


2023 AGRODEP ANNUAL CONFERENCE

“Building Resilient African Food Systems amid Health, Conflict & Climate Disruptions”

Agenda

 Nobleza Hotel, Kigali-Rwanda

 March 21-23, 2023



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Day 1 March 21, 2023

Time (CAT)

08:30 AM–09:00 AM

Registration & Welcome Coffee

Plenary Session I: Opening Ceremony

30 min

Welcoming Remarks

Dr. Ousmane Badiane
AGRODEP Board Chair & Executive Chairperson,
AKADEMIYA2023

Opening Remarks

Dr. Godfrey Bahiigwa
Director, Rural Economy & Agriculture Department,
African Union Commission

Dr. Olivier Kamana, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of
Agriculture and Animal Resources, Rwanda

Moderator: **Dr. Layih Butake**
Director, Communications and Outreach,
AKADEMIYA2063

09:00 AM–09:30 AM

<p>09:30 AM – 11:00 AM</p>	<p>Plenary Session II 90 min</p> <p>Conference's Objectives</p> <p>Ms. Tsitsi Makombe Director of External Relations, AKADEMIYA2063</p> <p>Conference Keynote Address:</p> <p>“Building Resilient African Food Systems amid Health, Conflict and Climate Disruptions”</p> <p>Dr. Maximo Torero Chief Economist, FAO</p> <p>Plenary Panel Discussion</p> <p>Dr. Olivier Kamana Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Animal Resources, Rwanda</p> <p>Dr. Joseph Nkurunziza Principal, College of Business & Economics, University of Rwanda</p> <p>Mr. Mathias Karangwa Director of Research, National Bank of Rwanda</p> <p>Dr. Antoine Bouët Director, CEPII and Non-Resident Senior Research Fellow - IFPRI</p> <p>Chair and Moderator: Dr. Ousmane Badiane AGRODEP Board Chair & Executive Chairperson, AKADEMIYA2023</p> <p>Family Photo just before break</p>
	<p>11:00 AM–11:30 AM Coffee and Networking Break</p>
<p>11:30 AM–1:00 PM</p>	<p>Plenary Session III: 25 min</p>
	<p>Food Systems Transformation</p> <p>Dr. John Ulimwengu Senior Research Fellow, IFPRI 15 min</p>
	<p>Plenary Q&A 10 min</p> <p>Chair and Moderator: Dr. Layih Butake Director, Communications and Outreach, AKADEMIYA2063</p>
<p>Parallel Session IIIa: 90 min</p> <p>Presentations by authors followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters:</p> <p>Emmanuel Orkoh</p> <p>Thierry Urbain Yogo</p> <p>Moderator:</p> <p>Dr. Saadatou Alkassoum Sangaré</p>	

<p>11:30 AM–1:00 PM</p>	<p>Parallel Session IIIb: Presentations by authors followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters: Patrick Irungu Agboola, L.W. Johannes Tabi Atemnkeng</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Mbouandi N. Mouhamed</p>	<p>90 min</p>
<p>13:00 PM–14:00 PM Lunch Break</p>		
<p>14:30 PM–16:00 PM</p>	<p>Plenary Session A: Introduction to the Africa Agriculture Trade Outlook Portal (AftOP)</p> <p>Dr. Ismael Fofana Director, Capacity and Deployment, AKADEMIYA2063 AGRODEP TEAM</p> <p>Chair and Moderator: Dr. Layih Butake Director, Communications and Outreach, AKADEMIYA2063</p> <p>Parallel Session IIIc [Food Systems Transformation]: Presentations by authors, followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters: Ogheneruemu Obi-Egbedi Salman K. K.</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Emmanuel Orkoh</p> <p>Parallel Session IIId [Food Systems Transformation]: Presentations by authors, followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters: Ayalneh Bogale Joshua Ajetomobi</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Arcade Ndoricipa</p>	<p>25 min</p> <p>90 min</p> <p>90 min</p>
<p>16:00 PM–16:15 PM Coffee and Networking Break</p>		

16:15 PM–17:15 PM

Plenary Session B:

60 min

Introduction to the new AGRODEP Networks [Resilience Index Measurement and Analysis (RIMA), Impact Evaluation (IE), Sanitary, Phytosanitary (SPS), and Climate Change (CC)] and Presentation of the AGRODEP Membership Survey Report

Ms. Lea Vicky Magne Domgho

Senior Associate Scientist, Knowledge Systems
AKADEMIYA2063 | AGRODEP TEAM

Chair and Moderator: Dr. Augustin Wambo Yamdjeu,
Director, Knowledge Systems, AKADEMIYA2063 |
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07:00 PM–08:30 PM

Cocktail Reception

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Day 2 March 22, 2023

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08:30 AM–09:00 AM

Recap of Day 1

10 min

Dr. Paul Maina Guthiga

Senior Scientist, Department of Knowledge Systems
AKADEMIYA2063 | AGRODEP TEAM

09:00 AM–09:30 AM

Plenary Session IV: Climate Change and Resilience

30 min

Session Framing Remarks

25 min

Dr. Marco d'Errico

Economist, RIMA Team Leader
Agrifood Economics Division (ESA) Office and
Emergency and Resilience (OER), FAO

Plenary Q&A [10min]

Chair and Moderator: Dr. Getaw Tadesse

Director of Operational Support, AKADEMIYA2063

09:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Parallel Session IVa:

90 min

Presenters:

Tewodros N. Kahsay

Mekonnen B. Wakeyo

Manzamasso Hodjo

Moderator:

Prof. Raphael Babatunde

Presentations by authors, followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.

<p>09:30 AM – 11:00 AM</p>	<p>Parallel Session IVb: 90 min</p> <p>Presenters: Carren Pindiriri Francis M. Mwaura</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Ayalneh Bogale</p> <p>Presentations by authors, followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p>
<p>11:00 AM–11:30 AM Coffee and Networking Break</p>	
<p>11:30 AM–1:00 PM</p>	<p>Plenary Session V: Trade and Markets 25 min</p> <p>Session Framing Remarks 15 min</p> <p>Dr. Ismael Fofana Director, Capacity and Deployment, AKADEMIYA2063 AGRODEP TEAM</p> <p>Plenary Q&A [10 min]</p> <p>Chair and Moderator: Ms. Tsitsi Makombe Director of External Relations, AKADEMIYA2063</p> <p>Parallel Session Va: Presentations by authors followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters: Emmanuel Orkoh Saadatou A. Sangaré</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Nicodeme Nimenya</p> <p>Parallel Session Vb: Presentations by authors followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters: Mbouandi N. Mouhamed Olayinka Idowu Kareem</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Johannes Tabi Atemnkeng</p>
<p>1:00 PM–2:00 PM Lunch Break</p>	
<p>2:00 PM–3:00 PM</p>	<p>Plenary Session C: Introduction to the AGRODEP new website</p> <p>Mr. Babacar Ceesay Senior Manager, Information Systems, AKADEMIYA2063 60 min</p> <p>Chair and Moderator: Dr. Layih Butake Director, Communications and Outreach, AKADEMIYA2063</p>

4:00 PM–4:15 PM

Coffee and Networking Break

4:15 PM–5:15 PM

Plenary Session D:

60 min

Brief introduction to the Brown Bag Session

This peer learning session will give AGRODEP members an opportunity to engage informally and share information on some of their ongoing activities and explore possible collaboration.

Dr. Paul Guthiga

Senior Scientist, Department of Knowledge Systems
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7:00 PM–8:30 PM

Open Space

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Day 3 March 23, 2023

Time (CAT)

08:30 AM–09:00 AM

Recap of Day 2

10 min

Dr. Greenwell Matchaya

Senior International Researcher–Economics & ReSAKSS–Eastern and Southern Africa Lead, IWMI

09:00 AM–09:30 AM

Plenary Session VI:

25 min

Empowerment, Gender, and Equality

Session Framing Remarks [15 min]

TBD

Plenary Q&A [10min]

Chair and Moderator:

Ms. Jeanne Pinay, RIMA Expert, FAO

05 min to transition to parallel sessions

09:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Parallel Session VIa:

90 min

Presenters:

Eric P. Feubi Pamen

François Joseph Cabral

Arcade Nduricimpa

Moderator:

Dr. Joshua Ajetomobi

<p>09:30 AM – 11:00 AM</p>	<p>Parallel Session VIb: 90 min</p> <p>Presenters: Anthony Orji Oluwasola E. Omoju Eric P. Feubi Pamen</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Tewodros Negash Kahsay</p>
<p>11:00 AM–11:30 PM Coffee and Networking Break</p>	
<p>11:30 AM–1:00 PM</p>	<p>Plenary Session VII: 25 min Micro Economic Analyses, Innovation and Technology</p> <p>Session Framing Remarks [15 min] Dr. Getaw Tadesse Director, Operational Support, AKADEMIYA2063</p> <p>Plenary Q&A [10 min] Chair and Moderator: Dr. Greenwell Matchaya Senior International Researcher–Economics & ReSAKSS–Eastern and Southern Africa Lead, IWMI</p> <p>Parallel Session VIIa: Presentations by authors followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters: Otitoju, M. A. Richardson Kojo Edeme Eleni Yitbarek</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Olayinka Idowu Kareem</p> <p>Parallel Session VIIb: Presentations by authors followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters: Damien Mededji Anthony Orji</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Naomi Mathenge</p>
<p>1:00 PM–2:00 PM Lunch Break</p>	

<p>2:00 PM–2:25 PM</p>	<p>Plenary Session VIII: Impact Evaluation and COVID-19</p> <p>Session Framing Remarks [15 min] 25 min</p> <p>Dr. Nicola Francesconi KIT Royal Tropical Institute</p> <p>Chair and Moderator: Dr. Seraphin Niyonsenga Senior Scientist, AKADEMIYA2063</p>
<p>2:30 PM–4:00 PM</p>	<p>Parallel Session VIIIa: 90 min Presentations by authors, followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters:</p> <p>Babatunde, R.O. Jeanne Pinay</p> <p>Moderator: Eric P. Feubi Pamen</p> <p>Parallel Session VIIIb: 90 min Presentations by authors, followed by comments from discussants on the papers they reviewed.</p> <p>Presenters:</p> <p>Evans S. Osabuohien Salman, K. K.</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. François Joseph Cabral</p>
<p>4:00 PM–4:15 PM Coffee and Networking Break</p>	
<p>4:15 PM–5:15 PM</p>	<p>Plenary Session E: 60 min</p> <p>Closing of the 2023 AGRODEP Conference</p> <p>Conference Summary</p> <p>Dr. Augustin Wambo Yamdjeu, Director, Knowledge Systems AKADEMIYA2063 AGRODEP TEAM</p> <p>AGRODEP Members' Vote of Thanks By AGRODEP member [TBD]</p> <p>Closing Remarks</p> <p>Dr. Ousmane Badiane AGRODEP Board Chair & Executive Chairperson, AKADEMIYA2023</p> <p>Dr. Telesphore Ndabamenye DG of Rwanda Agriculture & Animal Resources Board</p> <p>Chair: Mr. Joseph Nyirimana Senior National Director, AKADEMIYA2063</p>



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