

WORKSHOP PROGRAMME

NIGERIA AQUACULTURE DIALOGUE: PITCH YOUR BUSINESS CONCEPT

07 TO 08 MAY 2024

VENUE: CONFERENCE CENTER, INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TROPICAL
AGRICULTURE (IITA), IBADAN, NIGERIA

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Day 1: Tuesday 07 th May 2024		
Time	Activity	Presenter
8.00-9.00	Arrival of participants and registration	
	Moderator/Master of Ceremony: Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State	
Opening session		
9.00-9.10	Welcome address by the Director General of WorldFish	Dr. Essam Mohammed, Director General, WorldFish
9.10-9.15	Welcome address, WorldFish, Nigeria	Dr. Sunil Siriwardena/Officer-in-Charge, WorldFish, Nigeria
9.15-9.25	Opening speech by Prof. Olanike Adeyemo	Prof. of Veterinary Public Health and Preventive Medicine and Secretary to the State Government, Oyo State
9.25-9.35	Address by H.E. Svein Baera	Norwegian Ambassador in Nigeria
9.35-9.45	Vision for the development of aquaculture industry in Nigeria. Address by Federal Department of Fisheries	Dr. Omoragbon Wellington/Director, Federal Department of Fisheries
9.45-10.15	Five years of WorldFish engagement in Nigeria: Reflections	Dr. Rohana Subasinghe/Technical Lead, WorldFish Nigeria
10.15-10.25	Workshop overview and objectives	Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State (Moderator)
10.25 – 11.00	<i>Tea break and group photograph</i>	
Session 1: Setting the Scene		
11.00-11.30	Nigeria's investment environment in aquaculture value chain: Setting the scene	Akinola Baiyewu/The Nigeria Incentive-Based Risk Sharing System for Agricultural Lending
Session 2: Improving pre-farm gate value chain		

11.30 – 11.50	Bridging the gap in local nursery fish feed production	Dr. Olagbade Olagun/Premier feed mills
11.50 – 12.10	Soybean and fish feed extrusion: The bedrock to sustainable aquaculture in Nigeria	Dr. David Olaniyan/Good seeds
12.10 – 12.30	Small farms with big impact: The case for building resilient commercial smallholder farms in Nigeria.	Dada 'Foluso/Aller Aqua
12.30-12.50	Making aquaculture robust through species diversification beyond catfish and tilapia production in Nigeria	Sejiro Michael Oke-tojину/Sejfarm Ventures
12.50-13.15	<i>Session 2: Discussion (part I)</i>	Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State (Moderator)
13.15 – 14.15	Lunch	
14.15 – 14.35	Improving catfish seed supply and production	Ajose Israel/Great Aquaculture
14.35 - 14.55	Enhancing Nigeria's Aquaculture Sector: Reviving genetics strains of African catfish for improved growth and sustainability	Seyi Adeleke-Ige/Skretting
14.55 – 15.15	Genetic improvement of commercially important traits in the African catfish, <i>Clarias gariepinus</i>	Dr. Suleiman Isa/Spring Continental Harvest Ltd.
15.15 – 15.45	<i>Session 3: Discussion (part II)</i>	Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State (Moderator)
15.45-16.05	Improving tilapia value chain in Nigeria	Hasan Mundu/ Myra Fish Farm
16.05-16.25	Consolidating GIFT tilapia seed supply and production	Dr. Rajeev Kumar/Premium Aquaculture Ltd.
16.25 – 16.45	Commercial Tilapia Production: Panacea to effective optimization of the aquaculture value chain in Nigeria	Lasisi Nurudeen/Aller Aqua
16.45-17.15	<i>Session 3: Discussion (part III)</i>	Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State (Moderator)
17.15	Tea break and day one close	
End of Day 1		
Day 2: Wednesday 08th May2024		
Session 3: Improving post farm gate value chain		
9.00-9.10	Reflecting on Day 1	Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State (Moderator)

9.10-9.30	Climate smart fish processing	Shelika Oluwafunmilola/ African Women Fish Processors and Traders Network (AWFISHNET)
9.30-9.50	Solar Powered Refrigeration and Cold Chain; a panacea to fish waste, distribution and reduced GHG methane emissions	Yusuf Bilesanmi/Eja Ice Ltd.
9.50-10.10	Improving quality control of fish and fish products	Bernadette Ngozi Okonkwo/Atlantic Shrimpers
10.10-10.40	<i>Session 3: Discussion</i>	Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State (Moderator)
10.40-11.10	<i>Tea break</i>	
Session 4: Cooperative and association perspective		
11.10-11.30	'Tilapia aquapark' for smallholder farmers on the Epe Lagos Lagoon	Tiamiyu Nurudeen/TADAN
11.30-11.50	Transforming Ijebu Development Initiative for Poverty Reduction into an enterprise	Marcus Adeniyi/IDIPR
11.50-12.10	Increasing fish production and Value addition through the farm cluster system	Momoh Mustapha/CAFAN
12.10-12.30	Building resilience and nutrition security trough <i>Pangasius</i> catfish production	Abel J. Lakyam/Association of Northern Agriculture and Allied Commodities Practitioners
12.30-13.00	<i>Session 4: Discussion</i>	Prof. Festus Adeosun/Federal University of Technology, Abeokuta, Ogun State (Moderator)
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch	
Session 5: Plenary discussions		
14.00 - 15.00	Opportunities to financing the development of aquaculture value chain-Banks perspective: A discussion	Representatives from the banks and moderated by Akinola Baiyewu
14.30 – 16.30	Plenary discussion and close	Moderated by Dr. Rohana Subasinghe