

FAO EXPERT MEETING ON HOW TO FEED THE WORLD IN 2050, 24-26 JUNE 2009, FAO HEADQUARTERS, ROME (MEXICO ROOM)**AGENDA****WEDNESDAY, 24 June 2009**

09.30 – 10.00	Welcome Address (Hafez Ghanem)
10.00 – 13.00	Session 1: Global agriculture to 2050: How will the world's food and agriculture sector develop in a dynamically changing economic and resource environment?
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The macroeconomic environment, commodity markets: A longer term outlook. (Presenters: Dominique van der Mensbrugge, John Baffes; World Bank) ▪ Poverty, growth and inequality over the next 50 years. (Presenter: Evan Hillebrand, University of Kentucky) ▪ Agrimonde: Scenarios and challenges for feeding the world in 2050 (Presenters: Bruno Dorin, Patrick Caron, Bernard Hubert, CIRAD/INRA)
14.30 – 17.30	Session 2: The resource base to 2050: Will there be enough land, water and genetic potential to meet future food and biofuel demands?
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ World food and agriculture to 2030/2050. Highlights and views from mid-2009 (Presenter: Nikos Alexandratos, FAO) ▪ World agriculture in a dynamically-changing environment: IFPRI's long-term outlook for food and agriculture under additional demand and constraints (Presenter: Siwa Msangi, IFPRI) ▪ The resource outlook to 2050. By how much do land, water use and crop yields need to increase by 2050? (Presenter: Jelle Bruinsma, FAO) ▪ How do climate change and bioenergy alter the long-term outlook for food, agriculture and resource availability (Presenter: Günther Fischer, IIASA)

THURSDAY, 25 June 2009

09.00 – 12.30	Session 3: The investment challenge to 2050: How much, where to invest, what priorities and what sources?
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Investment requirements under new demands on world agriculture: Feeding the world with bioenergy and climate change (Presenter: Siwa Msangi, IFPRI) ▪ Capital requirements for developing countries' agriculture to 2050. (Presenter: Josef Schmidhuber, FAO) ▪ Drivers of investment in large-scale farming: Evidence and implications (Presenter: Derek Byerlee, The World Bank) ▪ Investment in developing countries' food and agriculture: Assessing agricultural capital stocks and their impact on productivity (Presenter: Stephan Cramon, University of Goettingen)
14.00 – 17.30	Session 4: The investment challenge and the technology challenge to 2050
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ International investments in agricultural production in developing countries. Win-win or neo-colonialism? (Presenter: David Hallam, FAO) ▪ Foreign direct investment and other forms of TNC participation in agricultural production: Trends and implications. (Presenter: Hafiz Mirza, UNCTAD) ▪ How can technology deliver for food crop yields (Presenter: Tony Fischer, CSIRO) ▪ Setting meaningful investment targets in agricultural development: Challenges, opportunities, and fiscal realities (Presenters: Nienke Beintema, Howard Elliott, IFPRI)

FRIDAY, 26 June 2009

09.00 – 12.30	Session 5: Feeding the world in 2050: The global policy challenge
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation 5.1: World agricultural trade challenges to 2050 and requirements for evolving structure of world trade rules compatible with food security for developing countries (Presenter: Alexander Sarris, FAO) ▪ Presentation 5.2: The role of non-distorting support policies for long-term agricultural development (Presenter: Aziz Elbehri, FAO)
	<i>Lunch</i>
14.00 – 17.30	Session 6: Africa's special role, problems and needs: What development model for Africa?
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Presentation 6.1: How can Africa master its multiple challenges of high population growth, climate change and HIV/AIDS (Presenter: Hans Binswanger-Mkhize, Tshwane University of Technology) ▪ Presentation 6.2: Can the smallholder model deliver poverty reduction and food security for a rapidly growing population in Africa? (Presenter: Steve Wiggins, ODI) ▪ Presentation 6.3: African agriculture in 50 years: Smallholders in a rapidly changing world? (Presenter: Paul Collier, Oxford University)
	Concluding discussion, outlook and summary of the chair