

Agenda 2nd Pan-African Conference on CO₂- Compensation



Hour	Activities	Speakers
Day 1 25th September 2024: Renewable Energies, EFW-Nexus and African-based CO₂-Compensation		
08:30GMT/09:30WAT 10:30 CAT/11:30 am EAT	Welcome at the conference locations	
9 GMT/10 WAT/ 11 CAT/12 pm EAT	Opening Ceremony Opening remarks	Valentine Siliadin Agbo Panzo Dr. Amadou Badji Authorities
9:15 GMT/10:15 WAT 11:15 CAT/12:15 pm EAT	Keynote Speech: Funding renewable energies in Senegal through African community-based CO₂Compensation	Keynote speaker: Prof. Diouma KOBOR (ANER)
9:45 GMT 10:45 WAT 11:45 CAT 12:45 EAT	Academic Contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rural Solar electrification and CO₂compensation Barriers for Biogas adoption in South Africa Community Contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ghana Solar school Benin Solar maternity Roundtable Discussion: Funding clean and accessible energy for African communities through CO ₂ -Compensation, especially for education and health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rock Segnon (GIZ Benin) Abiola Gboyega Kehinde (Traject SA) Community representatives and student teams Prof. Diouma KOBOR (ANER) Rock Segnon (GIZ Benin) Abiola Gboyega Kehinde (Traject SA)
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**Session 1:
Renewable Energies
and African
CO₂Compensation**
President: Prof.
Isaakha YOUM
Moderation: Prof.
Fatou NDIAYE

**Session 2: EFW-
Nexus/Water and
community-based
CO₂Compensation**
President:
Prof. Julius TANGKA
Moderation: Dr.
Emmanuel CHEO

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Day 2 26th September 2024: Landuse, Education and Values in African CO₂-Compensation			
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Session 1: The role of Agriculture and Agro/forestry in African based CO₂Compensation and climate mitigation President: Dr. Valentine Yapi-Gnaoré Moderation: Elie Dipama	9:15 GMT/10:15 WAT/ 11:15 CAT/12:15pmEAT	Keynotes Speech: The role of African Higher education institutions in African community-based CO₂Compensation	Keynote speaker: Prof. Dr. Juliet Thondhlana (AAU)
	9:45 GMT 10:45 WAT 11:45 CAT 12:45 EAT	Academic Contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smart adaptation measures for better resilience of the sorghum cropping systems to climate change in Benin Carbon stock sequestration and climate change mitigation of Mangrove Sediments of Niger Delta, Nigeria Community Contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reforestation project in Togo Kamyak Eco-Village in Senegal Burkina Faso Reforestation Kaoghin Roundtable: Challenges and solutions for African community-based carbon compensation projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Megnonhou, S.; Montcho, D.; Akpo, E.; Nebie, B; Kolade, O.; Larwanou, M.; Agbangla, C. (UNA, IMWIC, IITA, AMUN, UAC) Tse, A., Nwankwo, C., Nwankwoala, H. (UN, UPH, RSU) Community representatives and student teams CIRDES, Anafonio Pape (FFN), Guillaume Ouattara (Burkina Faso), Dr. Saliou Gaye Ndoye (Senegal)
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Session 2: Education, values, gender balance and respect of local culture in African CO₂Compensation President: Dr. Rachel Mado Sonkin Moderation: Elisabeth Fotio	11:30 GMT/12:30 WAT 13:30 CAT/2:30pm EAT	Academic Contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Integrating Traditional and Modern Agricultural Practices for Enhanced Carbon Sequestration in African Croplands How to address ethical, spiritual dimensions of mining of critical minerals necessary for energy transition Community Contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women empowerment in Senegal and Burkina Faso Education for Waste Management in Cameroon schools Roundtable: Promoting gender, traditional values and fair mining in African based CO ₂ - Compensation community trainings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Olumayowa Joseph IYANDA (ABU) Tshibidi Musuya, F., Kafarhire Murhula.T, Fernandes, D. (Arrupe, ISI) Community representatives Prof. Juliet Thondhlana (AAU), Boris Kabese Nyembo (US), Dr. Leonel Nanga-Me-Abengmoni (UY1), Presenters of this session

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Day 3 27th September 2024: *Community ownership and African-based CO₂-Compensation*

Session 1: Project Management, Community Ownership, Social Business in African CO₂-Compensation projects
 President: Prof. Salifou Ouedraogo
 Moderation: Valentine Siliadin Agbo Panzo

Session 2: Project Monitoring, Community Monitoring of SDGs and Indicators in African community-based CO₂ - Compensation projects
 President:

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9:45 GMT 10:45 WAT 11:45 CAT 12:45 EAT	<p>Academic Contributions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social business and reducing carbon emissions by processing water hyacinths How to fund community needs with a GATo CO₂-Compensation project <p>Community Contributions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Economic challenges of CO₂-Compensation projects: Experiences from Burkina Faso (forestry) and Benin (Waste management) Uganda (biogas) <p>Roundtable: Carbon compensation projects as a social business for the project owning communities – Challenges and Solutions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Totin, H. (JEVEV) Prah, S., Rutesiiga, C. (GAToJE) Community representatives and student teams Pere Dadier (EoC) Christiana Chimonyelum ONYIMA Stephen Prah
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11:30 GMT/12:30 WAT 13:30 CAT/2:30pm EAT	<p>Academic Contributions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Soil transformation in Burkina Faso: the 500 000 tonnes CO₂-emission reduction success Potential of artificial intelligence and data analytics in advancing climate mitigation and adaptation strategies <p>Community Contributions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aspects and challenges of community monitoring: community experiences from Benin (Solar Maternity, educo plastic), Burkina Faso (reforestation), 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr. Stöber, S., Ouattara, G., Kalaydjian, S. (SLE) Mukoboto, M. ; Mbale, J. (CU Zambia) Community representatives from Benin and Burkina Faso

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Prof. Milohum Dzagli
Moderation:
Franck Pouomogne

	Roundtable: Challenges for Project monitoring of community-based CO ₂ Compensation projects - expectations of communities, African governments and clients of the carbon credits, role of student teams, tools and apps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Azandé Cantane • Wanda (Twigsee app) • TU Berlin (clients of Carbon credits) • Presenters of the session
13 GMT/14 WAT/ 15 CAT/4 pm EAT	<p style="text-align: center;">Closing ceremony Conclusion and outlook Closing remarks</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Authorities • National Coordinations of GATo • Valentine Siliadin Agbo Panzo • Dr. Amadou Badji
	Post program of the conference 2nd October 2024	
14 - 17:30 GMT / 15-18:30 WAT/ 16 – 19:30CEST/ 5pm-8pm EAT	T4NAGAT Project management Training for African community-based CO₂-Compensation project tutors	Each country coordination will send the best candidates
	Post conference expert workshop	
To be determined	Development of a Policy paper for African governments on the adoption of the community-based Greening Africa Together CO₂compensation certification	Upon invitation, experts can apply or be suggested