

Join the **SADC Futures Training Series** and develop skills and capacity for applying foresight for climate resilient agricultural development



# A SIX PART WEBINAR TRAINING SERIES

This training series is a joint initiative of the SADC Secretariat's Food, Agriculture and Natural Resources (FANR) Directorate, the Centre for Coordination of Agricultural Research and Development for Southern Africa (CCARDESA), the International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) through the CGIAR Research Program on Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security (CCAFS) and German Development Cooperation facilitated through the SADC / Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH 'Adaptation to Climate Change in Rural Areas' programme (ACCRA), funded by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ).

## WHO CAN BENEFIT FROM THIS FORESIGHT TRAINING SERIES?

The virtual training is designed for regional and national government, civil society, research and private sector aligned to agriculture, food systems and climate change across the SADC Region. Target stakeholders include policy makers and technical officers and representatives of farmers' organizations, media, academia, advisory services, women and youth focused organizations as well as potential financiers and development partners. The training is also beneficial for anybody working at policy level in terms of foresight and scenario development tools and within other regions across Africa

#### WHY ENROL?

In these highly uncertain and rapidly changing times, the SADC region, like many regions in Africa, remains fundamentally dependent on a resilient agriculture system and natural resource base. Climate change still poses the greatest threat to the agricultural system and therefore technical capacity is needed to address these future impacts and adapt plans, policies and programs. Taking into account alternative futures, this tailored foresight training equips users to practically apply the range of foresight tools and methods for innovative strategic planning and policy formulation for climate resilience.



A certification of participation will be awarded to participants who take part in all of the six inter-linked training webinars.















#### APPROACH

This virtual training webinar series will get you ready to apply practical and concrete foresight tools and methods to plan for climate resilience in agriculture and natural resource management in the SADC Region and beyond. As a participant you will engage in interactive excercises during the six webinars and get a complementary Toolkit Manual at the end of each webinar and open access to the Foresight Training Resource Centre and forthcoming e-learning course which will all be accesses on the CCARDESA website

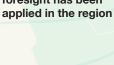
This series is complementary to the activities of the Africa Foresight Academy (AFA) hosted by the Forum for Agricultural Research in Africa (FARA) under the auspices of FARA-CCARDESA CAADPX4 Partnership, to strengthen Africa's capacity for foresight in refreshing the priorities of the Science Agenda for Agriculture in Africa (S3A).



### **SCHEDULE:**

The six training webinars will be run every Wednesday 2-4pm (SAST) between Wednesday 17th June - Wednesday 22nd July. The webinars will be conducted on Zoom.



















take into account uncertainties and climate resilient





Visioning, causal analysis and integrating climate resilience into future planning

Wednesday 1st July 2020 2pm - 4pm (SAST)

Wednesday 22nd July 2020 2pm - 4pm (SAST)



Review of key foresight methods and tools and tailoring practical action to agriculture and climate change future planning and implementation in the **SADC** region



# Webinar

Webinar

Understanding

regional trends,

multi-sectoral and

systems linkages

and climate risks

in the region

Wednesday

Wednesday 15th July 2020

2pm - 4pm (SAST)

24th June 2020

2pm - 4pm (SAST)











REGISTRATION: Please sign up for the training at https://bit.ly/SADC reg















