

CONCEPT NOTE FOR THE WORKSHOP ON CLIMATE CHANGE, GENDER, AND LIVELIHOODS AMONG FISHER COMMUNITIES IN THE LAKE VICTORIA ZONE REGION IN KENYA



DATE: 25TH-26TH SEPTEMBER 2023

VENUE: FLORENCE HOTEL, MIGORI

DAY 1 (MONDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2023)

Time	Activity
08:00-09:00	Arrival and registration (ALL) Person in charge: Kevin Ouko (Research Associate, WorldFish)
09:00-09:30	<p>WELCOME SESSION:</p> <p>Moderator: Dorothy Amwata, Murang'a University of Technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rahma Adam– Lead Scientist, Social and Economic Inclusion, WorldFish Philip Osano – Africa Director, Stockholm Environment Institute (SEI) George Okoth – Chief Fisheries Officer, Homa Bay County <p>Official Opening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lukas Musenda – County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary services, Fisheries & Blue Economy
09:30-10:30	<p>SESSION 1: INTRODUCTION AND SCENE SETTING</p> <p>Moderator: Paul Oloo, Director Meteorological Services, Migori County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction of participants (All) Workshop objectives and expected outcomes (Rahma Adam, WorldFish) <p>Keynote Speech: Climate Change and Fisheries in Kenya</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Betsy Muthoni Njagi, Principal Secretary - Blue Economy, Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs (INVITED)
10:30-11:00	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
11:00-12:45	<p>SESSION 2: SCOPING STUDY ON CLIMATE CHANGE AND FISHERIES IN MIGORI AND HOMA BAY COUNTIES</p> <p>Moderator: Rahma Adam – WorldFish</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preliminary findings from scoping study on adaptation to impacts of climate change on fishing communities in Migori and Homa Bay Counties (Dorothy Amwata, Murang'a University of Technology) Plenary Discussions
12:45-14:00	LUNCH BREAK
14:00-15:30	<p>SESSION 3: ADAPTATION AND RESILIENCE TO THE IMPACTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE IN THE FISHERIES SECTOR IN MIGORI AND HOMA BAY COUNTIES</p> <p>Moderator: Dorothy Amwata, Murang'a University of Technology</p> <p>Group Breakout Sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group 1: Governance of fisheries resources Group 2: Technology and Value Addition Group 3: Financing Group 4: Education and Awareness
15:30–16:30	<p>SESSION 3 (continued)</p> <p>Group Report back (Plenary)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group 1: Governance of fisheries resources Group 2: Technology and Value Addition Group 3: Financing Group 4: Education and Awareness
16:30-17:00	BREAK (END OF DAY ONE)

DAY 2 (TUESDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER 2023)

Time	Activity
09:00-09:30	<p>RECAP OF DAY 1</p> <p>Review of day one outputs and emerging issues for action. (Nicholas Ndiema, Project Consultant)</p>
09:30-10:00	<p>SESSION 4: BRIDGING THE SCIENCE-POLICY-PRACTICE GAP IN CLIMATE CHANGE AND FISHERIES</p> <p>Moderator: Philip Osano - Stockholm Environment Institute</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on Climate Smart technologies in the fisheries value chain (Charles Ogallo – WETU) • Presentation on fish value additions and other fish value chain activities in East Africa (Margaret Kanyua–ICIPE)
10:00- 11:15	<p>SESSION 4 (CONTINUED)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Panel Discussion on Reflections and Recommendations <p>Panelists</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chief Officer, Environment and Climate Change (Migori County) 2. Representative, Kenya Marine Fisheries Research Institute (KEMFRI) 3. Representative, Fishing Community (BMU) 4. Representative form the NGO sector 5. Representative of Private sector (SACCO/Bank)
11:15-11:45	TEA/COFFEE BREAK
11:45– 12:45	<p>SESSION 5: RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ACTION (TABLE GROUPS)</p> <p>Moderator: Rahma Adam – WorldFish</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunities for policy and project actions (pilot) • Mapping of existing and potential partners
12:45-13:15	<p>CLOSING SESSION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • George Ochola – Chief Fisheries Officer, Migori County • Rahma Adam– Lead Scientist, Social and Economic Inclusion, WorldFish • Workshop evaluation • Closing Remarks
13:15	LUNCH BREAK AND DEPARTURE