



Gender, Agriculture & Assets Project

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**Gender, Agriculture, and Assets Program Phase Two:
Developing Project-Level Indicators to Measure Women's Empowerment
(GAAP 2 for pro-WEAI)**

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Co-organized by AWARD (African Women in Agricultural Research and Development)

*Inception Workshop – January 27-29, 2016
Nairobi, Kenya*

Objectives:

- Develop a shared understanding of the overall initiative, its objectives, and modalities
- Learn about measures of women's empowerment, particularly the Women's Empowerment in Agriculture Index (WEAI) and their uses in development programming.
- Develop components of a project-level WEAI (pro-WEAI) that can be used for assessing the impact of different types of agricultural development projects on women's empowerment
- Lay the foundation for a GAAP2 Community of Practice (CoP) and develop outreach strategies for engaging with projects that are not directly included in the GAAP2 portfolio (the pro-WEAI CoP)
- Present GAAP2 timeline and discuss how individual pro-WEAI pilots fit into that timeline and how these can be used to identify strategies that work to empower women

Wednesday, January 27

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	PRESENTER
8:30 – 9:00	Registration and coffee	
9:00-9:15	Welcome, introductions, agenda for the day	Stephan Dohrn
	Objectives and organization of the workshop	Agnes Quisumbing
	A word from our sponsors	Vicki Wilde
9:15-9:45	Getting to know you activity	
9:45-10:15	What is empowerment, why is it important, and how have projects tried to empower women? – Examples from projects Mohammad Raisul Haque, BRAC Clare Bishop Sambrook, IFAD Maureen Miruka, CARE-USA	Panel discussion facilitated by Yvonne Pinto, Firetail, Ltd., EAC member
10:15- 10:45	What’s Measured, Matters: Lessons from the Women’s Empowerment in Agriculture Index	Agnes Quisumbing
10:45-11:00	Break	
11:00-11:20	The A-WEAI	Hazel Malapit
11:20-11:50	Building a WEAI for project use: Overview of GAAP2 for pro-WEAI	Agnes Quisumbing and Nancy Johnson
11:50-12.30p	Discussion What dimensions of empowerment do you expect you need to measure in your project?	
12:30-2:00p	Lunch	
2:00-3:45	Gallery walk of Projects – Posters 4 rounds of 20 minutes with 4 projects each	
3:45-4:15	Break	
4:15-4:30	Setting up working groups:	Stephan Dohrn

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	Morning session to adapt A-WEAI: Crops, Livestock, Nutrition, Income Afternoon session to develop new modules on additional dimensions of empowerment	
4:30-5:00	Getting organized for Day 2 Debrief Day 1: Trivia contest on the projects	Stephan Dohrn
	Opening reception	

THURSDAY—January 28

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	PRESENTER
9:00 – 9:30	Recap Day 1 and Agenda for Day 2	Stephan Dohrn
9:30-10:30	Morning working groups Objectives of the group work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agree on changes to A-WEAI to customize it for a particular type of project • Get acquainted with each other and GAAP team liaison(s) 	
10:30-11:00	Break	
11:00-12:00p	Cluster groups Cont'd	
12:00-12:30p	Report back on key outcomes of the group work (5 minutes per group)	
12:30-1:30	LUNCH	
1:30-3:30	Afternoon working groups: develop new WEAI modules for additional dimensions of empowerment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draft additional modules and makes plans for finalizing • Discuss protocols for validation • Continue to get to know each other 	
3:30-4:00	Break	
4:00-5:00	Reporting from Cluster work (recorded)	

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	PRESENTER
5:00-5:30	Debrief Day 2	

FRIDAY—January 29

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	PRESENTER
9:00 – 9:30	Recap Day 2 and Agenda for Day 3	Stephan Dohrn
9:30-10:30	How will we make this work? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project logistics • Timeline • Impact of GAAP2 	
10:30-11:00	Break	
11:00-12:30p	Community of Practice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is it? • What does it mean for GAAP2? 	Stephan Dohrn
12:30-1:30	LUNCH	