

PROGRAMME FOR trapca TRADE POLICY RESEARCH FORUM 2012

African Trade under Climate Change and the Green Global Economy

7-8 August 2012

DAY 1

Tuesday 7th August 2012

0800hrs - 0900hrs: Registration of Participants and Distribution of Forum Material

0900hrs – 0910hrs: Welcome Remarks by the Executive Director, trapca, Mr. Peter Kiuluku

0920hrs – 0940hrs: Keynote: Reflections on Trade and Climate Change Nexus by **Dr. Patrick Low, WTO**

Session one: Trade and Climate Change Agenda

Session Chair: Germina Ssemogerere

0940 brs - 1005 brs: Edgar Odari, SEATINI, Trade and Environment: Challenge of building

a common African strategy under ongoing negotiations

1005 hrs – 1020 hrs: **Discussant**: Uche Ewelukwa

1020 hrs - 1045 hrs: Rafael Leal-Arcas, Queens University, UK, Using the Trade Experience

for the Climate Change Agenda

1045 hrs – 1100 hrs: **Discussant**: James Otieno-Odek

1100 hrs – 1130 hrs: Plenary

1130 hrs – 1150 hrs: TEA/COFFEE BREAK

1150 hrs -1215 hrs: Wumi Olayiwola, ECOWAS, Climate Change and Developing

countries' Agricultural exports: Perspectives from ECOWAS

1215hrs –1230hrs: **Discussants:** Joakim Gullstrand

1230 brs -1255 brs: Uche Ewelukwa, Arkansas Law School, USA Climate Change,

Technology Transfer and WTO: Assessing the state of Play and Options

for African Countries

1255hrs –1310hrs: Discussants: Yenkong Ngangjoh-Hodu

1340hrs- 1440hrs

LUNCH

Session two: Climate Change and African Agriculture

Session Chair: Fondo Sikod

1440 hrs – 1505 hrs: Albert Makochekanwa, SADC Trade Hub, Tourism's Interface with the

Environment and Climate Change in SADC

1505 hrs – 1520 hrs: **Discussant:** Makane Mbengue

1520hrs – 1545hrs: **Mmaduabuchukwu Mkpado**, University of Oye-Ekiti, Nigeria, *Evidence*

of Trade, Competitiveness and Climate Change adaptation options for

African Agriculture

1545 hrs – 1600 hrs: **Discussant**: Joy Kiiru

1600 hrs - 1625 hrs: Mohamed Elgali: University of Gezira, Sudan, Agricultural Trade under

Climate Change in Sudan

1625 hrs – 1640 hrs: **Discussant**: John Mutenyo

1640 hrs – 1720 hrs: Plenary

1720 hrs

Cocktail

DAY 2

Wednesday, 8th August 2012

Session three: Climate Change Adaption

Session Chair: Kofi Addo

0900 hrs - 0925 hrs: Evengelista Mudzonga, Trade and Development Studies Centre,

Zimbabwe, Farmer's Adaptation to Climate Change in Chivi District of

Zimbabwe

0925 hrs – 0940hrs: **Discussant:** Eria Hisali

0940 hrs - 1005 hrs: Anthonia Achike, University of Nigeria, Nigeria, Green House Emission

Determinants in Nigeria: Implications fro Trade, Climate Change

Mitigation

1005 hrs – 1020 hrs: **Discussant**: Ernest Molua

1020 hrs - 1050 hrs: Plenary

1050 hrs – 1110hrs

TEA BREAK

Session four: Climate Change Mitigation

Session Chair: Wumi Olayiwola

1110hrs - 1135 hrs: Francis Mwaura, Economic Policy Research Centre, Uganda,

Understanding Household's Choice of Cooking Energy in Addressing

Deforestation in Uganda

1135hrs – 1150 hrs: **Discussant**: Chandrakant Patel

1150hrs – 1215 hrs: Ernest Molua, University of Buea, Cameroon, Response of Cameroon's

Timber Exports to Climate Change: Simulation Experiment of Effects

on Trade Policy

1215hrs – 1230hrs: **Discussant:** Adam Mugume

1230 hrs – 1300 hrs: Plenary

1300hrs – 1400hrs

LUNCH

Session five: Climate Change Implications

Session Chair: Annika Bjorkdahl

1400 brs – 1425 brs Eric Ogunleye, President's Office Nigeria, Climate Change and Trade Competitiveness in Africa

1425hrs – 1440hrs: **Discussant:** Aka Bedia Francois

1440 hrs – 1505 hrs: Anthony Onoja, Nigeria University, Influence of Climate Change, poverty and Macroeconomic policies on Agricultural Trade Performance in Nigeria

1505 hrs – 1520 hrs: **Discussant:** Nichodemus Rudaheranwa

1520 hrs – 1545 hrs: Jill Juma, SEATINI, Kenya, Assessing the Effectiveness of Clean Energy

Development Mechanism in Kenya and Nigeria: A reality or a

Facade

1545 hrs – 1600 hrs: **Discussant:** Mary Mbithi

1600 hrs – 1700 hrs: Plenary

1700 brs: Closing Remarks by Academic Director Prof. Hans Falck