

International Rural Women's Day

CFS 49 Partner Event

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Speakers' bios



Tontho Uganja is the Founder and Director of Sustainable Farming Solutions (SFSMW) a land restoration and conservation enterprise in Malawi that provides extension services, access to financing and markets for rural women farmers. Previously Tontho was an assistant Regional Manager for Limbe Leaf Company in the Northern Region of Malawi where she managed an out-grower scheme for smallholder farmers. Her work focuses on enhancing farming systems, and restoring landscapes in order to foster resilient communities who are able to better manage climate crises. She has worked with smallholder farmers in Malawi, Zimbabwe, Tanzania, and Brazil. Some of her earlier positions include Regional Forestry Coordinator, and Forestry technician (advising small-scale farmers on agroforestry practices). Tontho holds a Master's degree in Tropical Forestry and is a current Schlumberger Faculty of the Future PhD Fellow at Bangor University.