



# FAO REGIONAL CONFERENCE FOR AFRICA

## Thirty-second Session

**Malabo, Equatorial Guinea, 11-14 April 2022**

## Provisional Timetable

### Senior Officers Meeting

11-12 April 2022

**Monday, 11 April 2022**

#### I. Introductory Items

	<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Item N°</b>	<b>Document N°</b>
08.30-09:00 <sup>1</sup> hours	Opening of the Senior Officers Meeting		
	Election of the Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons, and appointment of Rapporteur	1	
	Adoption of Agenda and Timetable	2	ARC/22/1 Rev.1 ARC/22/INF/1 ARC/22/INF/2 Rev.1
	Video presentation (5 min)		

<sup>1</sup> Greenwich Mean Time (GMT)

## II. Programme and Budget Matters

09.00-12.00 hours	Regional results, priorities, the four betters and the Sustainable Development Goals	15	ARC/22/2 ARC/22/3
12.00-13.00 hours	Update on the development of the FAO Science and Innovation Strategy	16	ARC/22/4 ARC/22/INF/13
	<b>Lunch break</b> (60 minutes)		
14.00-15.00 hours	Update on the development of the new FAO Strategy on Climate Change	17	ARC/22/5 ARC/22/INF/14

**Tuesday, 12 April 2022**

## III. Regional and Global Policy Matters

08.30-09.45 hours	One Health Platform: Prevention of future pandemics through effective cross-sectoral engagement	18	ARC/22/6
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## IV. Other Matters

	Multi-Year Programme of Work 2022-2025 for the Regional Conference for Africa	19	ARC/22/7
	Date and place of the 33rd Session of the Regional Conference for Africa	20	
	Any other business	21	
	<b>Special event to facilitate experience sharing on the four betters</b>		<b>Special events to facilitate experience sharing on the four betters</b>
09.45-10.00 hours	Launch of the Africa Regional Technical Platform (RTP) on Common Agricultural Policies and Practices		FAO Regional Office for Africa
10.00-11.00 hours	Host Country event		FAO Representation Equatorial Guinea  FAO Subregional Office for Central Africa

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11.00-13.00 hours	Experience sharing sessions among member countries on better production, better nutrition, a better environment and a better life, leaving no one behind	Experience sharing session among member countries on better production, better nutrition, a better environment and a better life, leaving no one behind	FAO Regional Office for Africa
	<b>Lunch break</b> (60 min)		
14.00-15.00 hours	Adoption of the Report of the Senior Officers Meeting	22	
	<i>Closure of the Senior Officers Meeting</i>		

## Ministerial Session

13-14 April 2022

Wednesday, 13 April 2022

### I. Opening Ceremony

	<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Item N°</b>	<b>Document N°</b>
08.30-10:00 hours	Inaugural Ceremony		
	Election of the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson, and Appointment of the Rapporteurs	1	
	Adoption of Agenda and Timetable	2	ARC/22/1 Rev.1 ARC/22/INF/1 ARC/22/INF/2 Rev.1
	Statement by the Director-General	3	ARC/22/INF/4
	Statement by the Independent Chairperson of the FAO Council	4	ARC/22/INF/5
	Statement by the Chairperson of the 31st Session of the Regional Conference for Africa	5	ARC/22/INF/6
	Statement by the Chairperson of the Committee on World Food Security (CFS)	6	ARC/22/INF/7
	Statement by the African Union Commission	7	
	Statement by the Spokesperson of the Civil Society Organizations	8	
	Statement by the Spokesperson of the Private Sector	9	
	Official opening of the Regional Conference by Equatorial Guinea authorities		
	Video: Show case on Equatorial Guinea experience and best practices		

## II. Delivering on better production, better nutrition, a better environment and a better life

10.00-11.30 hours	COVID-19 impacts on agrifood systems in Africa: policy priorities for inclusive and resilient recovery	10	ARC/22/8
11.30-13.00 hours	Investing in ecosystem restoration for a more efficient, inclusive, resilient and sustainable agrifood systems transformation in Africa	11	ARC/22/9
	<b>Break (60 min)</b>		
14.00-15.30 hours	<i>Meeting of the Drafting Committee of the Report of the Plenary Session</i>		

**Thursday, 14 April 2022**

## II. Delivering on better production, better nutrition, a better environment and a better life (*Cont'd*)

	<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Item N°</b>	<b>Document N°</b>
08.00-09.30 hours	Promotion of investment and trade for competitive agrifood systems: AfCFTA opportunities and progress	12	ARC/22/10
09.30-09.45 hours	Launch with AUC – Investment Guidelines for Youth in Agrifood Systems in Africa		
09.45-11.15 hours	Placing women, youth and the poor at the forefront of inclusive agrifood systems	13	ARC/22/11
11.15-13.00 hours	<i>Meeting of the Drafting Committee of the Report and of the Ministerial Declaration</i>		
	<b>Break (60 min)</b>		
14.00-15.00 hours	Adoption of the Report of the Regional Conference	14	
15.00-15.15 hours	Statement by the Director-General		
15.15-15.30 hours	Statement by the Chairperson		
	<i>Closure of the Regional Conference</i>		