PARTNERSHIPS IN PRACTICE: SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE IN THE SUB-SAHARAN REGION

SPEAKERS

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ROOM: MET-09

Promoting sustainable agriculture and securing food security in the harsh dry climate in Sub-Saharan Africa needs concerted efforts at all levels of all sectors. Involvement of local communities and non-state actors that are most impacted and have local knowledge and solutions to the issue is critical.

The side event demonstrates the power of various partnerships from local to international in enabling implementation of sustainable agricultural practices that can contribute to the overall objectives of food security in Africa, and generate global environment benefits that contribute to the livelihood of people.

(Interpretation French English available)

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