





SIDE EVENT AT UNCCD COP14 NEW DELHI





Fostering an integrated approach for sustainable land management in sub-Saharan Africa

Tuesday 03/09/2019 (13:00 - 15:00 in MET-10) India Expo Centre and Mart

Resilient Food Systems is one of the three Integrated Approach Pilots funded by the Global Environment Facility. Implementation is led by the International Fund for Agricultural Development, in collaboration with 12 African countries and several regional partners. The five-year programme is committed to **fostering sustainability and resilience for food security in sub-Saharan Africa**. The programme is contributing to a paradigm shift in the continent's agriculture; one which emphasizes the importance of natural capital and ecosystem services to enhance agricultural productivity.

The side event will present innovative technologies and approaches in strengthening smallholder farmers resilience through integrated sustainable land and water management.

13:00 - 13:05	Introduction and objectives.	
13:05 - 13:15	Overview on the Resilient Food Systems programme: towards a large-scale rural transformation in Africa.	
13.15 - 14:55	Country case studies and interactive feedback	
	Niger	Family Farming Development Programme (ProDAF)
		Profiling water mobilisation networks and the watershed approach embedded into the national development framework.
		(Presentation includes a short program video).
	Eswatini	Climate - Smart Agriculture for Climate - Resilient Livelihoods (CSARL)
	* 1	Monitoring innovations using the Land Degradation Surveillance Framework (LDSF) and strengthening national capacity and embedding approaches into chiefdom planning.
	Uganda	Fostering Sustainability and Resilience for Food Security in Karamoja Sub-Region
	\$	Supporting women-led community based organizations to address land degradation.
14.55 - 15:00	Closing remarks	

