



UGANDA W&E WEEK



Uganda Water and Environment Week 2021 Program

Theme: Water and Environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda.

Venue: Ministry of Water and Environment - Luzira

Sunday 21st to Friday 26th March 2021

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UGANDA WATER AND ENVIRONMENT WEEK (UWEWK) 2021 Sunday 21st – Friday 26th March 2021

OVERVIEW

The Uganda Water and Environment Week (UWEWK) is a weeklong event that provides an interface for knowledge exchange and dialogue on pertinent water resources issues among sector actors and other stakeholders. UWEWK 2021 borrows from the successes and lessons from **UWEWK 2018**, **UWEWK 2019** and **UWEWK 2020** and is organized under the theme: *“Water and Environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda.”*

It has four sub themes upon which papers, dialogues and applied trainings are organized:

- a) Valuing Water and Environment resources for socio-economic transformation of Uganda;
- b) Water and Environment in a creative economy;
- c) Managing Water and Environment shocks and
- d) Water and Environment security for smart urban growth

Focus of UWEWK 2021: Sector stakeholders will discuss the centrality of water and environment resources enhancing value addition in key growth opportunities; reduce environmental degradation and the adverse effects of climate change as well as improve utilization of natural resources for sustainable economic growth and livelihood security.

Key Event Activities

- a) **Sunday 21st March 2021 (2 to 5pm):** Opening ceremony and dialogue on Water and Environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda (**UBC and NBS TVs**)
- b) **Monday 22nd March 2021 (10 to 12pm):** Dialogue on Dialogue on valuing water and environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda (**Zoom**)
- c) **Tuesday 23rd March 2021 (10 to 12pm):** Dialogue on water and environment in a creative economy (**Zoom**)
- d) **Wednesday 24th March 2021 (10 to 12pm):** Dialogue on managing water and environmental shocks (**Zoom**)
- e) **Thursday 25th March 2021 (10 to 12pm):** Dialogue on water and environment security for smart urban growth (**Zoom**)
- f) **Friday 26th March 2021 (2 to 4pm):** UWEWK wrap and Closing ceremony (**UBC and NBS TVs**)
- g) **Monday 22nd to Friday 26 March :** Policy, Practice & Scientific Papers Presentation on theme and subtheme (**Zoom**)
- h) **Monday 22nd to Friday 26 March):** Applied trainings all in line with the theme and sub theme(**Zoom**)
- i) **Monday 22nd to Friday 26 March):** Field visits in line with the theme and sub theme(**Zoom**)
- j) **Monday 22nd to Friday 26 March):** A number of side events in line with the theme and sub theme(**Zoom**)

For more details please refer to the Program below.

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UGANDA WATER AND ENVIRONMENT WEEK (UWEWK) 2021

Sunday 21st – Friday 26th March 2021

OVERVIEW

Uganda Water and Environment Week (UWEWK) is a weeklong event that is organized annually by Ministry of Water and Environment (MWE) through the Water Resources Institute (WRI). Since its inception in 2018, the event seeks to contribute towards the attainment of Sustainable Socio-economic Transformation and achieving Ugandan National Development Plan and vision 2040. It provides an interface between sector actors and other stakeholders for knowledge exchange, dialoguing, learning for improvement of Uganda's water and environment resources. This year UWEWK2021 will explore the role water and environment resources will play in:

- i. Increasing investment in value addition to environment and natural resources products and services,
- ii. Promoting natural resource accounting, to improve the national income measurement,
- iii. Promoting research, innovation and adoption of green appropriate technology to foster sustainable use and management of water and environment resources and
- iv. Reducing human and economic loss from natural hazards and disasters.

The UWEWK 2021 is intrinsically linked to: NPDI III which focuses on enhancing value addition in key growth opportunities; reduce environmental degradation and the adverse effects of climate change as well as improve utilization of natural resources for sustainable economic growth and livelihood security.

The overall theme of UWEWK 2021 is *“Water and Environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda”*.

Under the major theme, the following sub-themes are proposed to elaborate on value of water and environment security in transforming Uganda's economy and improved livelihood for socio-economic development.

Details of the sub-themes are as follows:

a) Valuing Water and Environment resources for socio-economic transformation of Uganda

The sub-theme will focus on sustainable use and value addition to water resources, forests, wetlands rangelands and other natural resources for increased incomes and employment. It will highlight the importance of raising awareness on the value of water, environment and natural resources in transforming the socio-economic status of Ugandan population and improve livelihood. The sub-theme will also focus on increasing investment in ‘value addition’ to environment and natural resources products and services, promoting natural resource accounting to improve the national income measurement and marketing of the products using creative economy approach.

b) Water and Environment in a creative economy

This sub-theme will focus to innovative solutions for more efficient and productive development and management of water, environment and natural resources for sustainable socio-economic transformation of Ugandan population to the mid-class citizens. It will further look at the current position of creative industries in Uganda with a perspective to identify key issues to help the government to form a strategic plan of action aiming at building a strong premise for building its creative economy for employment, trade and development gains. Furthermore, it will look into ensuring coordinated and sustainable national infrastructure projects considering that Uganda's economy relies almost entirely on the stock of water, environmental and natural resources to produce goods and deliver services. It will also address the new approaches to achieving Water-Food-Energy nexus as well as approaches for addressing water scarcity through non-conventional water and

environment resources management approaches. Promoting of forest cluster-based wood processing industries and promoting of payment for ecosystem services, biodiversity offsets and benefit sharing arising from use of biological resources

c) Managing Water and Environmental shocks

This sub-theme will discuss how societies should manage and develop their water and environment resources to address risks associated with climate change at the same time improving people's livelihood. The sub-theme will also focus on the role of research, innovation and adoption of green appropriate technology to foster sustainable use and management of water and environment resources and reduce human and economic loss from natural hazards and disasters.

d) Water and Environment security for smart urban growth

This sub-theme will focus on innovation within the urban setting that will involve appropriate technologies in terms of: i) environmental concerns (air pollution, water and soil contamination); ii) poverty reduction and employment generation; iii) economic sustainability (cost benefit, short to long term) and iv) environmental sustainability (resource savings and reclamation, reduction in greenhouse gases (GHG) emissions) among others. Making urban excreta and wastewater management contribute to cities' economic development and research opportunities for linking sanitation infrastructure design and planning to business opportunities.

Overall Goal

The overall goal of UWEWK 2021 is improved understanding of the centrality and value of water and environment resources for transforming Ugandan's economy and improved livelihood.

Objectives

The objectives of UWEWK 2021 are to:

- a. Highlight value of water and environment resources for socio-economic transformation of Uganda.
- b. Deliberate on the role of water and environment resources in maintaining security, peace, public health and sustainable urban growth and improved livelihoods.

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 Director of Water Resources Management
 Ministry of Water and Environment
**CHAIRPERSON, NATIONAL ORGANIZING
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GUESTS at UWEWK2021 Opening Ceremony on 21st March 2021

Time 14:00 – 17:00



Rt. Hon. Dr. Ruhakana Rugunda
Prime Minister of Uganda



Hon. Sam Cheptoris
Minister
Ministry of Water and Environment



Hon. Ronald Kibuule
State Minister for Water
Ministry of Water and Environment
Environment



Hon. Beatrice Anywar
State Minister for Environment
Ministry of Water and



Ms. Rosa Malango,
UN Resident Coordinator

KEY NOTE SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS

SPEAKERS: Dialogue session on 21st March 2021 - Water and Environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda, Time 2 – 5 pm

KEY NOTE SPEAKER



Prof. Ken Strzepek.
Industrial Research Institute,
MIT

Panelists



Ms. Elsie G. Attafuah
UNDP Resident
Representative



Mr. Alfred Okot Okidi
Permanent Secretary - MWE



Prof Alex Ariho
Director General, Excel Hort
Consult Agribusiness
Incubator



**Hon. Mariam Mayanja
Nkalubo** Minister of Lands
and Environment, Buganda
Kingdom



Mr. Ramathan Ggoobi
Lecturer, Makerere University
Business School



Ms. Blick Carol Gloria
National Coordinator, Youth
Go Green Youth Clubs

KEY NOTE SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS

SPEAKERS: Dialogue session on 22nd March 2021 - Water and Environment in a Creative Economy, Time 10a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

KEY NOTE SPEAKER



Mr. Oliver Greenfield,
Convenor, Green Economy
Coalition

Panelists



Ronald Kaggwa
Manager- Production, Trade and
Tourism Planning
National Planning Authority



Dr Florence Adongo
Director, Directorate of Water
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Dr Arthur Bainomugisha-
Executive Director, ACODE



Mr. Cornelius Kazoora
Consultant, Sustainable
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Mr. Dean Muruven
Global Freshwater Practice
Lead - WWF International;

KEY NOTE SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS

SPEAKERS: Dialogue session on 23rd March 2021 - Water and Environment in a Creative Economy, Time 10 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

KEY NOTE SPEAKER



Dr Nagaraja Rao Harsh,
Global Lead – Disruptive
Technology, World Bank

Panelists



David Duli
Country Director WWF
Uganda Country Office.



Patrick Badagawa
ED Private Sector Foundation



Dr Daisy Owomugasho
Country Director, Hunger
Project



Dr. Stuart Worsley
Green Economy Coalition,
Countries Programme
Director



Mr. Peter Kuria
Director Innovations and
Business Incubation,
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KEY NOTE SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS

SPEAKERS: Dialogue session on Wednesday 24th March 2021 - Managing Water and Environmental shocks, Time 10 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

KEY NOTE SPEAKER



Dr. Musonda Mumba
Director, UNDP Rome Centre for Sustainable Development

Panelists



Dr Radhika Murti
Director, Global Ecosystems Management -IUCN



Dr Emmanuel Zziwa
FAO



Mr. James Collins Dombo
Ag. PS, OPM



Dr. Joshua Zake
ED, Environment Alert:



Dr Charles Wana Etyem -
Warner Consultants



Mr. Collins Oloya
Director, DEA.

KEY NOTE SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS

SPEAKERS: Dialogue session on Thursday 25th March 2021 Water and Environment security for smart urban growth, Time 10:00 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

KEY NOTE SPEAKER



Dr. Graham Alabaster
Head-UN Habitat Geneva

Panelists



Dr Silver Mugisha
MD, NWSC



Mr. Edward Kiwanuka
Town Clerk, Gulu City



Mr. Fridtjof Behnsen
Head of GIZ NatuReS,
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Ms. Dorcas Okalany
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Ms. Chikondi Chabvuta
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Ms. Jane Sembuche Mselle
Country Director, Water Aid
Uganda

KEY NOTE SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS

SPEAKERS: Dialogue session on 26th March 2021 UWEWK2021 WRAPUP, Time 2 to 5 p.m.

Panelists



Robert Limlim
Director of NUSAF3 (OPM)



Amb Attilio Pacifici
Head of EU Delegation in
Uganda



Dr. Alexander Danilenko
Sr. Water and Sanitation
Specialist, World Bank



Ms Anne Juuko
CEO Stanbic Bank;



Mr. Julius Mukunda
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Eng. Joseph Eyatu
Director-DWD

UWEWK 2021 PRE-EVENT ACTIVITIES	
7 - 20 March	<p>PRE-EVENT #1: UWEWK 2021 Walk for Water, Environment, Climate Change and Public Health (371Km) from Kampala to Kasese led by Uganda Walkers' Association (9th to 20th March 2021)</p> <p>PRE-EVENT #2: UWEWK 2021 Flip-flopi Lake Victoria Expedition in Uganda (7th to 22nd March 2021)</p> <p>PRE-EVENT #3: Kingdom of Buganda Mini Open Day Exhibition at Bulange Mengo (12 March 2021)</p>
15-20 Mar	<p>PRE-EVENT #4: UWEWK 2021 - Writeshop (11th and 12th March 2021)</p> <p>PRE-EVENT #5: UWEWK 2021 - Regional Activities (15th - 20th March 2021)</p> <p>PRE-EVENT #6: High level Dialogue on Forest Restoration (18 March 2021)</p>
Sunday 21st March 2021	<p>PRE-EVENT #7: Running out of Trees (ROOTs) Run to launch the Annual 40 Million Trees Planting Campaign (21st March 2021)</p> <p>OPENING CEREMONY: @ MWE Auditorium and Live on UBC & NBS TVs, and ZOOM</p> <p>14:00 - 14:05 Welcome and Introduction to the UWEWK2021</p> <p>14:05 - 14:10 Welcome Remarks by Chair, National Organizing Committee</p> <p>14:10 - 14:20 Speech on the World Forest, Water and Meteorological days by the United Nations Resident Coordinator, Uganda</p> <p>14:20 - 14:30 Welcome Speech by Minister of Water and Environment</p> <p>14:30 - 14:45 Opening Speech by Guest of Honour, the Prime Minister of Uganda</p> <p>14:45 - 15:10 Key Note Presentation: "Water and Environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda"</p> <p>15:10 - 15:15 TV Interlude and Health Break</p> <p>15:15 - 16:45 Panel Discussion: Ms. Elsie G. Attafuah - UNDP Resident Representative; Mr. Alfred Okot Okidi - Permanent Secretary, MWE; Prof Alex Ariho - Director General, Excel Hort Consult Agribusiness Incubator; Hon. Mariam Mayanja Nkalubo - Minister of Lands and Environment, Buganda Kingdom; Mr. Ramathan Ggoobi - Lecturer, Makerere University Business School; Ms. Blick Carol Gloria- National Coordinator, Youth Go Green Youth Clubs</p> <p>Moderators: Charles Odongho, UBC and Josephine Karungi, Consultant</p> <p>Key Note Speaker: Prof. Ken Strzepek, Industrial Research Institute, MIT, USA</p> <p>16:45 - 17:00 Discussions and Feedback</p>
Monday 22nd March 2021	<p>END OF DAY ONE</p> <p>Dialogue Sub-theme No. 1 - VALUING WATER AND ENVIRONMENT RESOURCES FOR SOCIO-ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION OF UGANDA - (ZOOM)</p> <p>Key Note Presentation: "Valuing Water and Environment resources for socio-economic transformation"</p> <p>Key Note Speaker: Mr. Oliver Greenfield, Global Convener- Green Economic Coalition, UK</p> <p>Panel Discussion - Mr. Ronald Kagwa- Manager, NPA; Dr Arthur Bainomugisha- ED ACODE; Mr. Cornelius Kazoora- Consultant; Mr. Dean Muruvu - Global Freshwater Practice Lead - WWF International; Dr Florence Adongo - Director, DWRM -</p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Sophie Kutegeka- CD IUCN</p>

12:15 - 12:45		Discussions and Feedback			
LUNCH BREAK					
14:00 - 17:00		<p>Session 1: Valuing Water and Environment resources for socio-economic transformation- Policy, Practice & Scientific Papers Presentation - Part I, (DWD Board room) refer to annex i</p> <p>Session 2: Applied training: Natural Resources Based Business and Entrepreneurship: Climate Smart Aquaculture - Dr. Ronald Semyalo MUK (Zooka Board room) refer to annex ii</p> <p>Parallel Sessions (ZOOM)</p> <p>Session 3: Virtual Field visit: WASH in the Refugee Context – Delivering services beyond humanitarian response - Austria Development Agency (Nile Board room) refer to annex iv</p> <p>Session 4: Side Event PPP Approach for accelerating access to Water and Sanitation in Uganda: National Water and Sewerage Corporation (IREC Board Room 3) Annex iii</p> <p>Session 5: Side Event: Green Climate Fund Wetlands Project - UNDP (MWE Auditorium) refer to annex iii</p>			
END OF DAY TWO					
<p>Dialogue Sub-theme No. II - WATER AND ENVIRONMENT IN A CREATIVE ECONOMY (ZOOM)</p> <p>Key Note Speaker: Dr Nagaraja Rao Harsh, Global Lead – Disruptive Technology, World Bank, USA</p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Jane Nabunnnya Mutumba -CD IRC</p>					
10:00 - 10:20		Key Note Presentation: "Water and Environment in a Creative Economy"			
10:20 - 12:15		<p>Panel Discussion: Dr. Stuart Worsley - Green Economy Coalition, Countries Programme Director; Dr Gideon Badagawa - ED Private Sector Foundation; Mr. Peter Kuria- Director Innovations and Business Incubation, AAAIN; Mr. David Duli-Country Director, WWF Uganda Country Office</p> <p>Discussions and Feedback</p>			
12:15 - 12:45		Discussions and Feedback			
LUNCH BREAK					
14:00 - 17:00		<p>Session 6: Water and Environment in a Creative Economy – Policy, Practice & Scientific Papers Presentation, (Nile Board room) refer to annex i</p> <p>Session 7: Applied Training: Natural Capital Accounting in Uganda: Introduction for Decision Makers- DEA (Zooka Board room) refer to annex ii</p> <p>Session 8: Side Event: Addressing Climate Change impacts and their causes towards sustainable water and environment resources management and use- UWASNET (IREC Board room 1) refer to annex iii</p> <p>Session 9: Virtual Field visits: Rain Water harvesting from rock outcrops- Akwang Rock catchment- Aid Environment. Virtual Field Visit: Bamboo utilization, possibilities and potential to improve livelihood, to restore land and mitigate climate change - INBAR (DWD Board room) (DWD Board room) refer to annex iv</p> <p>Session 10: Side Event: The value of safe water supply in healthcare facilities for socio-economic transformation - IRC/WaterAid (IREC Board room 2) refer to annex iii</p>			
END OF DAY THREE					
<p>Dialogue Session No. III- MANAGING WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL SHOCKS - (ZOOM)</p> <p>Key Note Speaker: Dr. Musonda Mumba - Director, UNDP Rome Centre for Sustainable Development, Italy</p>					
10:00 - 10:20		Key Note Presentation: "Managing water and environment shocks"			
10:20 - 12:15		<p>Panel Discussion: Dr Radhika Murti -Director, Global Ecosystems Management -IUCN; Dr Emmanuel Zziwa - FAO; Mr. James Collins Dombo -Ag. PS, OPM; Dr. Joshua Zake – ED, Environment Alert; Dr Charles Wana Etyem - Wamer Consultants; Mr. Collins Oloya - Director, DEA.</p> <p>Discussions and Feedback</p>			
12:15 - 12:45		Discussions and Feedback			
LUNCH BREAK					
14:00 - 17:00		<p>Session 11: Managing Water and Environmental Shocks - Policy, Practice & Scientific Papers Presentation, (Nile Board room) refer to annex i</p> <p>Session 12: Career Talk for young professionals, refer to annex (IREC Board room 1) refer to annex iv</p> <p>Session 13: Applied Training: IWRM- a tool for integrating Climate Change Adaptation and Community Managed Ecological Disaster Risk Reduction in Uganda -IIRR (Zooka Board room) refer to annex ii</p> <p>Session 14: Side Event: Climate Change Financing in Uganda-CSBAG (IREC Board room 2) refer to annex iii</p> <p>Session 15: Side Event: Official launch of the GIZ programme Natural Resources Stewardship Programme (NatuRes) - GIZ (Auditorium MWE) refer to annex iii</p>			

Tuesday 23rd March 2021

Wednesday 24th March 2021

END OF DAY FOUR	
Dialogue Session No. IV- WATER AND ENVIRONMENT SECURITY FOR SMART URBAN GROWTH- ZOOM	
10:00 - 10:20	Key note presentation: "Water and Environment security for smart urban growth"
10:20 - 12:15	Panel Discussions: Dr Silver Mugisha- MD NWSC; Mr. Edward Kiwanuka- Town Clerk, Gulu City; Mr. Fridtjof Behnseen- Head of GIZ NatuReS, Tanzania ; Ms. Dorcas Okalany- PS, Min of Lands; Ms. Chikondi Chabvuta - Regional Advocacy Adviser, CARE SA; Ms. Jane Sembuche Mselle -Country Director, Water Aid Uganda
12:15 - 12:45	Discussions and Feedback
LUNCH BREAK	
Parallel Sessions (ZOOM)	
13:00 - 17:00	<p>Session 16: Water and Environment Security for inclusive-growth – Policy, Practice & Scientific Papers Presentation - Part II, (Nile Board room) refer to annex i</p> <p>Session 17 : Applied Training: The Shit Flow Diagram (SFDs) and City Service Delivery Assessments (CSDA) tools for enhancing sanitation service- Water for People & GIZ (IREC Board room 2) refer to annex ii</p> <p>Session 18 Side Event: Trans boundary water cooperation focus on River Nile- Trans boundary Department IMWE (Zooka Board room) refer to annex iii</p> <p>Session 19: Side Event: Delivering Bonn Challenge Pledges in a way that benefits people and biodiversity: The Ugandan model - IUCN (IREC Board room 1) refer to annex iii</p> <p>Session 20: Applied Training: Introduction to GIS Asset Mapping and Surveying - Engineers without Borders USA & WIGIS Uganda (DWD Board room) refer to annex ii</p> <p>Session 21 Side Event: Official Launch of the WRI mentorship program for young and early career professionals in water and environment Sector- WRI (MWE Auditorium) refer to annex iii</p>
END OF DAY FIVE	
Parallel Sessions (ZOOM)	
07:00 - 09:00	<p>Session 26: Breakfast Meeting : UMA, MWE and GIZ- (Protea Hotel) refer to annex iii</p> <p>Session 27: Virtual Field Visit: Enhancing Resilience of Communities to Climate Change Through Catchment Based Integrated Management of Water And Related Resources in Uganda - EURECCA (DWD Board room) refer to annex iv</p>
9:00 - 12:30	<p>Session 23: Physical field Visit: Pit emptying using the gulper technology; Makindye Division and Lubigi treatment plant - Water for people refer to annex iv</p> <p>Session 24: Managing Water and Environmental Shocks - Policy, Practice & Scientific Papers Presentation, refer to annex (Zooka Board room) refer to annex i</p> <p>Session 25: Valuing Water and Environment resources for socio-economic transformation - Policy, Practice & Scientific Papers Presentation, refer to annex (Nile Board room) refer to annex i</p>
LUNCH BREAK	
UWEWK2021 WRAP UP & CLOSING CEREMONY: @ MWE Auditorium and Live on UBC & NBS TVs. and ZOOM	
14:00 - 14:05	Welcome to the Closing Ceremony
14:05 - 14:20	UWEWK2021 Summary & Key Messages
14:20 - 15:45	Panel Discussion: Dr Robert Limlim - Director of NUSAF3 (OPM); Amb Attilio Pacifici- Head of EU Delegation in Uganda; Dr. Alexander Danilenko- Sr. Water and Sanitation Specialist, World Bank; Ms Anne Juuko- CEO Stanbic Bank; Mr. Julius Mukunda - ED CSBAG; Eng. Joseph Eyatu- Director-DWD
15:45 - 17:00	Closing Speech by Guest of Honour -Minister of Water and Environment
END OF UWEWK 2021 CONFERENCE	

Thursday 25th March 2021

Friday 26th March 2021

Annex I Papers and Presentations							Session Chair
S/No.	Date of presentation	Time of presentation	Title of Abstract	Theme for UWEWK 2020	Category of applied research	Author's Name	Dr Nicholas Kigundu
1		14:05 - 14:15	Assessment of Kampala city groundwater vulnerability and possible management of the natural resource.	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Scientific	Johnson Pule	
2		14:15 - 14:25	Groundwater Assessment in Kitgum District	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Scientific	Daniel Samson Okurut	
3		14:25-14:35	Increasing sustainable access to safe water through promoting rain water stone masonry and Ferro cement harvesting tank	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Policy	Richard Mpagi	
4		14:35-15:45	Effective demand for more reliable hand pumps in rural Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Daniel W. Smith	
5		14:45 - 14:55	Enhancing resilience of communities to climate change through a catchment based integrated management approach: experiences from EURECCA Project	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Callist Tindimugaya	
6		14:55 - 15:05	Sustainable Land Management Paradigm, Harnessing Technologies for Nutrient and Water Management in the Great Lakes Region of Africa	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Musinguzi Patrick	
7		15:05-15:15	Bankable Nature Solutions, an innovative way to attract private sector and financial institutions into sustainable utilization of water and land resources in Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Namanya Beria	
8		15:15 - 15:25	Assessing the spatial and temporal variations in water quality along a segment of River Sironko on Mt. Elgon, Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Scientific	Justine Kilama Luwa	
9		15:25 - 15:35	Effect of land cover type on water yield in selected catchments of the Kyoga Water Management Zone, Eastern Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Scientific	Ellen Kayendeke	
10		15:35 - 15:45	Climate-Smart Watersheds: A framework for hydro social resilience to climate change in fragile catchments	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Scientific	Yazidhi Bamutaze	
11		15:45 - 15:55	Design and Construction of a Hydro Powered Water Pumping System and Power Generation System	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Scientific	David Kimera	
12		15:55 -16:05	Football for Community WASH Challenge-Tap and respond to Young adolescents	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Caroline Namale	
15		16:05 - 16:15	Community Led Wetland Restoration. Lessons from restoration of Papayo Wetland, Palisa district	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Moses Egaru	

Session 1: Monday 22/March/2021

16	16:15 - 16:25	Increasing biodiversity conservation and employment opportunities through Forest Landscape Restoration in Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Alex Hudson								
17	16:25 - 16:35	Refugee Participation in the Conservation of Wetlands in Uganda: Kyaka II Refugee Settlement	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Flavia Kunthira								
18	10:05 - 10:15	IOT Based Irrigation System	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Scientific	Musa Nahaima								
19	10:15 - 10:25	Sustainable Value addition of water and natural resources for increased income and employment through productive use equipment	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Tulina Solar Uganda								
20	10:25 - 10:35	The Challenges of Sustainable Management and Utilization of Water Resources in Uganda: A case of River Atari, Kyoga water management Zone-Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Haggai Ojwang								
21	10:35 - 10:45	Causes of Uganda's diminishing forest cover: A Case of Bugoma Central Forest Reserve	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Cotilda Nakyeeyune								
22	10:45 - 10:55	Water Security Threats and Investment Opportunities in Greater Kampala Metropolitan	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Lydia Ngozi								
	11:55 - 11:05	Fruits of embracing IWRM Framework: A case of Kyoga Water management zone (KWMZ)	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Tumusime Edmond Peter								
	11:05 - 11:15	Balancing Cost Recovery and Affordability: Findings from a Piped Water Project in Northern Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Noah Otim								
	11:15 - 11:25	Adaptive Planning and Management: Implementing WASH Programmes Flexibly in a Rapidly Changing World	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Rithwan Kalinaki								
	11:25 - 11:35	Potential application effects of 'Humate' Agro-input on release of Nitrates, Ammonia and Phosphorus in a Production Environment in Uganda	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Nuwarimpa Nagaba								
	11:35 - 11:45	Dynamics of Wood Value Chains for Smallholder Tree Farmers in Mubende District	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Practice	Abdul Samanya								
	11:45-11:55	Abstract from Protos	Valuing Water and Environment resources	Policy	George Bwambale								
23	14:05 - 14:15	Innovative Solutions to Enhance Equitable Piped Water Supply Services in Uganda (Case of Umbrellas of Water and Sanitation)	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Diana Keesiga								Rosemirita Birungi

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24	14:15 - 14:25	Promoting inclusive water resources management practices for sustainable development in Uganda	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Baker Matovu
25	14:25-14:35	Financial empowerment of rural communities for water sustainability and agricultural growth	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Chris Prottas
26	14:35-14:45	Poultry: critical linkage between livelihoods and rural hygiene	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Chris Prottas
27	14:45 - 14:55	Implications of Vegetation Change on Catchment Hydrology in Awoja, Lake Kyoga Basin	Water and environment in a creative economy	Scientific	Ingrid Martha Kintu
28	14:55 - 15:05	Water Supply KPI monitoring using Internet of Things (IoT)	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Julius Bakeine Musiimenta
29	15:05-15:15	Scaling up the use of Inclusive Finance for catchment restoration in Uganda	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Sophie Kutegeka
30	15:15 - 15:25	The Water Works Program for Ensuring Long-term Sustainability of Water and Sanitation Infrastructure in Kakumiro District: Lifewater International's O&M Strategy	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Paul Oboya
31	15:25 - 15:35	Supporting Women Groups to Produce Improved Energy Saving Stoves Using Local Materials: A Case of Awoja Catchment in Kyoga Water Management Zone	Water and environment in a creative economy	Practice	Benjamin Wangga
32	15:35 - 15:45	Assessment of the Influence of Upstream Water Use and changes in Climatic Conditions across River Mpanga Catchment on Hydropower Production, Kamwenge, Uganda.	Water and environment in a creative economy	Scientific	Charles Onyutha
	15:45 - 15:55	Effective coordination as key driver for achieving Water and environment security for socio-economic transformation of Uganda	Water and environment in a creative economy	Policy	Orishaba Judith-
	15:55- 16:05	Responding to the COVID19 Pandemic through the Community Engagement Strategy	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Kumbulani Ndlovu
33	14:05 - 14:15	Strategies for Managing Water Crisis-Case Study in National Water and Sewerage Corporation	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Derrick Arthur Ddumba
34	14:15 - 14:25	Review Of The Use Of Exotic Tree Species And The Potential Impact On Environment In Uganda	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Policy	Alex Semakula
35	14:25-14:35	Application of satellite data to develop drought early warning systems in Uganda	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Josephine Mendela
36	14:35 - 14:45	Determinants and Values of Willingness to Pay Towards Flood Management in Uganda	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Ambrose Mubialiwo
37	14:45 - 15:05	Water Quality Monitoring of Lake Victoria Using GIS and Satellite Imagery	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Ssewankambo Gyavira
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Dr Lawrence Orikiriza					

38		15:05 - 15:15	Hydrological characteristics underpinning landslides in Manafwa catchment, Mount Elgon	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Moses Kutosi
39		15:15-15:25	Trends and response of medium catchments to rainfall variability in tropical highland environments: A case of Sipi catchment on Mt. Elgon, Uganda	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Justine Kilama Luwa
40		15:25 - 15:35	Flood Hazard Assessment and Mapping of Flood Inundation Area of the Manafwa River Basin in Eastern Uganda using SWAT and HEC-RAS Model	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Godwin Erima
41		15:35 - 15:45	Assessing Soil Erosion Using Rusle and SDR Model	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Sharon Akech
42		15:45 - 15:55	Evaluation of Maize Yield Response to Different Levels of Water Stress During Off-Season	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Denis Nsubuga
43		16:05 - 16:05	Increasing Income Through Irrigated Vegetable Production	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Marty Fokkink
44		16:15 -16:25	Investigating the impact of a potential cascade dam failure on Victoria Nile as a result of failure of Nalubale and Kiira dam	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Joel Martin Eyiga
		16:25 - 16: 35	Local Community Involvement in Restoration of Nyakahita Wetland, Maziba Catchment	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Mugisha Louis
		16:35 - 16:45	Responding to climate change impacts through irrigation in Uganda: Challenges, Opportunities and Benefits	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Opolot Emmanuel
		16:45 - 16:55	Application of WEAP-SWAT: A creative tool for assessment of water demand and availability under climate change in Mitano Catchment	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Trust Brenda
45	Session 24: Friday 26/March /2021	10:05 - 10:15	Water and Environmental Conservation for vulnerable resource dependent communities: A Call for Action	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Policy	Anthony Mugeere
46		10:15 - 10:25	River Rwizi Catchment Degradation, Restoration and Effects On Community Livelihoods: Case Study for River Rwizi in South Western Uganda	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	John Okiira
47		10:25 - 10:35	Water Budgets: Foundations for Managing Water and Environmental Shocks	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	David Kataratambi
48		10:35 - 10:45	Implementing a Landscape Approach to jointly address climate change and societal challenges in Uganda	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	James Omoding
49		10:45 - 10:55	Applying the Sense-maker tool to un-pack stakeholder perceptions for improved management and utilisation of environment resources	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	James Omoding
50		10:55 - 11:05	Harnessing Community Potential to Protect the Water and Environment Resource for Social Economic Transformation of Rwizi Catchment	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Dunstan Ddamulira

51	11:05 - 11:15	Design and Construction of a Gravity Flow Rain Water Harvesting System for Irrigation	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Ivan Eric Okiror								
52	11:15 - 11:25	Scenario-Evaluation Gaming: A Sustainable Approach to Forest and Water Resources Management, a case of Mt. Elgon Water Tower, Uganda	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	George Kimbowa								
53	11:25- 11:35	Status of Water Quality of Lake Victoria in relation to recent fish kills: a rapid assessment study within bays and pelagic zones	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Deo Odota								
54	11:35 - 11:45	Abstract On Experiences On Establishment of Energy Saving Cook Stoves in Aswa Catchment as Alternative Livelihood and Energy Saving Technology	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Deneth Mugarura								
55	11:45 - 11:55	Assessment of the triggers of floods in the Rwenzori region	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Brian Guma								
56	11:55 - 12:05	Assessing Environmental Management Challenges and Solutions in Maziba Sub Catchment. A case of River Kiruruma, Kabale district	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Practice	Tusiime Gilbert-								
57	12:05 - 12:15	Combating deep gullies in Maziba catchment. A Case study of Nyamurindira, Ruhanga and Kilembe micro catchments	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Mugisha Louis								
58	12:15-12:25	Effect of Eutrophication on the Quality of Water along the Shores of Lake Victoria	Dealing with water and environment shocks	Scientific	Namukisa Victoria								
Session 17: Thursday 25/March/2021													
59	14:05 - 14:15	De-carbonizing Kampala City Transport System	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Practice	Joseph Kigozi								
60	14:15 - 14:25	Climate Resilient Urban Mobility by Non-Motorized Transport	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Scientific	Joseph Kigozi								
61	14:25-14:35	Water Contamination: Its Effects, Prevention, and Climatic Impact. A Case of Uganda	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Practice	Vincent Olema								
62	14:35-14:45	Seasonal dynamics of climate change on medium timescale and potential effect on patterns of hydro meteorological hazards in the Kyoga Water Management Zone	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Scientific	Jesse Kiseembe								
63	14:45 - 14:55	Hydrological regimes under dynamic land use and land cover changes in the Manafwa River catchment, Uganda	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Scientific	Godwin Erima								
64	14:55 - 15:05	Assessing levels of heavy metals and E.coli in green vegetables grown in the Nakivubo wetlands	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Scientific	Paul Elena								

65	15:05-15:15	Deterioration and Optimal Rehabilitation Models for Urban Water Distribution Systems: A case study of Kampala water, Uganda	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Scientific	Rose Auma
66	15:15 - 15:25	Adoption of Interlocking Stabilized Soil Blocks	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Practice	Benon Kwikinza
67	15:25 - 15:35	Impact of Poor Stakeholder Collaboration On Wash-Data Chain Management: A Case Study of Mbale Municipality	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Practice	Turnusiime Edmond Peter
68	15:35 - 15:45	WASH systems building blocks – a tool for water service improvement in Kabarole District Local Government	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Practice	Anobe Florence
69	15:45 - 15:55	Evolving Sustainable Urban Growth through Multi-stakeholder Partnerships: The Greater Kampala PET Plastics Recycling Partnership	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Practice	Masaaba Peter
70	15:55 - 17:05	Rapid Assessment and Design Study for Improved Waste Management in Kabango Town-Klia Catchment, Masindi-Hoima, Uganda	Ensuring water and environment security for sustainable urban growth	Scientific	Kerudong Paskwale

Annex ii Applied Trainings

Date	Time of presentation	Title Training	Overview	Mode of training	Organizers	Trainers	Venue
Session 2: Monday 22nd March 2021	14:00 - 17:00	Natural resources based business and entrepreneurship: climate smart aquaculture	An overview of aquaculture The aquaculture value chain An introduction to aquaculture systems – prospects and limitations Fish farming as a business Fundamentals of sustainable aquaculture Climate change and aquatic systems – an overview Aquaculture entrepreneurship – opportunities	Online and in person attendance using videos and lecture	Makerere University	Dr. Ronald Semyalo: Lecturer Makerere University	Zooka Board Room and on Zoom
Session 7: Tuesday 23rd March 2021	14:00 - 17:00	Natural Capital Accounting in Uganda: Introduction for Decision Makers	The main objective of the training is to share the motivation for Natural Capital Accounting (NCA) in Uganda, to provide knowledge on the steps for undertaking NCA in Uganda, the available statistics, data and tools	The training is designed as both a lecture and a sharing of experiences from current government processes	Department of Environment Affairs	Mr. Moses Masiga a consultant with the World Bank/ Wealth Accounting and Valuation of Ecosystem Services (WAVES), Dr. Sam Mugume Principal Statistician with the Macroeconomic Policy Department in the Ministry of Finance Planning and Economic Development. Mr. Ronald Kaggwa is the Manager Production, Trade and Tourism Planning for the National Planning Authority.	Zooka Board Room and on Zoom
Session 13: Wednesday 24th March 2021	14:00 - 17:00	Integrated Water Resources Management- a tool for Integrating Climate Change Adaptation and Community Managed Ecological Disaster Risk Reduction in Uganda	The linkage between IWRM, Ecosystems resilience, Climate change and Community Managed Disaster Risk Reduction (CMDRR) - is increasingly gaining recognition. However, this linkage is insufficiently understood by development practitioners. A Practical guide to implementation and mainstreaming of Climate Change adaptation, Disaster Risk Reduction and Ecosystems restoration within a river basin/catchment management framework will be provided in this training	Online and in-person attendance using videos and lecture	International Institute for Rural Reconstruction	Ms. Pamela Nyamutoka- IIRR Country Director Mr. Robert Kallisa- Master Trainer-IWRM Climate Change & DRR-Uganda Mr. Isaac Bwire-DRR-CCA Regional trainer-IIRR	Zooka Board Room and on Zoom
Session 18: Thursday 25th March 2021	14:00 - 17:00	The Shit Flow Diagram (SFDs) and City Service Delivery Assessments (CSDA) tools for enhancing sanitation service	It will enable participants to apply tools: Identify data requirements for the development of SFDs and CSDAs , Understand the screen and to enter data for the production of SFD, practice the tools through a worked example, understand the support available to enable the development of an SFD and CSDA for the city, Learn from the authorities in Uganda on how the tools have been applied to advocate for safely managed sanitation	Online and inperson attendance for few. Participants should join from their laptops using a head set and camera participants are encouraged to download software and templates prior to the session Free SFD download and CSDA download	Water for People	Prof. Dr. Charles B. Nuwagaba has over 20 years of experience in research, teaching and consultancy in civil engineering. City Cecilia Rodrigues advisor at the sustainable sanitation sector program at GIZ GmbH. Dr. Najib Lukooya an international expert in the fields of Urban water and sanitation and has worked with cities and local urban authorities, utilities and international development agencies in Africa, Europe and USA.	Zooka Board Room and on Zoom
Session 20: Thursday 25th March 2021	14:00 - 17:00	Introduction to GIS Asset Mapping and Surveying	AN In-depth look at GPS and GIS GIS Software – a look at Q-GIS as an example Collecting GIS data points	Lectures and discussions	Women in GIS (WiGIS) Uganda &	Yvonne Lugaali is a sanitation engineer at Water for People. Women in GIS (WiGIS) Uganda & Engineers without Borders (EWB)-USA	DWD Board Room

		Final output examples – Asset mapping, elevations, survey data, etc.	Engineers without Borders (EWB)-USA	
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Annex iii Side Events

Sessions	Title	Organizer	Overview	Date	Organiser	Venue	Contact
Session 19	Delivering Bonn Challenge Pledges in a way that benefits people and biodiversity: The Ugandan model	International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN Uganda)	The session will present a project led by the three organizing partners to establish indigenous tree nurseries in Uganda to help meet its 2.5m ha Bonn Challenge pledge in a way that benefits biodiversity and provides rural employment opportunities. 100 native tree species are available from nurseries, far more than the standard planting mix. The Ugandan audience, will be potential seedling purchasers, including NGOs, companies and government with the potential to scale up planting native species across Uganda. The project built on the Uganda Restoration Opportunities Assessment Methodology (ROAM) work, and has developed a model that can be replicated in other countries. The global audience will be government representatives, IUCN regional office staff and other Forest Landscape Restoration (FLR) actors from countries that have made ambitious Bonn Challenge pledges, carried out ROAM work or are implementing FLR. Government designed a wetland restoration project implemented under the presidential initiative. The Building Resilient Communities, Wetlands Ecosystems and Associated Catchments project is being implemented by the Ministry of Water and Environment (MWE), Ministry of Agriculture Animal Industry and Fisheries (MAAIF) and Uganda National Meteorological Authority (UNMA). The initiative co-funded by Government of Uganda, the Green Climate Fund and United Nations Development Program. With the implementation entering the fifth year, the project has demonstrated that sustainable use of wetlands will be key to water and environment security. Furthermore, given the crucial wetlands ecosystems services, restoring wetlands lays a strong foundation for ensuring water and environment security. This side event therefore, offers an important platform for sharing knowledge and understanding on the significance of wetland restoration based on this project experience. In this event, you will get exposed to the project and its outcomes through a video and dialogue jointly	26th March 2021	IUCN	IREC Board room 1	Sophie Kutegeka
Session 5	Green Climate Fund- Wetlands Project	UNDP	The UWASNET side event facilitates learning and sharing on Climate Change mitigation and adaptation measures from key partners in all the 4 East African countries namely; Uganda, Kenya, Tanzania, Somalia in line with the sub-theme of the side event. It also facilitates deliberations on CSOs' participation in the Africa Climate Change Week planned for September 2021 and contribution to the Citizens Charter on Climate Change. It also strengthens coordination of CSOs' contribution to and advocacy initiatives towards ensuring Climate Change mitigation and adaptation measures in East Africa.	22nd March 2021	UNDP	IREK Board Room 2	Jimmy Toko
Session 8	Addressing Climate Change impacts and their causes towards sustainable water and environment resources management and use	Uganda Water and Sanitation Network (UWASNET)		23rd March 2021	UWASNET	Off Site	Rehema Aanyu

<p>Session 10</p>	<p>The value of safe water supply in healthcare facilities for social-economic transformation</p>	<p>IRC Uganda</p>	<p>Uganda's vision for a modern and prosperous country by 2040 depends on a healthy productive population. While the health sector has recorded commendable progress in increased access to healthcare through building and upgrading health-centers in the community, healthcare planning and investment has not given adequate prominence to water supply, sanitation infrastructure, environmental and hand hygiene (WASH) in healthcare facilities. Research done in Kabarole by IRC, CDC and partners revealed that while water is the core to delivering basic services at the health-center, more than half (issues combined) had intermittent supply dependent on rainfall, had no drinking water stations, had unsafe with e-coli, had inadequate sanitation facilities with minimal water for cleaning. This is collaborated by similar research done by WaterAid. The side event will profile the silent debate on the socio-economic value of safe water supply in healthcare services. Lessons from practice, research and recommendations for policy action.</p>	<p>23rd March 2021</p>	<p>IRC and WaterAid</p>	<p>IREC Board Room 2</p>	<p>Jane Nabunnya Mulumba</p>
<p>session 12</p>	<p>Career Talk: Harnessing the possibilities of youth for the transformation of the water, sanitation and environment sector</p>	<p>Young Water and environment Professionals</p>	<p>A career talk is organized annually as one of the activities during the UWEK purposely to give professionals an opportunity to share challenges /barriers, their contribution towards improvement in the sector and learn about potential career opportunities in water and environment sector. the objectives are Ø To help the youth understand and embrace Government programs for sustainable growth. Ø To help young water and environment professionals in improving their understanding of sustaining career growth Ø To identify challenges youth face in the private sector and appropriate solutions to close the gap</p>	<p>24th March 2021</p>	<p>Young water and environment professionals</p>	<p>IREC Room 1</p>	<p>Mary Namukose</p>
<p>Session 14</p>	<p>Policy Dialogue on Climate Financing in Uganda</p>	<p>Civil Society Budget Advocacy Group (CSBAG)</p>	<p>CSBAG in 2020 assessed the State of Climate Financing in Uganda. The study revealed Uganda is still faced with a challenge of monitoring, tracking and reporting on climate change financials from both public and private sources. therefore this side event will focus on interrogating the fiscal interventions and their effectiveness on Climate Financing and discuss policy reforms and propose more efficient and responsive policy options for Climate financing in Uganda. The dialogue will be facilitated through a presentation of the findings from the Climate Financing report. This will be followed by a panel discussion of seasoned experts comprising officials from Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, Ministry of Water and Environment and Civil Society. Participants will have the opportunity to share opinions with our experts and with each other.</p>	<p>24th March 2021</p>	<p>CSBAG</p>	<p>IREC Board Room</p>	<p>Michel Ainebyona</p>
<p>Session15</p>	<p>Launch of the Natural Resources Stewardship Programme (NatuReS) and Partnerships</p>	<p>GIZ NatuReS/ MWE</p>	<p>Official launch of the GIZ programme Natural Resources Stewardship Programme (NatuReS), which enables multi-stakeholder partnerships on natural resources stewardship and official launch of NatuReS partnerships including presentation of programme and partnerships and a panel discussion</p>	<p>24th March 2021</p>	<p>Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH,</p>	<p>MWE Auditorium</p>	<p>Peter Masaba</p>

<p>Session 18</p>	<p>Create Awareness on the need for Trans boundary Cooperation</p>	<p>International and Trans boundary Water Affairs Department, MWE</p>	<p>Create Awareness on the need for Transboundary Cooperation – Nile Basin Initiative. Transboundary cooperation is key in sharing benefits on shared water resources like the Nile River for sustainable development of Uganda. Why evolution of transboundary cooperation in water management and how can transboundary cooperation be used as a springboard to national development?</p> <p>WRI-MENTORSHIP program is a career-development fellowship that seeks to mentor the WOMEN, young and mid-career professionals in water and environmental related fields of practice by catalysing and strengthening their scientific and leadership skills. WRI-MENTORSHIP program is a trigger to awaken women, young and mid-career professionals' capacity for management and development of water and environmental resources among networks of professionals across Uganda and beyond. This will be launched and the focus as follow</p> <p>1. Key note address delivered by the commissioner Human Resources Ministry of Education. This will provide an over view of the mentorship as a unique support systems for development of careers. How this will help build a formidable force of female employees that are well suited to take on leadership opportunities in various government, civil society and private sector spheres. 2. Panel discussion: Four female panellists will engage in dialogue sessions to explore the value of mentorship in career development and professional growth. The proposed panellists shall include those that a current mentee, professional mentor, Human resource manager and female CEO.</p>	<p>25th March 2021</p>	<p>International and Trans boundary Water Affairs Department, MWE</p>	<p>Sowed Ssewagudde</p>
<p>Session 21</p>	<p>Launch of the Women Mentorship Program during UWEWK 2021</p>	<p>Water Resources Institute</p>	<p>This first edition of the Debate will address the theme in its different components. It will focus on how water-related risks due to climate variability and change, combined with the rapid population growth, and increase in unemployment, constitute intimidating socio-economic perspectives for young people between the ages of 15-35 across Uganda Debate question; "This House believes that, youth employment and wealth creation without considering water and environment issues is not sustainable". At the end of the Debate, all participants will be requested to sign a declaration with a common commitment to undertake concrete actions in their communities to protect and conserve water and environment resources. The debate winners will be given tree seedlings to plant, an Award for winning the debate and a cash prize of UGX 1,000,000 (One Million shillings only). A youth declaration with "common commitment" will be among the outcomes of the Debate!</p> <p>As part of UWEWK21, Uganda Manufacturers Association (UMA) is hosting a breakfast meeting for key public sector actors and UMA members. The objective of the breakfast meeting is to create a platform for MWE and the private sector to foster a working relationship and deliberate on issues of mutual interest and of relevance for natural resource stewardship. Expected participants will be highlevel</p> <p>strategic decision-makers such as: From the public sector, PS, Directors and Executive Directors and from the private sector, Chief Executives. The breakfast meeting will be facilitated by NatuReS. It will be a private event not open to the wider public.</p>	<p>25th March 2021</p>	<p>Water Resources Institute</p>	<p>Solomon Kyeyune</p>
<p>Session 22</p>	<p>National Youth Debate on; Utilization of natural resources for sustainable economic growth & livelihood security</p>	<p>Youth Go Green</p>	<p>This first edition of the Debate will address the theme in its different components. It will focus on how water-related risks due to climate variability and change, combined with the rapid population growth, and increase in unemployment, constitute intimidating socio-economic perspectives for young people between the ages of 15-35 across Uganda Debate question; "This House believes that, youth employment and wealth creation without considering water and environment issues is not sustainable". At the end of the Debate, all participants will be requested to sign a declaration with a common commitment to undertake concrete actions in their communities to protect and conserve water and environment resources. The debate winners will be given tree seedlings to plant, an Award for winning the debate and a cash prize of UGX 1,000,000 (One Million shillings only). A youth declaration with "common commitment" will be among the outcomes of the Debate!</p> <p>As part of UWEWK21, Uganda Manufacturers Association (UMA) is hosting a breakfast meeting for key public sector actors and UMA members. The objective of the breakfast meeting is to create a platform for MWE and the private sector to foster a working relationship and deliberate on issues of mutual interest and of relevance for natural resource stewardship. Expected participants will be highlevel</p> <p>strategic decision-makers such as: From the public sector, PS, Directors and Executive Directors and from the private sector, Chief Executives. The breakfast meeting will be facilitated by NatuReS. It will be a private event not open to the wider public.</p>	<p>26th March 2021</p>	<p>Youth Go Green</p>	<p>Edwin Muhumuza</p>
<p>Session 26</p>	<p>Breakfast Meeting to be hosted by UMA</p>	<p>GIZ NatuReS/ MWE</p>	<p>As part of UWEWK21, Uganda Manufacturers Association (UMA) is hosting a breakfast meeting for key public sector actors and UMA members. The objective of the breakfast meeting is to create a platform for MWE and the private sector to foster a working relationship and deliberate on issues of mutual interest and of relevance for natural resource stewardship. Expected participants will be highlevel</p> <p>strategic decision-makers such as: From the public sector, PS, Directors and Executive Directors and from the private sector, Chief Executives. The breakfast meeting will be facilitated by NatuReS. It will be a private event not open to the wider public.</p>	<p>26th March 2021</p>	<p>GIZ Natures</p>	<p>Peter Masaba</p>

Annex iv Virtual field Visit

Session Schedule	Title	Name of Site/ Field Visit	Hosting Institution	Format of the visit	Contact person	Venue
Session 3: Monday 22nd March 2021	WASH in the Refugee Context – Delivering services beyond humanitarian response	EU- TF project sites (Ranch 1 in Kiryandongo District, Nyumanzi, Alere and Ayilo II in Adjumani and Bidibidi Zone 5 in yumbe, Ofua III, Omugo VI, and Olujobo/ Tika in Arua plus a faecal sludge treatment plant FSTP) in Dzaipi, Adjumani District	ADA	Virtual	Dr. Najib Lukooya & Ms Lilian Daphine Lunyolo	Nile Board room
Session 9: Tuesday 23rd March 2021	Rain Water harvesting from rock outcrops Bamboo utilization, possibilities and potential to improve livelihood, to restore land and mitigate climate change	Akwang Rock Catchment Various sites across Uganda mostly in Bamboo growing regions in Uganda Like West Nile (Arua, Moyo and Nebbi), Mt Elgon Region (Bulambuli, Namisindwa and Mbale), South West (Kisoro, Rubaba and Kabale), Central (Kampala, Buikwe, Mityana and Mukono) and Northern Uganda	Aidenvironment International Bamboo and Rattan Organization (INBAR)	Virtual	Evelyne Busingye; Kintu Simon Peter	DWD Board room
Session 27: Friday 26th March 2021	Enhancing Resilience of Communities to Climate Change Through Catchment Based Integrated Management of Water And Related Resources in Uganda	Awoja, Maziba and Aswa catchments	Ministry of Water and Environment	Virtual	Nelson Waiswa and Annette Nantongo	DWD Board room
Session 23: Friday 26th March 2021	Pit emptying using the gulper technology; Makindye Division and Lubigi treatment plant	Makindye Division and Lubigi Treatment Plant	Water for people, KCCA & NWSC	Physical	Brenda Achiro	Site

Key Note presenters



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