



## ONLINE LEARNING EVENT PROGRAMME

### Agroforestry, food security and climate change

#### **Timeline of the learning event: from 5 to 26 February 2013**

Programmes and forums used for the learning event: AdobeConnect (webinars), DGroups and LinkedIn

Recorded webinars and additional information can be found online on : [www.fao.org/climatechange/micca/79527](http://www.fao.org/climatechange/micca/79527)

#### ❖ **WEBINAR 1:**

##### **Agroforestry for food security and climate change – Setting the objectives of the learning event**

Tuesday, 5 February at 15:30–17:00 (Rome Time - GMT +1) – 90 min

Facilitator: Emmanuel Torquebiau, Agricultural Research Centre for International Development - CIRAD

- ◆ Introduction to the series of webinars and common objectives (*Maria Nuutinen, FAO/ Climate, Energy and Tenure Division – NRC & Michelle Gauthier, FAO/Forestry Assessment, Management and Conservation Division - FOM*)
- ◆ Agroforestry and climate change (*Emmanuel Torquebiau, CIRAD*)
- ◆ Agroforestry Guidelines: *Advancing agroforestry on the policy agenda: A guide for decision makers* (*G rard Buttoud, consultant*)
- ◆ International Conference *Forests for Food Security and Nutrition (FFSN)*: content and expected contribution from the learning event (*Fred Kafeero, FAO/FOM*)

**Objectives of the webinar:** Give an overview of agroforestry and climate change mitigation, adaptation and food security and inspire participants to share their experiences. Introduce the learning event, its objectives and agenda, and provide information on the Agroforestry Guidelines and the FSSN Conference.

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#### ❖ **WEBINAR 2:**

##### **Cases of emerging opportunities for agroforestry in context of climate change – Intersectoral dialogue, gender, policies and practices**

Tuesday, 12 February at 15:30–17:00 (Rome Time - GMT +1) – 90 min

Intersectoral dialogue and policies for promoting agroforestry in the Southern African region: The case

- ◆ of the Agroforestry Policy Working Group in Malawi (*Godfrey Kundhlande, World Agroforestry Center - ICRAF*)
- ◆ Combining agricultural, forestry and climate change policy agendas (*Christian Dupraz, SupAgro, The French Association of Agroforestry and the European Agroforestry Federation*)
- ◆ Cacao and coffee in Central America for climate resilience and food security (*Eduardo Somarriba, Tropical Agricultural Research and Higher Education Center - CATIE*)
- ◆ Gender and agroforestry – ownership of trees in the context of climate change (*David Edmunds, The CGIAR Research Program on Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security - CCAFS*)

**Objectives of the webinar:** Learn from cases of intersectoral dialogue and policies that have been successful in implementing agroforestry in different regions of the world.

❖ **WEBINAR 3:**

**Governance, economics and financing for climate-smart agroforestry**

Thursday 14 February 15:30–17:00 (Rome Time - GMT +1) – 90 min

- ◆ Agroforestry and climate change adaptation and mitigation  
(*Henry Neufeldt, World Agroforestry Centre - ICRAF*)
- ◆ Carbon credit and extension services for small-scale farmers in practice: CASE ViAgroforestry  
(*Amos Wekesa, ViAgroforestry*)
- ◆ Coping with increased risks – Economics of agroforestry at the farm level (*Peter Dewees, World Bank*)
- ◆ Agroforestry policies for carbon, biodiversity and livelihoods: examples from Brazil  
(*Götz Schroth, Federal University of Western Pará, Brazil*)

**Objectives of the webinar:** Explore the best ways to overcome key governance, landscape management and economic constraints to promote agroforestry practices for climate change mitigation, adaptation and food security.

❖ **WEBINAR 4:**

**Recommendations to the International Conference on Forests for Food Security and Nutrition (May, 2013)**

Tuesday, 19 February at 15:30–17:00 (Rome Time - GMT +1) – 90 min

- ◆ Conclusions of the previous learning event discussions - Climate change, food security and nutrition key messages (*Maria Nuutinen, FAO/NRC & Michelle Gauthier, FAO/FOM*)
- ◆ The role of agroforestry in food and nutrition security (*Ramni Jamnadass, ICRAF*)
- ◆ Preparing the background paper for the FFSN Conference (*Ramni Jamnadass, ICRAF & Michelle Gauthier, FAO/FOM*)
  - Interactive plenary session to develop the background paper
  - Next steps to form the background paper for the FFSN Conference (May 2013)
- ◆ Main conclusions and recommendations arising from the webinar series – Follow-up of the learning event (*Michelle Gauthier, FAO/FOM & Maria Nuutinen, FAO/NRC*)

**Objectives of the webinar:** Receive advice for the preparation of the International Conference on Forests for Food Security and Nutrition (13 to 15 May, 2013), including the background paper. Identify key messages to the Conference.

❖ **POST WEBINAR (Email in the DGroup):**

Feedback of the learning event. Closing remarks by ICRAF, CATIE and other institutions.

**LINKS**

Website of the learning event: [www.fao.org/climatechange/micca/79527](http://www.fao.org/climatechange/micca/79527)

Enrollment form: <http://bit.ly/QM8NTK>

Link to the FFSN Conference: [www.fao.org/forestry/food-security](http://www.fao.org/forestry/food-security)

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