

Korea's Global ODA Forum for Sustainable Agricultural Development

- The Present and Future of Development Projects and Strategies to Achieve Sustainability

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The Shilla Seoul (Ruby Hall), Seoul, Republic of Korea

Hosted by Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and Rural Affairs (MAFRA) of the Republic of Korea

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Despite technological advances in food production, food security issues persist with approximately 850 million people undernourished around the globe. Faced with this grave challenge, international organizations and countries have arduously strived to ensure food security and develop rural areas. Their extensive, invaluable policy experiences that have been accumulated over the years would offer insights and lessons to relevant stakeholders working in agricultural and rural development cooperation. To be part of this global effort, the Korean government developed and started various programs for the development of agriculture and rural areas.

This forum is Korea's another initiative in its efforts toward agricultural and rural development and it will bring together stakeholders in the field. The forum will be held in April 4 2017 and representatives from organizations and countries around the world are invited to share their lessons and insights learned from policy experiences. They will also introduce current policies, including policy implementation, project management and best practices to achieve sustainability.

Objectives / Expected Outcomes

The forum will discuss agricultural and rural development cooperation projects, issues arising from execution and lessons learned in the process. It will also address some vital factors in planning and implementing a sustainable ODA project: stability of food prices, capacity of global and local institutions, financing, challenges in cooperation and partnerships in rural areas and application of technology, knowledge and innovation.

This forum aims to:

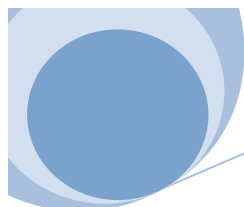
- Bring together stakeholders to share their own strategies for development cooperation in agriculture and rural areas and effective performance management to achieve sustainable projects
- Have in-depth discussion on the best approaches to improve effectiveness in the implementation of agricultural and rural development projects.

Themes

The forum will focus on the following topics so as to facilitate our search for concrete solutions to some long-standing issues and problems in the area of agricultural/rural development:

- Trends and Strategies for International Development Cooperation in the Agricultural Sector
- Promoting Sustainable International Rural & Agricultural Cooperation Projects through Performance Management
- Sharing Success Stories of ICT-based International Agricultural Cooperation

The discussions will be an invaluable asset to MAFRA and other participating organizations in setting their strategies for international agricultural cooperation projects.



Time	Title/Description
09:30-10:00	Registration
10:00-10:05	Opening Speech <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kim, Jae Soo (Minister, MAFRA)
10:05-10:15	Congratulatory remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kim, Chang Gil (President, KREI) Park, Chulsoo (President, EPIS)
10:15-10:30	[Keynote Speech] Ways for Sustainable International Agricultural Cooperation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kundhavi Kadiresan (Assistant Director-General, FAO)
10:30-10:45	Introduction and Invitation to IPPC CPM-12 Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jingyuan Xia (Secretary, IPPC)
Session 1: Trends and Strategies for International Development Cooperation in the Agricultural Sector	
11:00-11:20	[Presentation 1-1] FAO's Strategy for International Agricultural Development, its Projects and Future Prospect <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kundhavi Kadiresan (FAO)
11:20-11:40	[Presentation 1-2] IFAD's Strategic Framework and Future Prospect <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paul Winters (IFAD)
11:40-12:00	[Presentation 1-3] Korea's Strategy for International Agricultural Cooperation, its Progress and Future Plans <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jeong, Il Jeong (MAFRA)
12:00-12:30	[Discussion 1] <i>Designing Better Strategies for International Agricultural Cooperation for Development</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair: Lee, Myung Soo (Former Deputy Minister of MAFRA) Designated Discussant: Kwak, Jae Seong (Kyung Hee University) (tentative) David J. Nielson (World Bank)
12:30-14:00	Luncheon
Session 2: Promoting Sustainable International Rural & Agricultural Cooperation through Performance Management	
14:00-14:20	[Presentation 2-1] World Bank's Performance Management for Agricultural Development in Developing Countries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Juergen Voegelé (World Bank)
14:20-14:40	[Presentation 2-2] Unresolved in Rural Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nicholas Maddock (UNDP)
14:40-15:00	[Presentation 2-3] ADB's Experience of Rural Development in Asian Countries: Improving Performance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mahfuz Ahmed (Asian Development Bank)
15:00-15:30	[Discussion 2] <i>Promoting Sustainable International Rural & Agricultural Cooperation</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair: Hong, Eun-Pyo (Sangmyung University) Designated Discussant: Im, Jeong Bin (Seoul National University) Kim, Tae Yun (Seoul National University)
Session 3: Sharing the Stories of Successes & Failures of ICT-based International Agricultural Cooperation	
15:30-15:50	[Presentation 3-1] World Bank's ICT-based Agricultural Development Projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> David J. Nielson (World Bank)
15:50-16:10	[Presentation 3-2] Indonesian Case of Successful Agricultural Development Project based on ICT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leli Nuryati (Indonesian Ministry of Agriculture & Rural Development)
16:10-16:30	[Presentation 3-3] Korea's ICT related Agricultural Projects and Lessons Learned <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lee, Sang Hun (EPIS)
16:30-17:00	[Discussion 3] <i>Sharing the Stories of Successes & Failures of ICT-Based International Agricultural Cooperation</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair: Rhee, Cheul (Ajou University) Designated Discussant: Song, Yang Hoon (Chungbuk National University) Benoit Thierry (IFAD)
Session 4: Open Discussion	
17:00-17:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair: Heo, Jang (KREI)
17:30-17:40	Closing Ceremony

* Details are subject to change

* Moderator: Lee, Dae Seob (KREI)