

East Agri Annual Meeting

Roundtable 1: Instruments for Agricultural Finance and Risk Management in ECA

Tentative Outline

9:00 Introduction

- Opening remarks (Frank Hollinger, FAO)
- Introduction Participants
- ***Agricultural Finance and Risk Management in ECA*** (Sandra Broka, World Bank, Washington, 15 Minutes)

9:30 Session 1: Index-based Insurance as an Agricultural Production Risk Management Instrument

- ***Index-Based Insurance in Agriculture: a Suitable Production Risk Management Tool for ECA?*** (Prof Martin Odening, Humboldt University, Berlin, 20 Minutes)
- ***The Potential for Introducing IBI in Ukraine, Russia and Moldova*** (Roman Shynkarenko (Insurance Expert, Kiev, 10 Minutes)
- ***Risk Transfer Solutions for Corporate Agribusiness Clients*** (Bernard Belk, Swiss Re, 5 Minutes)

10:45 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00: Session 2: Commodity Exchanges and Structured Finance Instruments in agricultural value chains in ECA

- The Use of Commodity Exchanges for Price Risk Management in ECA (Lamon Rutten), ACE, Geneva, 15 Minutes)
- Structured Commodity Financing: EBRD's Experience and Potential Solutions for the Future (Mark van Strydonck, EBRD, 20 Minutes)
- Value Chain Finance in Tajikistan (Christophe Cordonnier, Frankfurt School of Finance and Management, Tajikistan)