



ATTER (Agroecological Transition of TERRitorial food systems) is an EU-funded project for scaling up agroecological transitions for territorial food systems through cross-case studies, relying on [16 territorial case studies](#) anchored in five countries (France, Italy, United Kingdom, Brazil and USA) and [19 participating organisations](#).

Version en français - retrouvez les articles de cette newsletter en français [sur le site du projet](#).

## News of the network

### ATTER at the 12th Brazilian Congress of Agroecology



ATTER organized a half-day workshop entitled "Agroecological transitions in agri-food systems (Brasil, France, USA, United Kingdom, Italy)" at the Brazilian Agroecology Congress on November 22, 2023 in Rio de Janeiro. Around forty people took part in this 3-hour workshop. The first part focused on presenting the project to Brazilian researchers and stakeholders, as well as the case studies of the Southern Ardèche, the Serra Fuminense and Curitiba. The second part focused on public policies and the role of social movements.

[Read the full article and all the presentations of the day](#)

### ATTER in PNAS

The American Academy of Sciences is devoting a special issue of its journal PNAS to the contribution of transition studies to addressing environmental issues. ATTER participants Claire Lamine and Terry Marsden explore this question in their article "Unfolding sustainability transitions in food systems: Insights from UK and French trajectories" by comparing these national food systems' transformation from the 1950s to the present day.

[Read the full article on the PNAS website](#)

### ATTER in Agriculturas

12 ATTER participants contributed to a special edition of "Agriculturas" managed

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#### Unfolding sustainability transitions in food systems: Insights from UK and French trajectories

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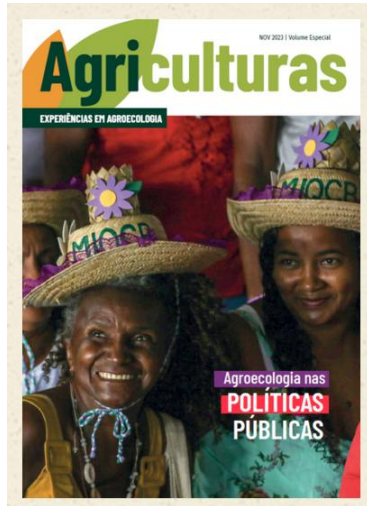
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by ASPTA, one of ATTER partners.

They cowrote an article on WP5 work on public policies :

*"Apoio a transições agroecológicas em sistemas alimentares: comparação de políticas agroalimentares em cinco países"*

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## Autumn school 2023

From 2 to 6 October, CIHEAM Bari hosted the 2023 edition of RISE-ATTER Autumn School, a residential training initiative co-organised with Schola Campesina and LAG Alto Salento 2020, gathering 9 researchers and practitioners from France, Italy, UK and USA. Participants could observe, discuss, and reflect on the evaluation dimensions of agroecological transition, by visiting farms, exchanging with local producers of different sex and age, and meeting various local institutions.

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# ATTER OBSERVATORY

Visit ATTER Observatory, where you can access the portfolio of the 16 case studies and follow the work in progress. Discover comparative analyses, transversal insights on public policies, facilitation approaches and more.

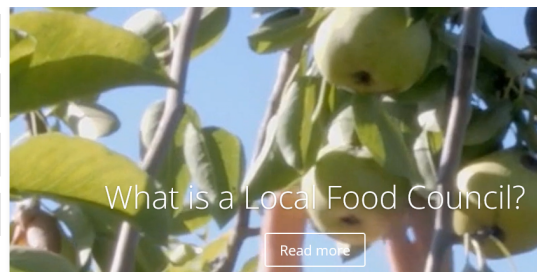
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Southern Ardèche – France



Rennes – France



Madison Food Policy Council – USA



Willamette Valley, Oregon – USA

## Events



### ATTER at the 3rd Local Food Forum (Ardèche)

October 6, 2023

The ATTER session presented the first avenues of typologies of trajectories developed from the observatory's case studies, and pairs of initiatives anchored in the different ATTER territories, mirrored to generate inspiration and reflexivity, around food accessibility, PAT and Biodistricts, Local Food Councils etc. Several ATTER participants from France, Brazil and the USA contributed to this event organized by the PNR des Monts d'Ardèche, INRAE, Civam and Pétale 07, which involved nearly a hundred local actors.

[Read more about the Local Food Forum](#)

### ATTER in the Food and Territories Forum in Brasil

November 16th to 18th, 2023

The fifth edition of the "Food and Territories Forum" organized by Réseau Bretagne Solidaire took place in the municipality of Teresopolis, in the heart of the Serra Fluminense, one of ATTER's case studies. The forum brought together elected representatives, farmers, civil society representatives, educators and researchers from the three partner countries involved in the forum (Brazil, France, Burkina Faso) to discuss the theme of agroecological transitions. The ATTER project was represented by 8 members from Terralim, Urgenci, INRAE and CPDA/UFRRJ, and its approach and network of cases and partners were presented in the introductory plenary session.

[Read more about the Food and Territories Forum](#)



[Unfolding sustainability transitions in food systems: Insights from UK and French trajectories](#) C.Lamine, T.Marsden *PNAS* Vol. 20 n°47, November 2023

[Food justice in community supported agriculture – differentiating charitable and emancipatory social support actions](#) Parot, J., Wahlen, S., Schryro, J. et al. . *Agric Hum Values*, October 2023

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[On-farm agricultural inputs and changing boundaries: Innovations around production of microorganisms in Brazil](#) F.Goulet, *Journal of Rural Studies* Volume 101, July 2023

## Reminder : resources based on ATTER exchanges

You can find diverse useful resources (policy briefs, guidelines, conclusions of events) based on ATTER exchanges and transversal analyses, on the project [website](#) and [observatory](#), such as :

The [guideline](#) on ecologisation's plurality of visions in the approaches to support agrifood systems transitions.

The [Policy Brief](#) on the French Territorial Food Projects policy instruments (Projets Alimentaires Territoriaux)

The [Policy Brief](#) on Local Food Councils



The ATTER project (Agroecological Transition of Territorial food systems) develops an interdisciplinary and multi-sectoral exchange program for scaling up [agroecological transitions](#) for territorial food systems. Funded by the RISE (Research and Innovation Staff Exchanges) scheme, a Marie Skłodowska-Curie Action, it is based on a program of mobilities (secondments) that have to be inter-sectoral and international.

As we consider agroecological transition of food systems as an open ended process that could take different pathways, we will build knowledge and tools based on a diversity of case studies where transition is experienced in different national and territorial contexts. We want to promote at producing collectively generic knowledge and context-sensitive methods and tools based on knowledge, skills and visions exchanges. It is a strong challenge and the reason why we describe ATTER as an action-research ecosystem aimed at boosting the emergence and dissemination of knowledge and innovations for the agrifood systems transitions.



**ATTER Agroecological Transitions for Territorial Food Systems**

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