



Inclusive Business Development for Food Security

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Research & Policy: two peas in a pod? A dialogue for food security impact

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Session programme

- Introduction “Inclusive Business Development in Food Security”
- Pitches by ARF & GCP projects
- World Café - table discussions
- Plenary exchange of actions
- Wrap-up and follow-up



Introduction

Inclusive Business Development in Food Security

Guus van Westen, Utrecht University – GCP project leader



ARF & GCP pitches

- ARF “*Mozambique: land, inclusive business & food security*” - **Kei Otsuki** (Utrecht University)
- ARF “*Utilization of Organic Waste to Improve Agricultural Productivity in Ghana*” - **Yirenya-Tawiah Dzidzo** (University of Ghana)
- ARF “*Ensuring Sustainable and Sustained Food Security by Enhancing local parboiled rice value-Chain Competitiveness in Gogounou and Banikoara areas in Benin*”- **Raoul Balogoing** (DEDRAS-ONG)
- GCP “*Inclusive value chain collaboration in Ghana and South Africa*” **Petronella Chaminuka** – (Agricultural Research Council of South Africa)
- GCP “*Follow the Food – Dutch agribusiness and local food security in Africa*” - **Ellen Mangnus** (Utrecht University)



Policy response

- Geert Westenbrink (*Ministry of Agriculture, Nature and Fisheries*)
- Johan Veul (Ministry of Foreign Affairs)



World Café

One concept note statement / dilemma is discussed per table:

Round 1: What does this dilemma mean to you? (20min)

Round 2: What is the role of policy in this? Is change needed? (20min)

Round 3: What can you (as individual or within your organisation) do to contribute to this change? (20min)



Exchange of Actions

Round 4: What will you (as individual or within your organisation) do (differently) to contribute to this change?

> Post-it on the flipchart



Wrap up & Follow-up

How will the research – policy dialogue on Inclusive Business Development be taken forward?