

## Thursday, 10 April, Vigyan Bhawan Conference Centre, New Delhi

Time	Title of session	Details	Location
16:45-18:15	Competitiveness Round Table 11	<i>Reducing Costs: Infrastructure Development, Moderator: Maximo Torero, IFPRI</i> <b>Panellists:</b> <b>Pham Cong Binh</b> , planning expert, Department of Architecture and Planning of the Ministry of Construction; <b>Hari Sankaran</b> , Managing Director, Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services, Limited (IL&FS); <b>Aly Abou Sabaa</b> , Director, Agriculture and Agro-Industry Department African Development Bank; <b>Upali Pannilage</b> Team Leader of the Programme "Access to infrastructure Services" of Practical Action, Regional Office south Asia	Hall 4 First Floor
16:45-18:15	Competitiveness Round Table 12	<i>Human Resources Development, Moderator: Rosa Rolle, FAO</i> <b>Panellists:</b> <b>Claudio de Moura</b> , president of the Advisory Council, Faculdade Pitágoras; <b>Emma Owiredo</b> , Human Resource development specialist; <b>Carleen Gardner</b> , President of UWI Consulting Inc., Jamaica; <b>Collin Dennis</b> , Director-General Campden & Chorleywood Food Research Association Group (CCFRA)	Hall 5 Second Floor

## Friday, 11 April, Vigyan Bhawan Conference Centre, New Delhi

Time	Title of session	Details	Location
9:00-12:30	Regional strategy Workshops	Africa	Plenary Hall
9:00-12:30	Regional strategy Workshops	Asia and the Pacific	Hall 6 Second Floor
9:00-12:30	Regional strategy Workshops	Eastern Europe and Central Asia	Hall 3 First Floor
9:00-12:30	Regional strategy Workshops	Latin America and the Caribbean	Hall 5 Second Floor
9:00-12:30	Regional strategy Workshops	Near East	Hall 4 First Floor
12:30-14:00	Lunch		Atrium
14:00-15:30	Plenary Panel	Regional Perspectives from the 5 Regional Strategy workshops	Plenary Hall
15:30-16:00	Coffee/Tea Break		Atrium
16:00-17:00	Closing Session	Closing addresses from FAO, IFAD, UNIDO, <b>Mr Subodh Kant Sahay</b> , Minister of Food Processing of India and the Secretary DARE & DC ICAR, the Secretary DAC, the Secretary DIPP.	Plenary Hall
17:00-18:30	Closing Reception	Hosted by the Ministry of Agriculture of India.	Atrium



## Tuesday 8 April, Hotel Intercontinental The Grand New Delhi

Time	Title of session	Details	Location
8:30-10:30	Registration		Intercontinental Conference Centre
10:30-12:30	Welcome, Plenary Addresses	<i>Agriculture for Development: Implications for Agro-Industries; Alain de Janvry</i> , Professor, University of California <i>Agro-Industry Trends, Patterns and Development Impacts; John Wilkinson</i> , Professor, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro	Plenary Hall, Intercontinental
12:30-14:00	Lunch		Intercontinental
14:00-15:30	Plenary Addresses	<i>Enabling Environment for Competitive Agro-Industries; Ralph Christy</i> , Professor, Cornell University <i>Public-Private Sector Cooperation; Mehendrah Shah</i> , Senior Agro-industries Scientist, UNIDO	Plenary Hall, Intercontinental
15:30-16:00	Coffee/Tea break		Intercontinental
16:00-18:00	Plenary Address Plenary Panel	<i>Global Citizenship and Responsibility; Mark Pfitzer</i> , Managing Director FSG-Social Impact Advisors <i>Challenges of Agro-Industries Development: Jorge Pattoni</i> , General Manager, Dos Pinos, Costa Rica; <b>Mansour Cama</b> , Chairman, National Confederation of Senegal Employers; <b>Riccardo Bagni</b> , Vice President, Coop Italia, <b>Mr. S. Sivakumar</b> , Chief Executive of ITC's Agri Business Division	Plenary Hall, Intercontinental
18:30	Networking Opening Dinner		Intercontinental the Grand

## Wednesday, 9 April

Time	Title of session	Details	Location
9:30-14:00	<i>Innovations in agro-industries</i>	Side events at the National Agricultural Centre, New Delhi (NASC), including case studies from from India organized in collaboration with the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), worldwide Industry presentations from GAIF Delegates, networking space. <i>No interpretation will be provided.</i>	National Agricultural Science Centre (NASC)
12:30-14:00	Lunch		NASC
15:00-16:30	Plenary Addresses	<i>Technologies Shaping the Future; Colin Dennis</i> , Director General, Campden and Chorleywood Food Research Association <i>Business Models for Small Farmers and SMEs; Bill Vorley</i> , Head, Sustainable Markets Group of IED	Plenary Hall, Vigyan Bhawan
16:30-17:00	Coffee/Tea Break		Atrium, Vigyan Bhawan

# Agenda & timetable

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Time	Title of session	Details	Location
17:00-18:30	Forum Inauguration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Address by <b>Mr. Sharad Pawar</b>, Union Minister of Agriculture of India</li> <li>Address by <b>Mr Jacques Diouf</b>, Director-General of FAO</li> <li>Address by <b>Mr Kandeh K. Yumkella</b>, Director-General of UNIDO</li> <li>Address by <b>Mr Lennart Båge</b>, President of IFAD</li> </ul>	Plenary Hall, Vigyan Bhawan
19:00	Gala Dinner	Indian Cultural Programme and Gala Dinner, hosted by Mr. Sharad Pawar, Union Minister of Agriculture of India.	NASC

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9:00-10:30	Competitiveness Round Table 1	<p><i>Understanding Markets: Market Research and Intelligence; Moderator: Ed Seidler, FAO.</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> David Hughes, Emeritus Professor, Imperial College; Kofi Debrah, Head Policy and Marketing Programme, International Centre for Soil Fertility and Agricultural Development (IFDC); Timothy Williams, Adviser and Head Enterprise and Agriculture Section, Commonwealth Secretariat; Graham Dixie, Senior Agribusiness and Marketing Specialist, World Bank.</p>	Hall 6 Second Floor
9:00-10:30	Competitiveness Round Table 2	<p><i>Meeting Consumer Requirements Quality, Safety, Emerging Concerns; Moderator: Roberto Cuevas, FAO.</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Berlinda Kalinda, Choicenuts, Zambia; Thomas Ohlsson, Swedish Institute of Food and Biotechnology (SIK); Gustavo Idigoras, Counsellor for the Ministry of Agriculture in the Embassy of Argentina to the EU; Lisbeth Munskgaard, Senior Manager Danisco AS, Denmark</p>	Hall 4 First Floor
9:00-10:30	Competitiveness Round Table 3	<p><i>Improving Productivity: Technology Acquisition and Utilisation, Moderator: Sergio Miranda Da Cruz, UNIDO.</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Gisele D'Almeida, Founder and Chair Interface Network; Pascal Gitari Kaumbutho, CEO Kendat; Andrés Lopez Camelo, food technologist with the National Institute of Farming Technology (INTA); Justino Arboleda, Chairman and CEO Juboken Enterprises Inc and Coco Technologies Corp</p>	Hall 5 Second Floor
10:30-11:00	Coffee/Tea break		Atrium, Vigyan Bhawan
11:00-12:30	Competitiveness Round Table 4	<p><i>Strengthening Business Linkages: Value Chain Development, Moderator: Doyle Baker, FAO</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Simon Winter, Senior Vice-President Development, Technoserve; Likando Mukumbuta, Chief Executive Officer Zambia Agribusiness Technical Assistance Centre; Jorge Brenes, General Manager Asociación de Productores y Exportadores de Nicaragua (APENN); Sylvia Blanchet, CEO, Forestrade</p>	Hall 6 Second Floor
11:00-12:30	Competitiveness Round Table 5	<p><i>Differentiating Products: Branding and Certification Moderator: Florence Tartanac, FAO</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Kit Chan, Managing Director, K-Farm Sdn Bhd; Ruth Nyagah, Managing Director, Africert Ltd.; Pablo Villalobos, Senior Adviser/Ministerial Cabinet Technical Manager, Mistry of Agriculture; Ana Paula Tavares, Deputy Director, Rainforest Alliance (RA)</p>	Hall 4 First Floor

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11:00-12:30	Competitiveness Round Table 6	<p><i>Attracting Investment: Agro-Industries and Agro-Enterprise Finance; Moderator: Stefano Giovanelli, UNIDO</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Riccardo Bagni, Vice-President Coop Italia; NV Ramana, Group CEO, Basix; Anne Pacquet, Chef de Service-Filière Agro-Alimentaire, Credit Agricole SA; Gilles Recour, General Manager of Agropole Services</p>	Hall 5 Second Floor
12:30-13:30	Lunch		Atrium
13:30-15:00	Competitiveness Round Table 7	<p><i>Staying Competitive: Innovation, Product Development, Adaptation, Moderator: Patrick Kormawa, UNIDO</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Hay Ly Eang, Chairman, Confirel; Gajendra Singh, Vice Chancellor, Doon University; Adam Brett, Founder of Tropical Wholefoods; Hans Eenhoorn, Associate Professor, Wageningen University</p>	Hall 6 Second Floor
13:30-15:00	Competitiveness Round Table 8	<p><i>Improving Efficiency: Agro-Industries Operations Management, Moderator: Chakib Jenane, UNIDO</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Andrés Seebök, Chairman, Campden and Chorleywood Food Industry Development Institute Hungary; Mansour Cama, Chairman, National Confederation of Senegal Employers; John Wilkinson, Professor, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro; José Vicente Caixeta Filho Professor University of São Paulo and Coordinator, Center for Research and Extension on Agribusiness Logistics</p>	Hall 4 First Floor
13:30-15:00	Competitiveness Round Table 9	<p><i>Organizing Smallholders: Producer Organizations and Cooperatives, Moderator: Thomas Elhaut, IFAD</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Sant Kumar, General Manager, Nature's Way Cooperative Fiji Ltd; Jack Wilkinson, President, Federation of Free Farmers Cooperatives Inc. (FFFCI); Bassiaka Dao, President Confederation of Burkina Faso Farmers (CPF); Tulio Rene Garcia Morales, Co-founder/Executive Director of Cooperativa Agrícola Integral Unión de Cuatro Pinos - Chair of the Guatemalan Export Association (AGEXPORT)</p>	Hall 5 Second Floor
15:00-15:30	Coffee/Tea Break		Atrium
15:30-16:30	Agricola Medal Ceremony	<p>Presentation of the Agrícola Medal by <b>Mr Jacques Diouf</b>, Director-General of FAO to <b>His Excellency Manmohan Singh</b>, Prime Minister of India</p> <p>Address by <b>His Excellency Manmohan Singh</b>, Prime Minister of India</p>	Plenary Hall
16:45-18:15	Competitiveness Round Table 10	<p><i>Establishing Clusters: agro-industrial clusters and food parks, Moderator Brian Barclay, Director Modicum Competitiveness Services Ltd</i></p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Michele Clara, Industrial Development Officer, UNIDO, A.K. Krishna Kumar, Chief Operating Officer and head Agriculture and Rural Business Division and its Cluster Development Initiative of the Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services Ltd (IL&amp;FS), Tilman Altenburg, Head of Department, German Development Institute (GDI), Gustavo Idigoras, Counsellor for the Ministry of Agriculture in the Embassy of Argentina to the EU</p>	Hall 6 Second Floor