



Draft Agenda for Africa Climate Smart Agriculture Alliance Forum
Dakar, Senegal
27 – 28 March 2019

| Time | <i>Day 1 – 27th March, 2019</i> |
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| 08:30 - 09:00hrs | Registration |
| 09:00 - 10:30hrs | <p><u>Opening Session: Welcome and Keynote Statements.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Statement by AUDA-NEPAD – Martin Bwalya, Advisor; Programme Development, AUDA-Nepad • Statement by AUDA-NEPAD Senegal Office • Statement by AUC - Ms Olayide Olushola (African Union Commission) • Statement by Representative of Development Partners- Mr Odd Arnessen (NORAD) • Representative of Development Partners- Government of Germany • Statement- Ministry of Environment, Senegal <p>Keynote Statement- Ministry of Agriculture, Republic of Senegal</p> |
| 10:30 - 11:00hrs | <i>Tea Break/Networking//Group Photograph/Exhibitions</i> Setting the Scene |
| 11:00 -11:30 hrs | <p>Setting the Scene for the Conference: Are we making headway in implementing CSA: What is the progress towards vision 25x25? –</p> <p>Martin Bwalya, Advisor: Programme Development, AUDA-Nepad</p> <p><u>Panel Discussion 1</u></p> <p>Moderator : Dr George Wamukoya</p> <p><u>Panellists:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Hassan Jallow (Permanent Secretary, Min of Agriculture, Gambia) - Mrs Kenalemang Kgoroadira (Farmer, Thojane Organic Farming) - Mr Sani Mahazou (Full title, Government of Niger) - Dr Rima AlAzar (CSA coordinator, FAO) - Mr Saidi Mkomwa, (African Conservation Tillage Network) <p>Open Discussions</p> |
| 11:30 – 13:00hrs | Safe Zone: Supporting Youth Participation in CSA |
| 11:30 – 13:00hrs | Presentation: Overcoming barriers and achieving success in a changing climate: Experiences of a young farmer |

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| | <p>Presenter: Ms Brenda Tlhabane (Young farmer)</p> <p>Panel 2: Supporting a new generation of farmers in a changing climate: How do we move beyond good intentions?</p> <p>Moderator: Mr Divine Ntiokam (Coordinator, Youth CSA network)</p> <p>Panellists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms Hege Skarrud (President, Spire, Norway) - Ms Nyasha Shoriwa (Youth CSA network) - Ms Agatha Njunga (Network for Youth Development (NfYD, Malawi)) - Can we add one more <p>Open Discussion</p> | | |
| 13:00 - 14:00hrs | Lunch Break /Exhibitions | | |
| | The Lessons and Insights Segment | | |
| 14:00 – 14:30 hrs | <p>Dr Manyewu Mutamba (AUDA-Nepad)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultative meeting of Alliances, Networks and Partnerships • Results of CSA adoption survey - progress towards vision 25x25 <p>Presentation: Drivers of CSA adoption: What lessons from practice across Africa and the rest of the developing world? Prof Bruce Campbell (Director, CCAFS)</p> <p>Open Discussions</p> | | |
| 14:30-17:30hrs | <p><i>The objective of the segment is to share lessons and insights from practice on what works in the design and implementation of CSA programmes in the African context. These will be presented in the form of case studies by stakeholders involved in the implementation of CSA programmes across the continent.</i></p> | | |
| Parallel sessions | Title: Rolling out gender responsive CSA programmes: What works in the African context? | Title: Increasing and sustaining CSA adoption in smallholder systems: Strategies, lessons and insights from practice | Title: Creating an Enabling environment for CSA adoption: Policy and institutional reforms for driving system-wide resilience building |
| | Tea/Coffee/Health Break/ Exhibitions | | |
| 17:30 - 17:45hrs | Video Documentary- CSA in Africa | | |
| 17:45hrs | Closing | | |
| 19:00hrs | Cocktail reception | | |
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Day 2 – 28th March, 2019

09:00 - 09:30hrs Recap of day one including report back from parallel sessions

Knowledge Segment

09:30 - 11:00hrs **Presentation:** Financing opportunities for CSA investments in smallholder systems: How do ensure both multi- and bi-lateral financing channels reach farmers?

Presenter: Mr Steven Mutimba (MD: Climate & Energy Advisory)

Panel 3: Opportunities and challenges in climate financing for CSA: How do we structure financing to reach farmers in ways that transform farming systems?

Moderator: Dr George Wambukoya (Africa Group of Negotiators Expert Support System)

Panellists:

- Donor/Development partner – GIZ
- **Mrs Shakwaanande Natai** : Head of Environment Management, Government of Tanzania
- African Development Bank
- **Dr Ademola Braimoh:** CSA coordinator, World Bank

Q and A Session

11:00 – 11:30hrs **Tea Break/Networking/ Exhibitions**

11:30 - 13:00hrs **Presentation:** The Business case for anchoring CSA programmes on mutually beneficial partnerships between smallholders and the Private Sector.

Presenter: Mr Michael Jenrich (Private sector engagement expert)

Panel 4: How can we strengthen integration of private sector players into smallholder CSA initiatives?

Moderator: Mr Steve Muchiri (CEO, East African Farmers Federation)

Panelists:

- **Mr Nelson Munyaka (CEO, Zimbabwe Super Seeds)**
- Speaker from broker/off taker – TBC/
- **Ms Lucy Muchoki (CEO, Pan African Agribusiness Consortium, Kenya)**
- **Mr Sydney Zharare (Genesis Analytics, South Africa)**

13:00 -14:00hrs **Lunch**

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| 14:00 - 16:00hrs | <i>The Lessons and Insights Segment</i> | | |
| Parallel sessions | Title: CSA strategies in livestock and fisheries: What options for building resilience of smallholders? | Title: Deploying ICTs for CSA programmes in smallholder systems: Are we tapping the full potential? | Title: Can CSA offer compelling employment opportunities for Africa's youths? |
| 16:00 - 16:30hrs | Report back from parallel sessions | | |
| 16:30 - 17:00hrs | The Forward-Looking Segment | | |
| | Looking Forward- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next important events • Working Groups • Continuing discussions on advancing adoption of CSA | | |
| 17:00 -17:30hrs | Closing | | |
| 17:30 hrs | End | | |

Parallel Sessions: Day 1

Session 1: Rolling out gender responsive CSA programmes: What works in the African context?

Chair: Mr Dismas Mwikila (East African Community Secretariat)

Rapporteur: TBC

Presenters

1. Economic Empowerment through Climate Smart Agriculture - **Djenaba Wane Ndiaye, Programme Coordinator for Senegal, UNWomen.**
2. Mrs Gertrude Kambauwa (Malawi)
3. Ms Hulshi Devi (Rural Women's Association, Mauritius)
4. Mrs. Kenalemang Kgoroadira (CEO, Thojane Organic Farming, South Africa)

Session 2: Increasing and sustaining CSA adoption in smallholder systems: Strategies, lessons and insights from practice

Chair: Mrs Lungowe Sepo Marongwe (CSA Coordinator, Ministry of Lands, Agriculture, Water and Climate Zimbabwe)

Rapporteur: TBC

Presenters:

1. Dr Amanda Lewis (CRS Mali, Niger)
2. Dr Kolawole Odubote (Zambia Open University)
3. Peter Wright (Care Niger)
4. Dr Mathieu Ouedraogo (CCAFS West Africa): Implementing CSV approach in West Africa: Key achievements and lessons learned for CSA upscaling"
5. Dr Evan Girvetz (CCAFS East Africa)

Session 3: Creating an Enabling environment for CSA adoption: Policy and institutional reforms for driving system-wide resilience building

Chair: Mr Talentus Mthunzi (FANRPAN)

Rapporteur: TBC

Presenters

1. Ms Caitlin Corner-Dolloff (Resilient Agriculture Program Lead, USDA)
2. Ms Meaza Melkamu (Policy and Strategy Advisor, ACT)
3. Dr Kingsley Amoako (Min of Agriculture, Ghana)

Parallel Sessions: Day 2

Session 4: CSA strategies in livestock and fisheries: What options for building resilience of smallholders?

Chair: Dr Olu Ajayi (Programme Leader, CTA)

Rapporteur: TBC

Presenters

1. Ms Stephanie Heiland (Head of Programme for Climate-Smart Livestock Systems, GIZ)
2. Mrs Veronica Ndetu (Climate Change Adaptation and Resilience, Min of Agriculture, Kenya)
3. Dr Issa Ouedraogo (CCAFS West Africa) - Using climate information services to manage climatic risks in the fisheries sector"

Session 5: Deploying ICTs for CSA programmes in smallholder systems: Are we tapping the full potential?

1. Chair: Dr Baitsi Podisi (CARDESSA)

Rapporteur: TBC

Presenters:

1. Mr Shadreck Hungwe (Zimbabwe Farmers Union)
2. Marit Sørheim (Caritas Norway)
3. CARDESSA

Session 6: Can CSA offer compelling employment opportunities for Africa's youths?

Chair: Mr Traore SyAlain (ECOWAS Commission)

Rapporteur: TBC

Presenters

1. Ms Ida Morén Strømsø (Spire, Norway)
2. Dr Majola Mabuza (SACAU)
3. Mr Ibrahim Ceesay (CAADP Youth Network)
4. Mr Saidi Mkomwa (ACT)