



Advancing Climate Smart Aquaculture Technologies (ACliSAT)

Hybrid Closure workshop, Cairo – Egypt,

Wednesday, 21 June, 2023, (10:00 – 14:00) Cairo local time

[Sheraton hotel, Dokki-Cairo, Egypt](#)

[Zoom link](#)

Provisional agenda

#	Time	Item
1.	09:30 – 10:00	Welcome and registration
2.	10:00 – 10:20	Opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ahmed Nasr-Allah, PhD, Country Director, WorldFish, Egypt office ▪ Richard Abila, PhD, Senior Global Technical Specialist, Fisheries and Aquaculture, (IFAD), IFAD Intervention objectives ▪ Salah Mesalhy Aly, PhD, Professor, Chair of Lakes and Fish Resources Protection and Development Agency (LFRPDA), Egyptian Cabinet ▪ The Agriculture Research Centre (ARC), Egypt
3.	10:20 – 10:50	<p>A. The (ACliSAT) interventions and results; project area, beneficiaries, key interventions, inputs, outputs, sustainability and scaling;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ahmed Ashraf, Research Assistant, WorldFish-Egypt <p>The (ACliSAT) challenges and lessons-learned by project partners</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ethiopia: Minwelet Mingist, PhD, Bahir Dar University ▪ Eritrea: Adonay Heruy, Ministry of Marine Resource ▪ Egypt: The Central Laboratory for Aquaculture and Research (CLAR), Egypt <p>B. Testimonial video</p> <p>A recorded documentary for project beneficiaries of “Owner of Private Farm, CEO of an Integrated Farm, Hatchery Owner and In-Pond Raceway Farmer”</p>
4.	10:50 – 11:20	Plenary session Visions and insights: Acceleration of Development and Adoption of Climate Smart Aquaculture Innovations in Egypt

		<p>A. Fostering national efforts towards mainstreaming smart innovations in aquaculture, in line with the “National Climate Agenda 2050” Salah Mesalhy Aly, PhD, Professor, Chair of Lakes and Fish Resources Protection and Development Agency (LFRPDA), Egyptian Cabinet</p> <p>B. (IFAD)’s vision for scaling-up Climate Smart Aquaculture through the lens of (NWFE) program in Egypt Mohamed Abdelgadir, PhD, Head of (IFAD) Multi-Country office in Cairo, Egypt</p>
5.	11:20– 11:30	Group photo
	11:30 – 12:00	Coffee Break
6.	12:00 – 13:00	<p>Plenary Discussion</p> <p>Title: Accelerating transition of traditional systems into advancing climate smart aquaculture technologies towards adaptation of improved culture practices in emerging and existing aquaculture sectors in Egypt and Africa</p> <p>Facilitated by: WorldFish</p> <p>Audience: Stakeholders (partners, CLAR, ARC, LFRPDA, ACliSAT consultants, academicians, University professors, representatives of private sector, AU-IBAR AWFISHNET, media practitioners and beneficiaries of farmers and women retailers)</p> <p>A. Open-discussion: <u>Brainstorming Questions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ What challenges constrain the transition to climate smart systems in aquaculture industry? ▪ Are the existing national strategies foster job creation in aquaculture sector especially for women retailers? If yes, how? If no, please explain. ▪ Which lessons-learned can be identified in using (e.g. IPRS, IAA and Aquaponics) systems to increase the sustainability and productivity of the smart aquaculture systems? ▪ How to foster cooperative actions towards scaling-up the aquaculture sector for maximizing growth, efficiency and development? <p>B. Reflections, recommendations and conclusions</p>
7.	13:00 – 13:10	<p>Closing remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ahmed Nasr-Allah, PhD, Country Director of WorldFish-Egypt ▪ Richard Abila, PhD, Senior Global Technical Specialist, Fisheries and Aquaculture, (IFAD)
	13:10 – 14:00	Lunch