BIFAD and USAID
E-Consultation on Human and Institutional Capacity Development in Agriculture

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Objectives

How can human and institutional capacity development (HICD) contribute to a high-performing, agricultural innovation system to feed the world by 2050?

• Supported by BIFAD and USAID
• Engage a wide network of stakeholders from around the world to initiate a global exchange
• Share experiences, constraints, and promising practices for HICD in agriculture
• Provide feedback on recent HICD report recommendations
• Influence future USAID programming
Webinar

• Review recent HICD report recommendations

• Facilitated by report authors

• Kick-off to AgExchange
AgExchange, November 18-20

- Three-day online discussion hosted on Agrilinks
- Facilitated by subject-matter experts
- Wide range of stakeholders

- How human and institutional capacity development (HICD) can contribute to a high-performing, agricultural innovation system to feed the world by 2050
Sub-themes

Day One (Nov. 18)
• Examples of effective programming contributing to institutional capacity building
• Good measures of performance for building institutional capacity

Day Two (Nov. 19)
• Key constraints to developing human and institutional capacity for high performing agricultural innovation systems

Day Three (Nov. 20)
• Promising practices: role of technology, networks, working with the private sector
Illustrative Facilitators

Clara Cohen, Sr. Science Policy Advisor
USAID

Amanda Crump, Deputy Director, Horticulture Innovation Lab
UC Davis

Cynthia Donovan, Deputy Director, Legume Innovation Lab
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Tom Hammett, Director, InnovATE
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Stephen Weller, Principle Investigator, IPM and Horticulture Innovation Lab
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How you can help

• Participate in the AgExchange, Nov. 18-20

• Disseminate information about the AgExchange to colleagues and students

• Recommend facilitators and targeted contributors
Thank you!

AgExchange Website:  
Forthcoming

APLU Announcement:  

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