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CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

The International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI),
in conjunction with the African Union Commission (AUC) and
the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA),
is organizing a conference on the theme:

INCREASING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIVITY & ENHANCING FOOD SECURITY IN AFRICA

NEW CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

1–3 November 2011

Africa Hall, UNECA , Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Conference Subthemes

- Science, technology, and innovation in agriculture
- Rural service provision and access to factors and inputs for production
- Food reserves, markets, trade, and regional integration
- Investments, institutions, and policies for supporting agriculture
- Agriculture, nutrition, and health linkages
- Agriculture and climate change mitigation and adaptation
- Capacity development for agriculture through education and training
- Role of agriculture and the rural nonfarm sector in economic growth and national poverty reduction
- Regional value-chains development as a pathway for increased agricultural productivity

Call For Abstracts

The organizers kindly request that those who intend to present a paper on one of the subthemes listed submit an abstract (400-word maximum) to the contact below by the submission deadline.

Deadlines

- Abstract: **30 JUNE 2011**
- Full Paper: **31 AUGUST 2011**
- Registration: **15 SEPTEMBER 2011**

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