

Food for Life

EAA/FECCIWA ADVOCACY CAPACITY STRENGTHENING WORKSHOP

IN COOPERATION WITH ACT ALLIANCE

13 – 16 November 2011
Accra, Ghana



Engage in dialogue with churches, church-related organizations and partners in West Africa on current challenges to food security and food justice in the region, and learn from each other how to change policies and practices in the West African context.

DAY 1

13/11/2011

ARRIVAL

MORNING

Worship Services in the Community

AFTERNOON

Exposure Visits

DAY 2

14/11/2011

MEETING EACH OTHER;
TAKING STOCK

8:30

Morning Prayer / Bible Study

9:00

Introductions & Expectations

To get to know each other on a human level and link expectations to the program.

10:30

BREAK

11:00

Sharing and appreciation of experiences with advocacy for food security and food justice

To start the session by sharing and appreciating our own experiences in various advocacy domains and extract common principles.

12:30

LUNCH

14:00

Documenting our stories and experiences for ourselves and others

Based on our own experiences, develop Knowledge Assets that link common principles with illustrative written stories and two minute video testimonials.

15:30

BREAK

16:00

Documenting our stories and experiences for ourselves and others

Continuation of activity before break.

17:00

Participatory After-Action Review

17:30

DINNER

DAY 3

15/11/2011

OUR DREAM: WHERE DO WE
WANT TO GO? OUR SITUATION:
WHERE ARE WE NOW?

Morning Prayer / Bible Study		8:30
A Theology of Food Justice: Presentation & Panel Discussion		9:00
KEYNOTE SPEAKER	RESPONDENTS	
Rev. Dr. Bridget Ben-Naimah <i>Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Ghana</i>	Rev. Leonard Tegwende Kinda, <i>Burkina Faso</i> Rev. Yusuf Wushishi, <i>Nigeria</i> Firmin Adjahossou, <i>Ghana</i>	
Setting out biblical and theological principles on which an ecumenical movement for food justice can be built.		
BREAK		10:30
Learning From Each Other: Case Studies		11:00
Père Isidore Ouedraogo, <i>Secrétaire Exécutif National OCADES Caritas Burkina Faso</i> Sheikh E.T. Lewis, <i>Africa Regional Network on the Promotion of the Right to Food – RAPDA</i> Landgrabbing Case Study, <i>Presenter TBC</i> Fisheries Case Study, <i>Presenter TBC</i>		
Provide example/s of learning from others or peers through introduction of case study/ies in the region. This can also inspire the dream building in the next session.		
LUNCH		12:30
Developing Our Common Dream		14:00
Develop a common vision for food justice in the region that every participant feels ownership of.		
BREAK		15:30
Where Are We Now in Relation to Our Dream?: Introduction to Developing a Theory of Change		16:00
From the individual and common dreams of the participants, extract together the key strategic areas ('practices') that lead to this dream. Group assess their own competence on the various strategic areas defined. Participants understand the theory of change process.		
DINNER		17:30

DAY 4

16/11/2011

MOVING FORWARD

8:30 Morning Prayer / Bible Study

9:00 Regional and Global food security architecture:
Instruments for accountability and food justice advocacy

Queronica Quartey, *Actionaid*

Joan Nimarkoh, *FAO*

Sheikh E.T. Lewis, *Africa Regional Network on the Promotion of the Right to Food – RAPDA*

Emmanuel Asate-Krobea, *Regional Director Ministry of Food & Agriculture*

Basic information provided on the major policy instruments and processes on food security regionally and globally.

10:30 BREAK

11:00 Planning for Action Based on
Common Visions and Self-Assessment

Developing action plans for individuals, sub-groups and the entire group re: the chosen strategic areas. Participants themselves set their own indicators for success and request support from other EAA members

12:00 LUNCH

14:00 Conclusions

Presentation/discussion of action planning, Participatory evaluation of workshop, Appreciation of participants by participants, and Closing

