

Global Pre-UN Food Systems Summit 2021 Dialogue

Global Dialogue of Higher Education, Research and Advisory Services Networks and selected Actors

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Moderator: Prof George K.T. Oduro, University of Cape Coast, Ghana

Draft Programme

Time	Session/Topic	Responsible Person
Session 1: Opening		
1700-1710	Welcome Remarks by Session Moderator	Prof George K.T. Oduro University of Cape Coast, Ghana
1710-1720	Background to the UN Food Systems Summit 2021 and the Pre- Summit Global dialogues	Prof Adipala Ekwamu, RUFORUM Executive Secretary
Session 2: Analysis of Current and Future Food Systems in Africa and the Americas		
1720-1735	Key Note Address: Perspectives from Africa: current and emerging trends	Prof Tawana Kupe, Vice Chancellor, University of Pretoria, South Africa
1735-1750	Perspectives from North America: current and emerging trends	Mr Bernie Burrola, Vice President for International Programmes, American Public and Land Grant Universities, USA
1750-1805	Perspectives from Central and Latin America: current and emerging trends	Ms. Tanya Muller Garcia, President, Zamorano University, Honduras
1805-1820	Responding to global Food Systems changes and challenges: need for more robust and adaptive education, research and extension	Prof Jose Zaglul, President, Global Consortium for Higher Education and Research in Agriculture (GCHERA)
1820-1840	Open Discussion	All
Session 3: Analysis of Current and Future Food Systems in Europe, Gulf States and Asia		
1840-1855	Perspectives from Europe: current and emerging trends	Professor Arthur Mol, Vice Rector, Wageningen University and Research (WUR), Netherlands
1855-1905	Perspectives from the Mashreq Region of the Middle East (Iraq, Jordan and	Dr Rabi H. Mohtar, American University of Beirut, Lebanon

	Lebanon): Opportunities and Challenges	
1905-1915	Asian Current and Emerging Trends for Transforming Food Security Systems	Prof. Ki Hee Ryu, Institute of Green Bio Science and Technology, Seoul National University, Korea
1915-1925	Perspectives from China: current and emerging trends	Dr LI LI, China Agricultural University, China
1925-1945	Open Discussion	Session Moderator
<p>Breakout sessions: <u>Strengthening Food Systems transformation for increased productivity, inclusivity and resilience</u></p> <p>Moderator: Dr Hlamalani Ngwenya, Sustainable Food Systems, University of Free State, South Africa</p>		
1945-1950	Welcome Remarks and guidance for the breakout sessions	Dr Hlamalani Ngwenya, University of Free State, South Africa
1950-2020	<p>Break out session 1: Research and Innovations for strengthening Global Food Systems: What are the issues and possible interventions?</p>	<p>Moderator (5'): Dr Hayden Montgomery, Global Research Alliance on Agricultural Greenhouse Gases (GRA), Uruguay</p> <p>Keynote Speaker (10'): Dr. Raffaele Maiorano, Acting Chairperson, Global Forum on Agricultural Research and Innovation (GFAR), FAO, Rome</p> <p>Discussion (15')</p> <p>Rapporteur: Dr Runyararo Jolyn Rukarwa, RUFORUM Secretariat, Uganda</p>
	<p>Break out session 2: Re-Imaging Agricultural Rural Advisory services in a dynamic global food system</p>	<p>Moderator (5'): Professor Daniel Sherrard, Former Provost, EARTH University, Costa Rica</p> <p>Keynote Speaker (10'): Dr Carl Eric Schou Larsen, Executive Secretary, Global Forum for Rural Advisory Services (GFRAS), Switzerland</p> <p>Respondent (05'): Dr Silim Nahdy, Executive Director, Forum for Agricultural</p>

		<p>Advisory Services in Africa (AFAAS)</p> <p>Discussion (10')</p> <p>Rapporteur: Dr Sylvanus Mensah, RUFORUM Secretariat, Uganda</p>
	<p>Break out session 3: Fostering global partnerships for collective response</p>	<p>Moderator (5'): Prof Alice Pell Former Vice Provost, Cornell University, USA</p> <p>Keynote Speaker (10'): Prof Stephen Onakuse, President AGRINATURA, Ireland</p> <p>Respondent (05'): University of the South Pacific</p> <p>Discussion (10')</p> <p>Rapporteur: Mr Emmanuel Okalany, RUFORUM Secretariat, Uganda</p>
2020-2040	<p>Report back and Plenary discussion (Led by Moderator)</p>	<p>Breakout session 1 rapporteur (4')</p> <p>Breakout session 2 rapporteur (4')</p> <p>Breakout session 3 rapporteur (4')</p>
2040-2050	<p>Wrap up of Emerging Issues and suggested actions</p>	<p>Dr Alice Mweetwa, RUFORUM Deputy Executive Secretary, Programme Development and Implementation</p>