

SKiM

**Strengthening Knowledge Management
for Greater Development Effectiveness
in the Near East, North Africa,
Central Asia and Europe**



SKiM 2021 Steering Committee Meeting

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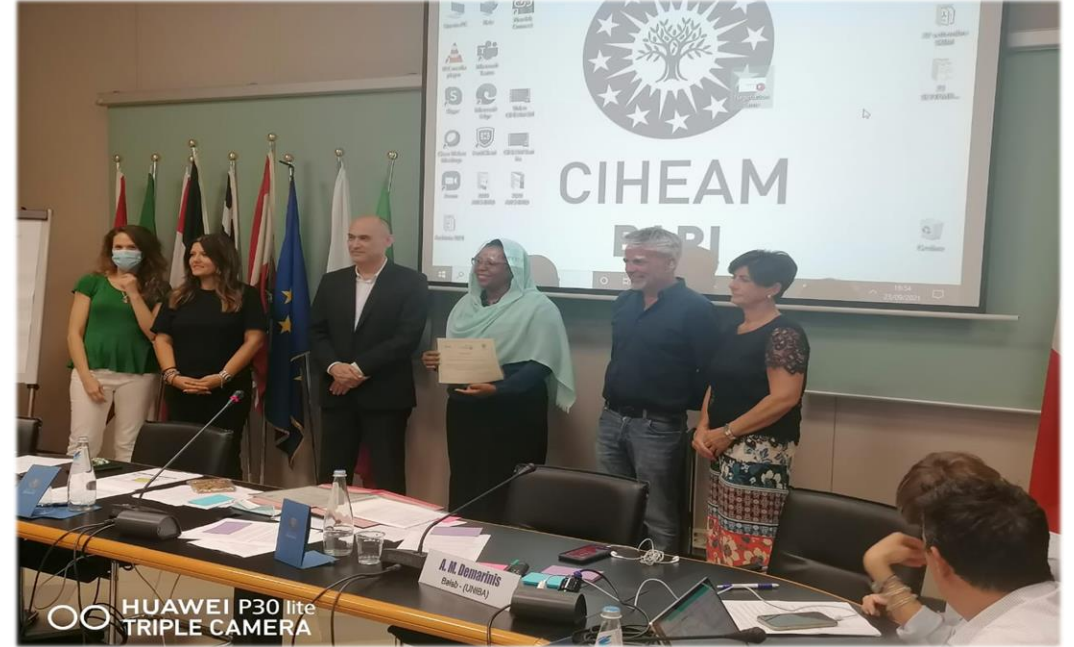
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SKiM Related Activities Timeline



1. **(March)** Contribution to Skim Newsletter No. 12 towards the International Day of Women and Girls in Science in the "Women in... Knowledge Management"
2. **(April)** Participation in IFAD CCU KM CORE GROUP MEETING The first meeting of the Sudanese Knowledge Management Core Group (KM-CG)
3. **(June)** 1st Symposium on Knowledge management
4. **(July)** Participation in IFAD KM Strategy and KM Action Plan Validation Workshop
5. **(August)** Participating in Skim mid-term evaluation
6. **(September)** Contribution of Skim stakeholder in a training organized by CIHAM Bari Italy
7. **(October)** Participation in a Learning route in Moldova, (8 participants)
8. **(October)** Signing of memorandum of understanding with AUW and MoIWR
9. **(December)** Skim Project Sudan 1st Forum "Our Learning Route to Moldova" (active involvement and tracking youth professionals of the partner institutions)
10. **(December)** Participation in IFAD Country Strategic Opportunities Programme , Annual review Workshop (validation of KM strategy etc.)
11. **(Proposed dates from 25-30 December 2021)** Skim Project Sudan 2nd Forum "Reflection on our Training experience in CIHEAM-Bari Italy"



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Sudanese Partners Achievements

1. ARC-Sudan has conducted several field days and innovation platforms:
GN, sesame, sorghum, sunflower, wheat and soya bean.
2. Directorate of Human Resources and Information conducted 3 trainings on **good agricultural practices, water and soil management.**
3. Participation in the **Sudan National Economic Conference.**
4. Participation in the **Sudan National Comprehensive Agricultural Conference.**
5. Development of the **Strategy for the Ministry of Agriculture and Forests.**
6. Media (TV, radio, newspaper) **dissemination at national level.**
7. Participation in **Research On Resilience and Local Social Safety nets** with Tufts University
8. Participation in **AFAAS (African Forum for Agricultural Advisory Services)** as focal person and board member.
9. Participation to the **World Food Day.**



Challenges and Constraints

1. Finding a body to host the project to ease the logistical processes and financial clearances.

Plans for 2022

1. Training Material on Mitigation of Aflatoxin in the Field crops in Sudan (Knowledge product) ready to be instructed postponed due to situation in Sudan.
2. Share-athon was on the point of launching (following the symposium) due to logistical reasons postponed.
3. Agricultural extension and Technology Transfer department is offering to Sudan local radio programme on local agricultural terminologies.
4. Capitalize institutional knowledge by repackaging products (working papers, success stories).
5. Host periodical Knowledge Management Forums.
6. Request and realize online training sessions for youth cadres for requesting SKiM stakeholders (topics assessed with surveys).
7. Realize an in-person Learning Route in Sudan.
8. Realize a Knowledge Management Symposium led by youth cadres.
9. Regular NTC Meetings Discussions/Leading to: documentation, dissemination, organizations of symposium/forums/trainings.
10. Further develop National Technical Committee capacity skills.
11. Strengthen and build partnerships, alliances, communities and networks.

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