



Leverhulme Centre for Integrative
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4th Annual LCIRAH Conference

Agri-food policy and governance for nutrition and health

Clore Management Centre (Room B01), Birkbeck College

25–27 Torrington Square London WC1

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Programme

SIDE EVENT: Nutrition for Growth – One Year On

2 June 2014, 17.30 – 18.30, John Snow Lecture Theatre, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (LSHTM), Keppel Street

Organised by the Global Panel on Agriculture and Food Systems for Nutrition, UK Department for International Development, Embassy of Brazil in London, and Children’s Investment Fund Foundation.

Day 1, Tuesday 3 June	
08.40-09.10	<i>Registration and tea/coffee</i>
09.10-09.15	Welcome - Jeff Waage LCIRAH
09.15-09.45	Keynote speaker - Per Pinstrup-Andersen Cornell University Nutrition-enhancing policies for food and agricultural systems Chair: Jeff Waage LCIRAH
Session 1 – Institutions for Nutrition and Health	
09.45-10.00	Invited speaker/Chair - Lawrence Haddad Institute for Development Studies Does governance matter for stunting reduction? New cross-country evidence
10.00-10.15	Mara van den Bold International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) Agriculture and nutrition in South Asia and Eastern Africa: Politics, policies, institutions, incentives
10.15-10.30	Carmen Joseph Savelli World Health Organization Investigating barriers and best practices for intersectoral collaboration and active participation in the FAO/WHO International Food Safety Authorities Network (INFOSAN)
10.30-10.45	Yurie Tanimichi Hoberg The World Bank Learning from history: Agriculture and food-based approaches to address malnutrition at the World Bank over time
10.45-11.15	Discussion

11.15-11.45	<i>Tea/coffee break</i>
Session 2 – Food System Policies 1	
11.45-12.00	Invited speaker/Chair - Corinna Hawkes World Cancer Research Fund International Why do we need food systems policies for nutrition and health?
12.00-12.15	Midori Hiraga Kyoto University Increase of vegetable oil consumption under food regimes: A preceding example of Japan to be compared with rapid increase of vegetable oil Availability in Asian countries especially in China
12.15-12.30	Delia Grace International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) Food safety policy in nine African countries in the context of smallholder farmer livelihoods and safety of animal source foods consumed by the poor
12.30-12.45	Avinash Kishore International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) Is more inclusive more effective? The impact of more inclusive public distribution systems in four states of India
12.45-13.15	Discussion
13.15-14.15	<i>Lunch break</i>
Session 3 – Trade Policy, Supply Chains and Macro Modelling	
14.15-14.30	Invited speaker/Chair - Richard Smith LSHTM/ LCIRAH Biting off more than we can chew? Globalisation and its impact on agriculture, food and health
14.30-14.45	Anne-Marie Thow The University of Sydney Using standards to restrict fatty meat imports and prevent NCDs: learning from an innovative trade/food policy in Ghana
14.45-15.00	Marco Springmann University of Oxford The global health impacts of future food scenarios
15.00-15.15	Lucila Lapar International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) Strengthening capacity for food safety risk management in informal markets: case studies in dairy and pork value chains
15.15-15.45	Discussion
16.15-17.45	<i>Poster session & networking with refreshments at LSHTM Cafe (Keppel Street)</i>

Day 2, Wednesday 4 June	
09.00-09.30	Keynote speaker - Lindiwe Sibanda Food, Agriculture and Natural Resources Policy Analysis Network (FANRPAN) Chair: Jeff Waage LCIRAH
Session 4 – New projects	
09.30-09.40	Suneetha Kadiyala LSHTM/ LCIRAH Innovative Metrics and Methods for Agriculture and Nutrition Actions (IMMANA) Agriculture, Nutrition and Health Academy (ANHA)
09.40-09.50	Jeff Waage LCIRAH/Global Panel on Agriculture and Food Systems for Nutrition Global Panel on Agriculture and Food Systems for Nutrition
09.50-10:00	Saskia Heijnen Wellcome Trust Wellcome Trust Sustaining Health
10.00-10.30	<i>Tea/coffee break</i>
Session 5 – Food System Policies 2	
10.30-10.45	Invited speaker/Chair - Hazel Malapit International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) Using the Women’s Empowerment in Agriculture Index (WEAI) for programming
10.45-11.00	Andaleeb Rahman Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research The effect of in-kind food subsidies on household nutritional outcome: Evidence from rural India
11.00-11.15	Samrat Singh Imperial College London Linking national food reserves to home grown school feeding
11.15-11.30	Rebecca Kanter LCIRAH/ Global Panel on Agriculture and Food Systems for Nutrition The creation of a comprehensive conceptual framework linking agricultural and food system policies to nutritional status
11.30-11.45	Claudia Job Schmitt Universidade Federal Rural do Rio de Janeiro Agroecology, family farming and public health: weaving ideas and building intersectorality in Food Security and Nutrition policies in Brazil
11.45-12.15	Discussion
12.15-13.00	<i>Lunch break</i>
Session 6 – Governance and Policy Analysis	
13.00-13.15	Invited speaker/Chair - Patrick Webb Tufts University Measuring the quality of governance for nutrition: Could cross-sector collaboration affect the fidelity and impact of food and nutrition policies?
13.15-13.30	Carl Lachat Gent University The inclusiveness of nutrition in food and agricultural policies in eight countries
13.30-13.45	Anne-Marie Thow The University of Sydney An integrated policy approach for over- and under-nutrition: a policy space analysis of food supply policies in India
13.45-14.00	Tewodaj Mogues, Lucy Billings International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI) Political economy determinants of public investments for nutrition in Mozambique
14.00-14.15	Helen Walls Australian National University/ LSHTM/ LCIRAH The political priority given to nutrition-related health in agricultural policy: A case study of the Common Agricultural Policy of the European Union
14.15-14.45	Discussion

14.45-15.15	<i>Tea/coffee break</i>
15.15-15.50	Keynote speaker - Barry Popkin University of North Carolina Challenges we face: the shifting food system and nutritional status picture Chair: Andrew Dorward LCIRAH/ SOAS
15.50-16.00	Conference Wrap-up and close – Andrew Dorward LCIRAH/ SOAS

SIDE EVENT: 'Land of Eternal Hope - Ten Years of Lives Shared in Afghanistan' - book launch

4 June 2014, 18.00 – 20.00, Upper Meeting Room, London International development Centre (LIDC), 36 Gordon Square

Event Locations:

Registration : **In front of Clore Management Centre (Room B01) – Birkbeck**

Sessions/Keynotes/Conference Welcome and Wrap-up: **Clore Management Centre (Room B01) – Birkbeck**

Breaks and Lunch: **In front of Clore Management Centre (Room B01) – Birkbeck**

Poster session/Networking event: **LSHTM cafe area (Lower Ground Floor) – London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (LSHTM), Keppel St**

Poster presentations 16:15-17:45 Day 1 – LSHTM Cafe Area (Keppel Street)

Soledade Cuevas LCIRAH/ LSHTM	Applying edible oil taxes and subsidies to reduce cardiovascular disease in India. Health and economic implications.
Ilse de Jager Wageningen University	Nutritional benefits of grain legume cultivation within the N2Africa project in northern Ghana and western Kenya.
Rosemary Green LSHTM	Modelling healthy, culturally acceptable and low-emission diets in the UK.
Leif Hambraeus Karolinska Institute	Balancing food production for optimal global health and nutrition in the Food-Feed-Fibre-Fuel competition in low income countries.
Nguyen Viet Hung International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI)	Supporting agriculture and health ministries to implement a national food safety policy based on risk-based approaches in Vietnam.
Judith Kuchenbecker Justus Liebig University Giessen	Child dietary diversity is positively related with a combined food security and nutrition education intervention in Malawi.
Kathleen Kurz Development Alternatives, Inc.	Using a value chain approach to investigate Malawian potential to produce and market nutritionally dense complementary food products.
Fiorella Picchioni LCIRAH/ SOAS	The Minimum Calorie Expenditure Shares: a timely, cost-effective and achievable measure for monitoring the effects of changing food prices on food and nutrition security of low income population.
June Yee Tsun Po McGill University	How does land privatisation and female access to land resources affect childhood nutritional security in semi-arid Kenya?
Pat Pridmore Institute of Education	Local sustainable food gardens and childhood under-nutrition: Evidence from Mombasa, Kenya.
Anika Reinbott Justus Liebig University Giessen	Associations between Child Feeding Index and stunting in Cambodian rural households - difficulties in linking nutrition outcomes to home garden utilisation.
Sara Stevano LCIRAH/ SOAS	Alternative approaches to the assessment of diets? Food knowledge and consumption in northern Mozambique.
Mehroosh Tak LCIRAH/ SOAS	Public investment, agriculture strategy and diet diversity in India.
Helen Walls Australian National University/ LSHTM/LCIRAH	Improving the regulatory capacity of developing countries to manage risks associated with trade agreements.
Kristen Weeks Development Alternatives, Inc.	Translating policy into action – Human Resources review of Extension agents in Kilolo and Mufindi Districts – to support household economic strengthening.
Samuel Wells University of Bristol	The health impacts of Malawi's Farm Input Subsidy Programme.
Kremlin Wickramasinghe Oxford University	Contribution of primary school meals to the greenhouse gas emissions in England.