

**National Roundtable Workshop - Ghana Country Programme Evaluation (CPE)  
2 November 2011, Hotel Mövenpick Ambassador Hotel, Accra - Draft Workshop Agenda**

08.30 Registration of the participants

**Session One**

Chairperson -Dr. Regina Adutwum, Director General, National Development Planning Commission

09.10 Statement by Mr Luciano Lavizzari, Director, Independent Office of Evaluation (IOE), IFAD

09.20 Statement by Mr Kevin Cleaver, Associate Vice President, Programme Management Department, IFAD

09.30 Honourable Kwesi Ahwoi, Minister for Food and Agriculture, Ghana

09.40 Presentation of Findings and Recommendations of the CPE by Fabrizio Felloni, IOE, IFAD and Luis Ramírez, consultant

10.10 Coffee Break

10.30 Panel discussion with representatives from private sector, civil society and international organisations

11.00 Questions and Answers with the audience

12.30 Overview of working group discussion in the afternoon by Fabrizio Felloni

12.45 Lunch

**Breakout session**

13.40 Three working groups

Group 1: Investing in smallholder agriculture and reducing rural poverty in the Upper West Region: the way forward

Group 2: Towards better partnerships with the private sector for agricultural value chain development

Group 3: Improving rural finance services for agricultural value chains: emerging opportunities and issues

15.40 End of working group discussion – Coffee break

**Session Two**

Chairperson - Dr. E. A. Mark-Hansen, Director Veterinary Services, MOFA

16.00 Report of the work group rapporteurs to the plenary session

16.30 Plenary discussion

16.50 Reflection for future strategic directions of the Ghana country strategy – COSOP, by Ides de Willebois, Director, and Ulaş Demirag, Country Programme Manager, WCA, IFAD

17.15 Closing Statements by the Minister of Agriculture of Ghana

17.30 Closing of workshop

17.30- 19.00 Cocktail Hosted by the Government of Ghana