Engaging African universities in agriculture, and food and nutrition security processes in Africa: A policy perspective

DISCUSSION ISSUES

1. What are key elements of the recent European Union and African Union policy documents on the Food Nutrition Security and Sustainable Agriculture (FNSSA) Roadmap that African Governments and their institutions need to position to respond to?

2. What are the funding modalities for the implementation of the roadmap? Will AUC play a role or will this be up to the Member States (as with ERA-Africa and LEAPagri programmes)?

3. How best could African Universities (and their European counter parts-eg. AGRINATURA) contribute to the development of the implementation protocols and needed joint actions?

4. What are the critical research issues that need to be prioritised?

5. How best could African Universities be engaged in implementation of CAADP?