

2017 AquaFish Innovation Lab Africa Regional Meeting
Kampala, Uganda
9-12 January 2017

DRAFT AGENDA

Objectives

1. Review progress of AquaFish projects in four African countries.
2. Learn about successful efforts to reach and support farmers with AquaFish research findings, guidance, and progress towards exit plans.
3. Prepare for closeout through a mutual understanding of reporting requirements, deadlines, and progress towards capacity building and gender integration.

Sunday 8 January

Most U.S. flights arrive late evening
Arrival of Guests; taxi from Airport (\$30)
Lodging at Sheraton Hotel

Monday 9 January

12:30 PM Makerere University Deans and project leaders meeting with HC&USPIs for Uganda—*lunch at Sheraton*

6:00 Opening reception & Cash Bar, Sheraton Kampala

Tuesday 10 January, Sheraton Kampala

8:30 AM Host Country Welcome & Orientation—*Chair: Prof. Theodora Hyuha, Makerere University; John Walakira, NaFIRRI*

8:45 AM Regional Meeting Purpose and Introductions—*Hillary Egna, AquaFish*

9:15 AM Discussion of 2016 – 2018 AquaFish Innovation Lab projects—main findings for each study or activity, steps forward, challenges, achievements, setbacks, next steps [*Objective 1*]

- Update on Kenya Projects- *Charles Ngugi, Julius Manyala & Kevin Fitzsimmons*
- Update on Ghana Projects- *Steve Amisah, Regina Edziyie, Daniel Adjei-Boateng, Kwasi Obirikorang & Kwamena Quagraine*

10:15 AM BREAK

10:30 AM Discussion of 2016 – 2018 AquaFish Innovation Lab projects—achievements, setbacks, next steps (continued)

- Update on Tanzania Projects- *Sebastian Chenyambuga, Nazeel Madalla & Kwamena Quagraine*
- Update on Uganda Projects- *Theodora Hyuha, John Walakira & Joe Molnar*

11:30 AM AquaFish Program-wide Impact Assessment on Feeds – *Hillary Egna & Jenna Borberg*

11:45 AM Open Data Requirements – *Jenna Borberg*

12:00 PM WORKING LUNCH - Breakout Group Discussions on Successful Closeouts [*Objective 3*]-
Chair: Dr. Nazeel Madalla

- Exit Strategies- *Hillary Egna and Jenna Borberg*

2:00 PM Activity updates from related projects in Uganda- *Chair: Dr. Sebastian Chenyambuga*

- International Livestock Research Institute Uganda Activities—*Ben Lukuyu, ILRI Kampala*
- WAFICOS: A Case of Fish Farmer Cooperation in Uganda—*Ben Kiddu, WAFICOS*

2:45 PM **Symposium on Outreach** [*Objective 2*] Presentations summarizing a workshop, field day, demonstration event success story; what works, what is needed, the way forward for reaching farmers for training, problem solving, motivation—presentations by HC PIs and colleagues- *Chair: Dr. Kwamena Quagraine*

- Ghana – *Steve Amisah*
- Kenya – *Charles Ngugi*

3:45 PM BREAK

4:00 PM Symposium on Outreach, continued- *Chair: Prof. Julius Manyala*

- Tanzania--*Sebastian Chenyambuga, Rebecca Lochman*
- Uganda – *Gertrude Atukunda*

6:00 – 8:30 PM Dinner; Mobile phone technology for aquaculture- *Izak Omiat*

Wednesday 11 January – FIELD TRIP -- UGANDA AQUACULTURE- *Ben Kiddu, WAFICOS and John Walakira*

7:30 AM Leave on bus from Sheraton Hotel for Jinja visit *subset* of sites listed—all participants

Thursday 12 January, Sheraton Kampala

8:00 AM Closing session - Recap from Day 1 and Day 2 – *Joe Molnar*

8:30 AM Future Meetings: AquaFish Session at WAS South Africa, Asia Regional Meeting, AquaFish Closeout Meeting preceding Las Vegas 2018 WAS—*Hillary Egna*

9:00 AM Sustaining and Enhancing Impacts of AquaFish – *Hillary Egna, AquaFish; group discussion to follow*

9:30 AM Carryover issues- group meetings, cross-country collaborations

Saturday 15 January, NaFIRRI Site Visit

Visit to NaFIRRI Kajjansi Station to review lungfish reproduction and nutrition research;