

DAY 1 – Tuesday 15th May 2018	
7:30-8:15	Early-bird Breakfast Meeting Invitation only session for pre-event sponsored briefing
8:00	Registration & Exhibition Opens Start your day in the event hotel with tea, coffee and pastries
9:00	Welcome Nick Henry, Founder and CEO, Aid & International Development Forum
9:05	Opening Keynote Address Richard Munang, Regional Climate Change Co-ordinator, United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)
9:15	<p>Panel Discussion: Thinking big: Scaling up smart farms Agriculture in Sub-Saharan Africa (SSA) is predominantly rain-fed, and erratic weather patterns and extreme weather events, exacerbated by the changing climate, adds to the challenges faced by smallholder farmers in producing enough food to feed the ever growing population of the region. While there is a proliferation of small initiatives, lasting impact requires the scaling-up of appropriate interventions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evaluation of existing strategies to increase crop yields - Working towards sustainable climate resilience - Strengthening and expanding institutions to improve distribution of information <p>Pauline Wambeti, Country Director Kenya, Nuru Mike Chikakuda, Country Director Malawi, Face2face</p>
10:05	Innovation Spotlight
10:10	Presentation: Research and capacity building in Climate-Smart Agriculture Abdelbagi Ismail, Representative for Eastern and Southern Africa, International Rice Research Institute (IRRI)
10:40	<p>Panel Discussion: Sharing Innovation: The long road to enriching farmer's livelihoods The development in CSA technologies offers a multitude of unquestionable benefits for communities. So why are they not more prevalent in rural communities? How do you overcome barriers to adoption and encourage wide-spread uptake?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Demonstrating the value of new initiatives with clear and tangible ROI for all stakeholders through effective education - Ensuring access to investment for new projects - Balancing innovation with sustainability <p>Christopher Hoffman, Regional Disaster Management Director, World Vision International (WVI) Noble Banadda, Chairman, Department of Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering, Makerere University Engida Manderfo, Deputy Secretary General, Red Cross Ethiopia Bill Rustrick, CEO, Clinton Development Initiative (CDI)</p>
11:30	Morning Break
12:00	<p>Panel Discussion: Minority report- Inadequate empowerment of women and youth Women and young people contribute significantly to food production in Africa, yet remain marginalised and lack access to factors of production. How can more effective inclusion attempts transform not only equality but the productivity in the industry?</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evolution of gender-specific differences in the capacity to adapt to and mitigate climate change - Overcoming gender stereotypes on such issues as land and water rights, education, access to technologies, labour, capital, support services and credit - Working with young population to encourage agri-entrepreneurs and stem excessive urban migration <p>Wanjiru Kamau , Rutenberg, Director, African Women in Agricultural Research Zakariyyah Musa Olabode, Director, Youth for Sustainable Development Organisation Priscilla Achakpa, Executive Director, Women Environmental Programme Asanterabi Sang'anoi, Principal Economist, PM's office, Tanzania</p>
12:55	Innovation Spotlight
13:00	<p>Networking Lunch</p> <p>Meet your peers and new contacts relevant to your work by choosing a themed lunch table. This will not be a moderated session, but rather an opportunity meeting like-minded participants and enjoy an interesting conversation over lunch.</p>
14:00	<p>Panel Discussion: Innovative financing models for CSA</p> <p>Increasing climate adaptation and resilience of agriculture requires investments in infrastructure at different scales, from regional to national to river basin and farm level. In order to adopt climate-smart agricultural practices, smallholder farmers need access to sufficient and adequate finance and skills to rightly use finance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Developing tailored financial products and services - Competence building to support smallholder farmers and small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) to invest in CSA practices and businesses. - Establishing clear ROI for CSA initiatives. <p>Noelle O'Brien, Team Leader, FICCF Stephen Muchuri, CEO, East Africa Farmers Federation (EAFF)</p>
14:50	Innovation Spotlight
14:55	<p>Panel Discussion: A view from above: Inadequate coordinated, supportive and enabling policy frameworks</p> <p>Implementing CSA requires the development of supportive policies and frameworks, as well as coordination across programs and institutions responsible for agriculture, climate change, food security, land use, water management and energy generation to avoid inconsistencies and promote harmonisation of efforts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Working within the parameters of existing policy frameworks and overcoming compatibility challenges - Tailoring approaches to meet regional and national requirements - Establishing more effective policy and regulatory landscape for further growth <p>Maureen Sigauke, Co-Founder & Executive Director, Green Active Citizens Trust Tom Kitts, Chairman, Self Help Africa</p>
15:40	Refreshment Break
16:10	<p>Panel Discussion: The One with the Water: Water Smart Agriculture</p> <p>Small-scale irrigation water management is transforming reliance and productivity of Commercial Climate-Smart agriculture practices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evaluation of effective irrigation practice - Improving soil cultivation to reduce water loss - Renewable generation for CSA technologies <p>John Kinaga, Director- Programmes & Partnerships-Africa, Kickstart</p>

	Lawrence Kiguro , Associate Director, Livelihoods and Resiliency, World Vision Kenya
16:55	Panel Discussion: Global Climate-Smart Agriculture: A comparative view In this panel several countries are sharing new experiences on how to produce food in ways that help farmers cope with the impacts of climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in agriculture
17:45	Closing Keynote: Bringing production closer to consumption Adrian Vanderknaap, Deputy Regional Director, World Food Programme (WFP)
18:00 - 19:30	Network Drinks Reception

DAY 2 – Wednesday 16th May 2018	
7:30- 8:15	Early-bird Breakfast Meeting Invitation only session for pre-event sponsored briefing
8:00	Registration & Exhibition Opens Start your day in the event hotel with tea, coffee and pastries
9:00	Welcome Alexandra Brown, Product Manager, AIDF
9:10	Opening Keynote Address Worknesh Mekonnen Gonet, Director, United Nations Office for Project Services Ethiopia Operational Hub (UNOPS) David Del Conte, Partnerships Advisor, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS ETOH)
9:30	Panel Discussion: Combined powers: Why partnerships are become more and more important in Climate-Smart agriculture Partnership is a critical step to achieve a systematic change in how to address the challenge of providing food security and improving livelihoods in the face of climate change. Through working together, Climate-Smart Agriculture (CSA) can be moved to the next level. - Identify common goals and foster new working partnerships that can deliver systemic change on the ground - Improving coordination amongst all actors through knowledge management and evidence sharing - Support with working with a multitude start-ups to governments Richard Munang, Regional Climate Change Co-ordinator, United Nations Environmental Program (UNEP) Evan Girvetz, Senior Scientist, International Centre for Tropical Agriculture (ICTA) Dyborn Charlie Chibonga , Regional Head , Malawi & Mozambique Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA)
10:25	Innovation Spotlight
10:30	Morning Break
11:10	Roundtable Session: CSA Best Practice These interactive tables will give participants the opportunity to discuss key opportunities and challenges for CSA with industry peers to help formulate key takeaways and action points for the coming year. Table 1: Off-grid renewable generation for sustainable CSA practices

	<p>Table 2: Future proofing and CSA- working towards preparedness and resilience</p> <p>Table 3: Finding actionable insight in weather data for Agriculture transformation</p> <p>Table 4: Women’s Empowerment/initiatives and their small business efforts in water and power</p> <p>Table 5: Ensuring Water security</p> <p>Table 6: Innovations in irrigation</p> <p>Table 7: Microfinancing and private sector engagement in CSA</p> <p>Table 8: From Seed Security to Food Security</p>
12:10	Innovation Spotlight
12:15	<p>Presentation: The power of agricultural intelligence and open data</p> <p>Using the data collected can enable high-level insights that benefit rural economies. But not all farmers have access to data or tools and understanding to make actionable insight from generated information. How can we enable more effective decision making and promote transparency?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The value of open data for all stakeholders to have access and enhance their cultivation practices - Establishing unified approach in regards to access to data and ownership of data - The nexus between agricultural extension and ICT4Ag to harness AI driven innovations <p>Kiringai Kamau, Programme Lead, UoN's Center for Agricultural Networking and Information Sharing (CANIS)</p>
12:35	Innovation Spotlight
	<p>Panel Discussion : Africa’s Quiet Revolution in Agriculture: Insurance and Ensurance</p> <p>Insurance services reduce vulnerability in case of shock by providing quick access to liquidity and increasing initiatives to invest in agriculture. However, farmers need to double up their efforts in ensuring quality for better insurance payouts.</p>
12.40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Making fair premiums available to all - Government contribution to long-term solutions such as investments in data (weather, yield) risk financing arrangements and creation of an enabling legal environment <p>Jonathan Hellin, Senior Scientist, International Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (IMWC)</p>
13.15	<p>Networking Lunch</p> <p>Meet your peers and new contacts relevant to your work by choosing a themed lunch table. This will not be a moderated session, but rather an opportunity meeting like-minded participants and enjoy an interesting conversation over lunch.</p>
14:30	<p>Innovator of the Year Award</p> <p>Judges (TBC)</p>
14:45	Changing the face of farming: Is regenerative agriculture the next best thing?
15:30	<p>Closing Keynote</p> <p>What exactly is CSA? Is it merely no till, drip irrigation and water saving or is there more?</p> <p>Johanes Koku Nyagblordzro - Executive Chairman, Centre for Africa Development and Progress</p>
15:45	End of Summit