

Vice Chancellors Office / SLU Global

Program for visit to SLU by delegation from

The International Institute of Tropical Agriculture (IITA), Director General Dr. Nteranya Sanginga and Director R4D Dr. Bernard Vanlauwe.

Thursday 8th June 2017

9:00 Arrival to SLU, Ultuna campus, Uppsala, Sweden (Ulls Hus, Rum: Ultuna – 6th floor)

9:00–9:20 Welcome address, round table presentation and short presentation of SLU
Peter Högberg, Vice-Chancellor, SLU
Ylva Hillbur, Pro Vice-Chancellor for International Relations, SLU
Anders Malmer, Director, SLU Global

9:20-9:35 Presentation of IITA

Nteranya Sanginga, Director General, IITA

9.35-9:45 Relevant upcoming H2020 Calls

Ioannis Dimitriou, Assoc. Director, SLU Global

9:45-10:00 The Dep. of Urban and Rural Development and select research areas: gender, agriculture, nutrition, entrepreneurship

Johanna Bergman Lodin, Department of Urban and Rural Development

10:00-10:15 Supporting Youth Agri-Entrepreneurship African and South-North perspectives

Kostas Karantininis. Department of Economics

10:15-10:30 Coffee break

10:30-10:45 Biofortification of cassava and short overview of projects in developmental research at the Department of Plant Protection Biology Erik Alexandersson, Department of Plant Protection Biology

10:45-11:00 Land, livestock and livelihood – The Triple L research initiative Gert Nyberg, Department of Forest Ecology and Management

11:15–11:30 Bioinformatics collaborative projects between SLU and Africa, B3Africa as an example

Erik Bongcam Rudloff, Department of Animal Breeding and Genetics, Bioinformatics

11:30–11:45 One World and One health – human and animal health interference in global context

Ulf Magnusson, Department of Clinical Sciences

11:45-13:00 Lunch

13:15-13:30 Presentation of the Green Innovation Park

Sara Brännström, Division of Planning, SLU

13:30-13:45 Presentation of SLU Holding

Christer Frånlund, SLU Holding

13:45-14:00 Big data and small data – soil information for sustainable intensification

Mats Söderström, Department of Soil and Environment, External Collaboration Specialist in precision agriculture

14:00-14:30 Coffee

14:30-16:00 Group discussions between IITA and SLU: the way forward.