



Agricultural Extension Training in Africa: Process Skills and Competency Gaps in Undergraduate Extension Curriculum

Research Dissemination Workshop Agenda May 14-18, 2023 (Tentative)

Venue: Egerton University, Njoro, Kenya

Time	Topic	Speaker (Tentative)
Sunday, May 14, 2023: Arrival at Egerton University, Kenya		
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Day 1: Monday, May 15, 2023		
8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Registration with drinks/tea and snacks	
9:00 – 9:15 a.m.	Introduction of Participants	Dr. Agnes Oywaya
9:15 – 9:30 a.m.	Overview of the AAP PIRA Project in Africa	Professor Murari Suvedi
9:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Welcome Remarks	Vice Chancellor/Research Director, Egerton University, Njoro, Kenya
9:55 – 10:00 a.m.	Goodwill Message from the Vice Chancellor, University of Nigeria, Nsukka	Professor Charles Arinzechukwu Igwe
10:00 – 10:50 a.m.	Group Photo and Coffee Break	All Participants
10:50 – 11:50 a.m.	Revitalization of Agricultural Extension and Advisory Services in Africa	Professor Agwu Ekwe Agwu
11:50 – 12:50 noon	Strengthening Agricultural Extension Training in sub-Saharan Africa	Professor P.V.K. Sasidhar
12:50 – 1:30 p.m.	Framework for Revising Undergraduate Curriculum in Africa: The Nigeria Experience	Dr. Uju Clara Umo
1:30 - 2:40 p.m.	Lunch Break	
2:40 – 3:20 p.m.	Process Skills and Competency Gaps in Undergraduate Agricultural Extension Curriculum in Nigeria, Malawi, Kenya South Africa and Uganda	Professor Mabel Dimelu
3:20 – 4:00 p.m.	Developing the Next Generation of Extension Workers in sub-Saharan Africa	Professor Murari Suvedi
4:00 – 4:50 p.m.	Interactive Session	
4:50 – 5:10 p.m.	Wrap up	Dr. Ifeoma Anugwa
Day 2: Tuesday, May 16, 2023		
8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	
9:00 – 9:10 a.m.	Welcome Remarks	Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, LUANAR
9:10 – 9:40 a.m.	Strengthening Agricultural Extension Training in Nigeria	Dr. Ifeoma Anugwa
9:40 – 10:10 a.m.	Strengthening Agricultural Extension Training in Malawi	Dr. Frank Tchuwa
10:10 – 10:40 a.m.	Strengthening Agricultural Extension Training in Uganda	Professor Margaret Mangheni
10:40 – 11:30 a.m.	Interactive session	
11:30 – 12:00 noon	Coffee Break	

12:00–12:30p.m.	Strengthening Agricultural Extension Training in South Africa	Dr. Kristin Davis
12:30 – 1:00 p.m.	Strengthening Agricultural Extension Training in Kenya	Dr. Agnes Oywaya
1:00 – 1:40 p.m.	Interactive Session	Professor Mabel Dimelu
1:40 – 2:40 p.m.	Lunch Break	
2:40 – 3:00 p.m.	Formulating an Action Plan on Strengthening Agricultural Extension Training in Africa	Professor Agwu Ekwe Agwu
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Action Plan Working Groups – Brainstorming and Planning	All Participants
4:00 – 4:30 p.m.	Action Plan Working Groups – Presentation and Discussion	All Participants
4:30 – 5:20 p.m.	Wrap up	Professor Murari Suvedi
Day 3: Wednesday, May 17, 2023		
7:30 – 8: 30 a.m.	Breakfast	
8:30 – 8:40 a.m.	Introduction to the Training Modules	Professor Murari Suvedi
8:40 – 9:00 a.m.	Program Planning Skills and Competencies	Professor P.V.K. Sasidhar
9:00 - 9:20 a.m.	Program Implementation Skills and Competencies	Dr. Charity Chanza
9:20 – 9:40 a.m.	Communication Skills and Competencies	Professor Agwu Ekwe Agwu
9:40 – 10:00 a.m.	Information and Communication Technologies Skills and Competencies	Professor Agwu Ekwe Agwu
10:00 – 10:20 a.m.	Program Monitoring and Evaluation Skills and Competencies	Professor Murari Suvedi
10:20 – 10:50 a.m.	Coffee Break	
10:50 - 11:10 a.m.	Personal and Professional Development Skills and Competencies	Professor Mabel Dimelu
11:10 – 11:30 a.m.	Gender and Diversity Skills and Competencies	Dr. Ifeoma Anugwa
11:30– 11:50 a.m.	Agribusiness, Marketing and Value Chain Skills and Competencies	Ms. Lindie Von Maltiz
11:50 – 12:10 p.m.	Extension Soft Skills and Competencies	Dr. Agnes Oywaya
12.10 – 12:30 p.m.	Nutrition Skills and Competencies	Dr. Murari Suvedi
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch	
1:30 – 3:00 p.m.	Workshop Summary and Recommendations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Extension Curriculum Group - Extension Research Group - Extension Teaching Capacity Group - Extension System Group - Policy Recommendations 	Professor P.V.K. Sasidhar
3:00 – 3:20 p.m.	Closing Remarks	Professor Johnson Urama
4:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Guided Tour (Around the University and Surrounding Environment)	
7:00 – 8:30p.m.	Departure Dinner	
Thursday, May 18, 2023: Departure from Kenya		



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