

Day 1 Tuesday - 15/11/2011

<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>
8:00 - 9:00	REGISTRATION/CULTURAL INTERLUDE
09:00 - 1030	Opening Ceremony
09:00 - 9:10	Opening Prayer/Convocation - Pastor Emmanuel Mwigai, Royal Priesthood Church, Kenya National Anthem
09:10 - 9:20	Welcome Remarks – Dr Romano Kiome , Permanent Secretary & Chairman of the Agricultural Sector Development Strategy (ASDS) Inter-Ministerial Coordination Committee, Ministry of Agriculture, Kenya
09:20 – 9:40	Introductory Remarks – Mr Michael Hailu , Director CTA and Chair, International Steering Committee, The Netherlands
09:40 – 10:00	Keynote Address <i>“Innovations in Extension and Advisory Services for alleviating Poverty and Hunger”</i> : Dr Ben Corrêa da Silva , President, Brazilian Rural Extension Academy & Technical Advisor, Ministry of Agrarian Development, Brazil
10:00 – 10:20	Feature Address - Hon. Dr. Sally J. Kosgei , Minister of Agriculture, Kenya
10:20 – 10:30	Vote of Thanks – Ms. Zane Sharon Peters, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Lands, Environment and Housing, Antigua & Barbuda
10:30 – 11:30	COFFEE BREAK/VIP TOUR OF EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE
11:30 – 13:00	Linking Knowledge to Policy for Enhanced Performance Chair – Dr. Ibrahim Mayaki , Chief Executive Officer, New Partnership for Africa's Development (NEPAD) Planning and Coordinating Agency, South Africa <i>“Innovations in Extension and Advisory Services: Mobilising Women Farmers and Making a Difference to Food and Livelihoods”</i> Ms Maria Senar Linibi , President, Papua New Guinea Women in Agriculture Development Foundation, Papua New Guinea High Level Ministerial Policy Panel Discussion Hon. Kwesi Ahwoi, Minister of Food and Agriculture, Ghana (tbc) Hon. Dr Sally Kosgei, Minister of Agriculture, Kenya

Hon. Prof Peter N. Mwanza, Minister of Agriculture and Food Security,
Malawi

Hon. Dr Akin Adesina, Minister Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Rural
Development, Nigeria (tbc)

Hon. Dr Agnes Matilda Kalibata, Minister of Agriculture and Animal
Resources, Rwanda (tbc)

Hon. Joseph Sesay, Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Food Security,
Sierra Leone

13:00 – 14:30

LUNCH/EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE

[From knowledge to prosperity: food for thought organized by FARA]

14:30 – 16:00

Thematic Parallel Session 1

- Policy
- Capacity Development
- Tools and Approaches
- Learning Networks

16:00 – 16:30

COFFEE BREAK / EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE

16:30 – 18:00

Thematic Parallel Session 2

- Policy
- Capacity Development
- Tools and Approaches
- Learning Networks

18:00 – 19:00

POSTER SESSION & EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE

19:30 – 22:00

GFRAS Cocktail Dinner

Welcome Remarks - Dr. Silim Nahdy, Chair, GFRAS and AFAAS , Uganda

Introductory Remarks - Dr. Kristin Davis, GFRAS Executive Secretary,
Switzerland

Book Launch:

- GFRAS Knowledge Products - Ms. Sanne Chipeta, Member, GFRAS Steering Committee
- The AIS Sourcebook - Dr. Riikka Rajalahti, Member, GFRAS Steering Committee

Day 2 Wednesday 16/11/2011

<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>
07:30 – 15:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Field Visits

17:30 – 18:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exhibition and Market Place Open to the Public • YPARD: Youth in extension: are we making the most of our young assets?
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Day 3 [Thursday] 17/11/2011

<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>
8:00 – 9:00	WELCOME COFFEE
9:00 – 10:30	Plenary Session: Institutional Imperatives for Extension and Advisory Services
9:00 – 9:10	Chair – Dr. Tom Mwangi Anyonge , Senior Technical Advisor - Rural Institutions and Organizations, Policy and Technical Advisory Division, International Fund for Agricultural Development, Italy
9:10 – 9:30	<i>“Governmental Extension Services, their Generic Problems and Potential Solutions”</i> , Professor Volker Hoffman , University of Hohenheim, Germany
9:30 – 9:50	<i>“Strengthening Extension - Research - Education Linkages: Innovating for Food and Livelihoods”</i> Professor Monty Jones , Executive Director, Forum for Agricultural Research in Africa (FARA), Ghana
9:50 – 10:10	<i>“Innovations in Extension and Advisory Services for Food and Livelihoods: Mobilising the International Development Community to Action”</i> - Dr. Namanga Ngongi , President Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA), Kenya
10:10 – 10:30	Discussion
10:30 – 11:00	COFFEE BREAK / EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE
11:00 – 13:00	Thematic Parallel Session 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy • Capacity Development • Tools and Approaches • Learning Networks
13:00 – 14:30	LUNCH / EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE <i>[From knowledge to prosperity: food for thought organized by FARA]</i>
14:30 – 16:00	Thematic Parallel Session 4

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy • Capacity Development • Tools and Approaches • Learning network
16:00 – 16:30	COFFEE BREAK / EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE
16:30 – 18:00	Thematic Parallel Session 5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy • Capacity Development • Tools and Approaches • Learning Networks
18:00 – 19:00	Poster Session & Exhibition and Market Place
19:30 – 22:00	<p>NEPAD/CTA Gala Dinner & Journalists/Media Award Ceremony</p> <p>Master of Ceremony – Dr. Andrew Kanyegirire, Head Communications, NEPAD Agency, South Africa</p> <p>Welcome Remarks – Dr. Ibrahim Mayaki, CEO, NEPAD Agency, South Africa</p> <p>Remarks – Mr. Michael Hailu, Director, CTA, The Netherlands</p> <p>Remarks – Mrs Alison Saunders, Chief Judge & Managing Director, SFa Communications, Barbados</p> <p>Keynote Address</p> <p>Mr. Jethro Greene, Chief Coordinator, Caribbean Farmers' Network, St Vincent and the Grenadines</p> <p>Presentation of Awards</p> <p>Dinner</p>

Day 4 Friday 18/11/2011

<i>Time</i>	<i>Activity</i>
8:00 – 9:00	WELCOME COFFEE
9:00 – 10:30	Plenary Session – Focus on Kenya Panel Discussion <i>Kenya Responding to the Food Crisis - Linking Knowledge to Policy and Action</i> Chair – Dr John Mutunga - Chief Executive Officer, Kenya National Federation of Agricultural Producers (KENFAP), Kenya Panellists Dr. Ephraim Mukisira - Director, Kenya Agricultural Research Institute, Kenya Mr. Julius Kiptarus, Director, Livestock Production, Ministry of Livestock Development Ms Carole Kariuki – Chief Executive Officer, Kenya Private Sector Alliance (KEPSA), Kenya Dr. Fred Wangati- Chairman, Research and Extension Thematic Working Group, Kenya Mr. Philip Kiriro, President, East Africa Farmers Forum, Kenya
10:30 – 11:00	COFFEE BREAK/ EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE
11:00 – 13:00	Thematic Parallel Session 6 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy• Capacity Development• Tools and Approaches• Learning Networks
13:00 – 14:30	LUNCH/ EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE <i>[From knowledge to prosperity: food for thought organized by FARA]</i>
14:30 – 15:30	Key Messages from Thematic Parallel Sessions & Side Events <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy – Judith Ann Francis, Thematic Chair, CTA, The Netherlands• Tools and Approaches – Myra Wopereis-Pura, Thematic Chair, FARA, Ghana• Capacity Development – Kristin Davis, Thematic Chair, GFRAS, Switzerland• Learning Networks, Arno Maatman, Thematic Chair, ICRA, The Netherlands• Resolutions of the GFRAS 2nd Annual Conference – Silim M. Nahdy, Chair AFAAS and GFRAS, Uganda
15:30 – 15:45	Interlude/ Entertainment

15:45 – 16:30

Official Closing Ceremony

- **Keynote Address**
Mr. Cheikh Mamadou Cissokho, Member Global Committee on Food Security, Senegal (tbc)
- Nairobi Declaration – Professor Aggrey Ambali, Director Policy Alignment, NEPAD Agency, South Africa
- Vote of Thanks

16:30 – 17:30

COFFEE BREAK/ EXHIBITION AND MARKET PLACE

Live Entertainment