

The Sudan National Consultations on the Pre-UN Food Systems Summit Dialogue

Date: 27th May 2021

Time: 09:00 – 12:30 Sudan Time

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Moderator/Chair: Assistant Professor Mayada Mamoun Beshir

Time	Session/Topic	Responsible Person	Contact
Opening Session			
09:00-09:07	Welcome Remarks by Session Moderator/Chair	Assistant Professor Mayada Mamoun Beshir (PhD) Biotechnology and Biosafety Research Centre, Agricultural Research Corporation (ARC)	P.O. Box 30, Shambat. Email: mayadabeshir2015@gmail.com Tel.: +249122331241; +249904427897
09:07-09:15	Official Opening	Eng. Abdelrahman Hatur, Under Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	P.O. Box 285, Khartoum. Email: moafuso@yahoo.com email: moafuso@yahoo.com Tel: +249919001750 (Khalid)
09:15-09:25	Background to the UN Food Systems Summit 2021 and the National and Regional dialogues	Professor Adipala Ekwamu, RUFORUM Executive Secretary	P.O. Box 16811, Plot 151/155 Garden Hill, Makerere University Main Campus, Wandegeya, Kampala, Uganda. Email: e.adipala@ruforum.org
Analysis of Key drivers affecting Agriculture and Food Systems in Sudan			
09:25-09:40	Key Note Paper 1: The Current status and issues on Food Systems in Sudan from Agricultural Research Corporation Perspectives	Director General, Professor Abdelmoniem Taha, Agricultural Research Corporation (ARC)	P.O. Box 30, Shambat. Email: ataha54@yahoo.com +249123016257 +249918534910
09:40-09:55	Key Note Paper 2: Perspective on policy issues needed to strengthen Food System Interventions in Sudan	Dr. Fatma Eltahir, Food Security Technical Secretariat Secretary General, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	P.O. Box 285, Khartoum. Email: Fatmaeltahir59@gmail.com Tel.: +249919001750
09:55-10:10	Key Note Paper 3: Analysis of the current Higher Education and STI Ecosystems in Sudan: Towards development of response capacity for development challenges and opportunities	Professor Sami Mohamed Sharif, Under Secretary, Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research	P. O. Box: 2081, Khartoum. Email: sami.m.sharif@gmail.com Tel.:+249968621374 (Wafa)
1010-1030	Discussion	Moderator	

10:30-10:40	Perspectives on addressing emerging challenges such as climate change and Environmental degradation	Associate Professor Muna Mohamed Elhag Musa (PhD), Water Management and Irrigation Institute (WMII), University of Gezira	P.O. Box 20, Wad Medani. Tel.: +249121 39 155 Email: munaelhag13@gmail.com monaelhaj@uofg.edu.sd
10:40-10:50	Perspectives on promoting inclusivity and addressing the needs of Smallholder farmers and Marketing opportunities	Eng. Tageldin Abdella Ahmed. Ministry of Agriculture, Gadarif State.	Gadarif. Email: Tageldin.abdalla@welthungerhilfe.de Tel.: +249124335591
10:50-11:00	Perspectives on changing Human Demographics in Sudan and implication for Agriculture and Food Systems: making Agriculture attractive to the youth	Dr. Salih Khairalla, Point of Enable Youth for Agri-Entrepreneurship Programme in Sudan	Khartoum. Email: salihkh2004@gmail.com Tel.: 0122255020
11:00-11:15	Discussion	Moderator	
11:15-11:25	Private sector perspectives on Food Systems in Sudan	Dr. Wagdi Mahgoob, Head, Mahgoub Sons Group.	P. O. Box 54 , Khartoum. Email: kamal.abdalla@mahgoubsons.com Tel.: 183782908 Mob.: 0123045343 (Dr. Kamal)
11:25-11:35	Role of the Arab Organisation for Agricultural Development in the Sudan National Food Systems Dialogue	Dr. Ali Musa, Arab Organisation for Agricultural Development (AOAD)	P. O. Box 474 – 11111 Khartoum. Email: aeissa1@gmail.com Tel.:+249912990387
11:35-11:45	Perspectives on Human Capital Development and Research needs for Sudan	Prof. Mohamed Mahgoob, Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Khartoum, Sudan	P. O. Box: 2081, Khartoum. Email: mohkadis@yahoo.com Tel.:+249968621374 (Wafa)
11:45-12:05	Open Discussion	Moderator	
Closing Session			
12:05-12:15	Summary of Emerging issues and recommendations for consideration by the Sudan Government	Professor Abdallah Mohamed Abdallah Yahia, Lecturer, University of Kordofan	P.O. Box: 51111, Elobied. Email: khalil2004@hotmail.com Tel.: +249122245431
12:15-12:25	Closing Remarks	Professor Sami Mohamed Sharif, Under Secretary, Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research	P. O. Box: 2081, Khartoum. Email: sami.m.sharif@gmail.com Tel.:+249968621374 (Wafa)