

Keynote Lecture

Food Transition Policy of Dijon Métropole

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Summary

The ProDij food transition program lies at the heart of Dijon Metropole's political strategy. This transition is part of a comprehensive Climate and Biodiversity Plan and aims to address environmental, economic, and social challenges. Its goal is to transform both consumption patterns and production methods, based on the principle that better eating creates demand for high-quality local foods and therefore encourages better production. This virtuous policy is supported by local academic, economic, and social stakeholders, as well as by citizens, who collectively contribute to the co-construction of technical and organizational innovations. The implementation of this policy will be illustrated through initiatives developed for schoolchildren via the Chouette Cantine project and for seniors living at home.