



4th AFRICAN COFFEE SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

13th February 2008, Serena Conference Center – Nile Room, Kampala, Uganda

Theme: Leveraging research results for enhanced producer livelihoods and consumer satisfaction

Workshop Program

08.30 - 09.00	Registration of delegates
09.00 - 09.20	Opening remarks – (Roger Day , Director, CABI Africa)
09.20 - 09.50	Keynote address: (José Dauster Sette , Head of Operations, ICO)
09.50 – 10.00	Introductory Remarks (Massimiliano Fabian , Chairman of the Consultative Committee of the Common Fund for Commodities)
10.00 - 10.30	Making the best of available resources to enhance coffee productivity and quality in Africa (Caleb Dengu , First Project Manager, CFC)
10.30 – 11.00	Responding to immerging scenarios in the world coffee market through targeted research and development (Denis Seudieu , Chief Economist, ICO)
11.00 - 11.20	Coffee Break
11.20 – 11.50	Bridging the knowledge gap in smallholder coffee systems in Africa: Lessons learned from the CFC supported coffee wilt and coffee quality projects (Martin Kimani & Negussie)
11.50 – 12.20	Better and even better coffee quality from Africa: A tale of two countries (Esayas Kebede & Pontien Munyankera)
12.20 – 12.50	Understanding the enemy: coffee wilt disease - the past, the present and the future (Noah Phiri et al.)
12.50 – 13.20	Discussions
13.20 – 14.20	Lunch Break
14.20 – 14.50	Towards a variety resistant to coffee wilt disease: recent advances (Pascal Musoli et al.)
14.50 – 15.20	Coffee Rehabilitation in Africa: Leveraging the experience from Angola to overcome future challenges (George Oduor & Charles Agwanda)
15.20 - 15.50	Managing coffee berry disease (CBD) in Zambia: Recent advances based on private sector research (Carole Hemmings)
15.50 – 16.20	(Facilitated discussions)
16.20 – 16.50	Final Wrap-up and end of workshop
16.50 –	Coffee Break and departure