

Program for Symposium on
“Development Agenda for Improving Land and Water Management in
Uzbekistan”

Tashkent, March 11, 2010

Topic and Time	Reference to Welfare Improvement Strategy of Uzbekistan	Including sub-topics	Coordinator/Presenter/Contributors
Introduction/Welco me words 09:30- 10:00		Introduction of participants, Greetings and welcome, Background of and introduction to the conference	Representative UNESCO Prof. Paul Vlek Representative German Embassy
1. Tools for improving land and water monitoring and management 10:00- 11:00	383, 388, 389, 398, 400,522 for agriculture	GIS/RS-based tools and models for monitoring and improving irrigation water management	Christopher Conrad
Coffee Break 11:00-11:15			
2. Integrated Water Resources Management 11:15–12:15	383, 388, 398, 400	Improving water resources management at field/farm and WUA level	Mehmood Ul Hassan
Lunch 12:15-13:15			
3. Innovations for Land Improvement 13:15 – 13:45	386, 387, 389, 393	Afforestation of degraded land	Asia Khamzina
4. Improving Land Productivity 13:45-14:45	383, 386, 387, 389, 390 , 393, 395	Improved management of cropping systems Diversification and alternative cropping systems	Nazar Ibgrahimov John Lamers

Coffee Break 14:45-15:00			
5. Value addition 15:00-15:30	402, 407	Water footprints, agro-processing and value chains	Inna Rudenko
6. Human Resources Development for Agriculture 15:30-16:00		Towards more sustainable and resilient agricultural systems - Integrated tools and HRD requirements	Ahmad Manschadi
6. Introducing Innovations 16:00-16:15	395, 397	KRASS, Extension Systems	Nazar Ibraghimov
7. Wrap Up & follow-up 16:15-16:45		Key messages and how to mainstream these in Uzbekistan's agricultural policy agenda	Prof. Paul Vlek