

Cambridge Global Food Security Symposium 2019: Generating Practical Solutions for India and Africa

DAY 1: MONDAY 8th April, 2019

8:30	Registration and Coffee
9:15	Opening Address

THEME 1: Greenhouse gas emissions and sustainable agriculture	
<i>Chair: Dr Alison Bentley, Head of Genetics and Breeding, NIAB</i>	
9:30	The environmental impacts of food <i>Professor Pete Smith, Chair in Plant & Soil Science, University of Aberdeen</i>
9:50	Rice in India: environment, economy and society; mashing/meshing disciplines <i>Professor Barbara Harriss-White, Professor Emeritus of Development Studies, University of Oxford</i>
10:10	Accounting for water use in crop production <i>Professor Howard Griffiths, Professor of Plant Ecology, University of Cambridge</i>
10:30	Panel discussion with Q&A

11:00	Coffee and Networking
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THEME 2: Food supply chains and trade	
<i>Chair: Dr Shailaja Fennell, Senior Lecturer in Development Studies, University of Cambridge</i>	
11:30	Title tbc <i>Dr Melissa Barrett, Managing Director, Accenture Strategy</i>
11:50	Evaluating the impact of digital technologies on future food supply chains – implications for developed and developing markets. <i>Dr Jagjit Srail, Head, Centre for International Manufacturing, University of Cambridge</i>
12:10	The role of farmer-producer organisations in developing socially responsible supply networks <i>Dr Tomas Harrington, Senior Lecturer, Norwich Business School, University of East Anglia</i>
12:30	Panel discussion with Q&A

13:00	Lunch and posters
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14:00	Three-minute flash presentations by Early Career Researchers
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15:00	<i>Coffee and Networking</i>
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THEME 3: Gender, nutrition and policy	
<i>Chair: Dr Rob Doubleday, Executive Director, Cambridge Centre for Science and Policy</i>	
15:30	Building a sustainable food system for inclusive economic growth in Africa: the policy, gender, and nutrition considerations <i>Dr Agnes Kalibata, President, Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA)</i>
15:50	Gender justice, women's agricultural work and nutrition security in South Asia <i>Professor Nitya Rao, Gender and Development, University of East Anglia</i>
16:10	Title tbc <i>Professor Bina Agarwal, Professor of Development Economics and Environment, University of Manchester</i>
16:30	Panel discussion with Q&A

18:00	<i>Drinks reception</i>
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DAY 2: TUESDAY 9th April, 2019

Both workshops run 9:00 – 16:30

Workshop A: an invitation-only workshop that is intended to lead to a published paper summarising key elements for future focus.

Workshop B: an open workshop focused on generating pilot projects, the best of which will be awarded seed funding (early career researchers are encouraged).