

8:00 – 18:00 EAT (GMT+3)  
NOVEMBER 14, 2023

# Agenda

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TIME	TOPIC	
8:00	9:00	<b>Arrival and Registration</b>
9:00	9:30	<b>Opening Remarks</b> Dr. Mwigulu Nchemba (Minister of Finance, United Republic of Tanzania) Dr. Andrew Dabalén (Chief Economist for the Sub-Saharan Africa, World Bank)
9:30	10:30	<b>Food Security, Welfare, and Nutrition in Tanzania</b> Chair: Titus Mwisomba (National Bureau of Statistics of Tanzania) Discussant: Philip Wollburg (World Bank)
		<b>The Effects of Household Shocks on Children's Nutrition Status: Evidence from Panel Survey in Tanzania</b> Monica Sebastian Kauky (University of Dar es Salaam)
		<b>Disaster Vulnerability and the Welfare of Smallholders Farmers in Tanzania</b> Gidion Njuga (Moshi Co-operative University)
		<b>Livelihood Diversity Effects on Food Security of Rural Households in Tanzania</b> Rugazia Nyombi (Mwalimu Nyerere Memorial Academy)
10:30	11:00	<b>Tea break</b>
11:00	12:00	<b>Keynote Address</b> Prof. Douglas Gollin (Tufts University)
12:00	13:00	<b>Food Security and Nutrition</b> Chair: Gbemisola Siwatu (World Bank) Discussant: Alemayehu Ambel (World Bank)
		<b>Does Relative Deprivation Induce Migration? Evidence from Sub-Saharan Africa</b> Kashi Kafle (Texas A&M University)

**Targeting Hunger or Votes? The Political Economy of Humanitarian Transfers in Malawi**  
Jack Thunde (IDinsight)

**Child Nutrition and Farm Input Subsidies: The Complementary Role of Early Healthcare and Nutrition Programs in Malawi**  
Martin Limbikani Mwale (Stellenbosch University)

13:00	14:00	<b>Lunch</b>
14:00	15:00	<b>Gender and Agriculture</b> Chair: Amparo Palacios-Lopez (World Bank) Discussant: Sydney Gourlay (World Bank)
		<b>Gendered Effects of Crop Diversification and Climate Shocks on Household Food Security Status in Nigeria</b> Mbanga Pagel Emmanuell Dorcas (University of Yaoundé)
		<b>Internal Migration, Occupation Transmission, and Development: Evidence from Castes in Mali</b> Ismael Yacoubou Djima (Paris School of Economics)
		<b>Drought Shocks and Labor Allocation in Rural Africa: Evidence from Ethiopia</b> Arnold Musungu (University of Bonn)
15:00	16:00	<b>Climate Change and Resilience</b> Chair: Talip Kilic (World Bank) Discussant: Marco Tiberti (World Bank)
		<b>Predicting Household Resilience using Machine Learning in Sub-Saharan Africa</b> Nouréini Souleymane Sayouti (CERDI)
		<b>Dynamics of Off Farm Self-Employment in the West African Sahel</b> Sènakpon Fidèle A. Dedehouanou (Université d'Abomey Calavi)
16:00	16:30	<b>Tea break</b>
16:30	17:30	<b>Panel Discussion</b> Moderator: Dr. Talip Kilic (World Bank) Panelists: Dr. Albina Chuwa (National Bureau of Statistics of Tanzania); Prof. Douglas Gollin (Tufts University); Dr. Martin Chegere (University of Dar es Salaam); Dr. Ruth Hill (World Bank); Dr. Monica Kauky (University of Dar es Salaam)
17:30	18:00	<b>Closing Remarks</b> Dr. Gero Carletto (World Bank)