



Focal Point Call



01.09.24





8 more days.....



Update- Logistics

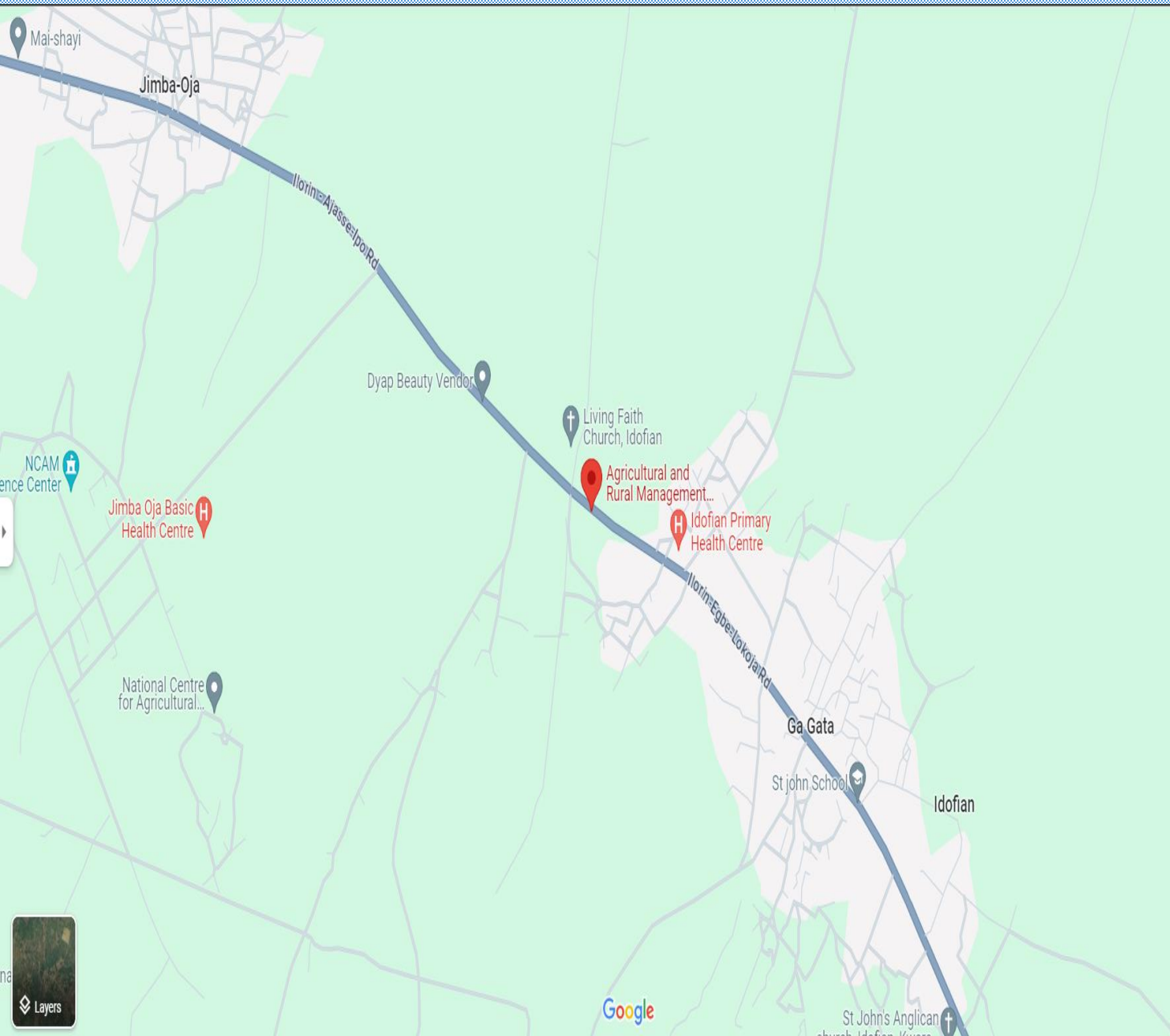




Conference Venue (Map)



Conference venue & hotels



Accommodation in Lagos

Suru Express Hotel. 49A, Joel Ogunnaike Street Off Mobolaji Bank Anthony G.R.A Ikeja. Lagos State. It is about 15km away from the international airport and 8km away from the local airport in Lagos

Accommodation in Ilorin-

There is Hostel Accommodation inside ARMTI campus. Hence, all International participants will be lodged inside ARMTI campus

15 Nigeria participants will also be lodged inside ARMTI campus while other participants from Nigeria will be lodged at Monarch Hotel which is about 5km away from ARMTI campus

Transfer of International Participants

- Delegations will be picked at the airport-> Look out for ARMTI- AGSN“ sign
- All delegations will arrive on Sunday 8th September, 2024
- ATM available at airport and another ATM close to the hotel
- Departure next day from hotel to local airport (9th September) at 6am
- Arrival to Ilorin airport at 8.15am. Delegations will be picked at Ilorin airport -> Look out for ARMTI-AGSN“ sign
- Transfer back to Lagos 13th September
- Departure from Nigeria for those not participating in SLE workshop- 14th September

Some additional useful information

- The currency in Nigeria is Naira, ATMs where you can withdraw money are widely available
- Weather Situation in Lagos and Ilorin- September is a raining month so expect rain during the period of our conference
- Field Visit on Wednesday 11th September. There is possibility of rain so put on protective cloths and shoes as the farm locations maybe marshy too.
- Internent is available inside ARMTI campus but additionally, arrangement will be made for sim card registration inside ARMTI campus for those that may new Nigeria sim card.

Conference platform and app are available

- Log-in data will be shared later
- App contains:
 - Programme agenda
 - Bio of speakers
 - Profile of participants
 - Pictures
 - Logistical Information
 - Field Trip Info
 - Evaluation, quiz and gamification

Arrival to Ilorin- 9th September

Monday 9th

Arrival of international and Nigerian participants to ARMTI campus

- Lodging of participants in their rooms
- Informal welcome by ARMTI Management
- Tour round ARMTI campus
- Registration of participants on ground
- Joint welcome dinner in the evening



DAY 1

Conference Day



Update on the program: day 1



Tue
10.09

S1: Opening
Ceremony

Official opening of the conference
Presentation of irrigation issues in Africa
Overview of water and energy efficient solar
irrigation systems

S2: Panel Discissions

Panellists established SWOT of AGSN member
countries in implementing SPIS in Africa

S3: Group Work

Opening of thematic workshops.

Session 1 : Opening

Time	Description
30 mins	Welcome and introduction of guests Official speeches (ARMTI, GIZ, AGSN) Overview of conference objectives and agenda
30 mins	Discussions on: Challenges of irrigation systems and Issues in Africa.
30 mins	Water and Energy Efficient Solar Irrigation Systems in Africa

Opening Speech
Speakers –
ready ?

Session 2 : Panel

Time	Description	
1 hour	<p>"Theme 1: Solar irrigation, what opportunities for Africa?"</p> <p>Theme 2: Challenges with Implementation of SPIS in Africa</p> <p>Theme 3: Cost Benefit of Implementing SPIS in Africa</p>	Testimonial video
1 hour	<p>Round table with Experts, field testimonials [5 Sun4Water focus countries]</p> <p>Exchanges with the room</p>	Instructional videos

Session 3: Thematic workshops

- Sustainable solutions to addressing irrigation challenges in africa
- Are there International benchmarks for SPIS

- Coping with water and energy crisis in africa- what are the policy options and strategies to strengthen smallholder farmers' resilience
- Overview of funding sources for implementation of SPIS

- Role of public-private partnerships in the implementation of SPIS
- Evidence based SPIS success stories in africa



DAY 2

Field visit



Departure for Field visit

FV 1

Egbejila Fish Estate

FV 2

Oke-oyi Sugarcane & Vegetable Farmers

FV 3

Oke-oyi potato & rice farmers

Instructional
videos

Return to ARMTI

Documentation of field report

Discussion on SPIS Model found on the field.
identify gaps and best practices.

Group presentations

Presentation of field outcomes

- SPIS Model found on the field and best practices.
 - ☐ ● what did not work well
 - ☐

☐ Short videos on best practices in africa

☐ short videos on adaptable SPIS innovation



DAY 3

Conference Day



Update on the program: day 3

S1:

Country Discussion on
Development of short
courses on SPIS:
Presentation of the SPIS
Toolbox (WebApp)

S2:

Anchoring of SPIS
innovation within the
curricula of training
centres of AGSN

S3:

Drafting and presentation
of country specific
sustainability model for
SPIS

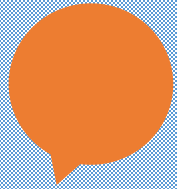
Update on the program: day 3



Thur
12.09

Time	Description
S1: 2 hour	Country Discussion on Development of short courses on SPIS: Presentation of the SPIS Toolbox (WebApp)
S2: 1 hr 30mins	Anchoring of SPIS innovation within the curricula of training centres of AGSN Check list
S3: 1 hour	Drafting and presentation of country specific sustainability model for SPIS

Evaluation of
Conference



- Tickets for the correct dates booked ? Flight details communicated?

- Applied for e-visa ? Confirmation printed ?

- Valid credit card / cash available ?

- Do your participants all receive Conference E-mails / Logistical Note?

- Speakers briefed and prepared?

- Information on conference programm, field visits and contents shared with all delegates?

- Follow-up on app download





Any questions?

Thank you and see you soon !

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