overview of the ToNoWaste project** María Jesús Muñoz (UJI), Lidia García (VIC), Jukka Mähönen (UiO) Introduction to the draft White Paper and Policy Brief.
09:15 – 09:45	**Technical panel discussion with EU projects (FOLOU, PRECIOUS and ROSETTA – tbc) on food loss and waste prevention** Moderator: Jukka Mähönen
09:45 – 10:00	**Results from the local workshops and the international conference** Mahshid Sotoudeh & Jukka Mähönen
10:00 – 10:25	**Moderated discussion: What are the challenges for food loss and waste prevention and reduction policies?**
10:25 – 11:10	**Law as part of FLW policies** Moderator: Jukka Mähönen Featuring Hälsinglands utbildningsförbund.
11:10 – 11:55	**Social norms as part of FLW policies** Moderator: Mahshid Sotoudeh Featuring Caritas Vienna Community and Neighbourhood Work and Zero Waste Austria (school workshops).
11:55 – 12:20	*Break*
12:20 – 13:05	**Markets as part of FLW policies** Moderator: Mahshid Sotoudeh Featuring Eroski S. Coop., Mercavalencia and Bio Austria.
13:05 – 13:50	**Architecture as part of FLW policies** Moderator: Mahshid Sotoudeh Featuring Strateco (CityFoodBox), Perspektive Handel, VIC (AgroLab), Cuinatur, CACV and Halandri.
13:50 – 14:00	**Wrap-up**

The programme may be subject to minor changes. Connection details for online participation will be sent to registered participants.
Contact: tonowaste@uji.es

Register now – free of charge: registration form

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