



5th Annual LCIRAH Research Conference

Agri-health research: what have we learned and where to next?

Including the Launch of the Agriculture, Nutrition and Health Academy

London, 3rd and 4th of June 2015

Call for Abstracts

The Leverhulme Centre for Integrative Research on Agriculture and Health (LCIRAH) invites the submission of abstracts for its 5th annual conference **Agri-health research: what have we learned and where to next?** to be held at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, London, on the **3rd and 4th of June 2015**.

This year the LCIRAH annual conference celebrates its 5th year, providing an opportunity to gather researchers from around the world to examine and reflect critically on what we have learned from agriculture, nutrition and health research in the past five years and what the future research agenda should look like. This year we are welcoming abstracts in following broad research themes:

Agriculture, poverty, diets and health/malnutrition

Value chain analysis in food systems, including crops and livestock

Impact of environment and climate change on agriculture, health and nutrition

Innovative metrics for agriculture and health research and evaluation

Abstracts submitted can be on both completed and ongoing research. Studies may be empirical, conceptual or theoretical in nature.

Authors should submit abstracts **by 28 February 2015**. Abstracts should be submitted using the template provided on our website.

Abstracts will be reviewed by an expert panel and selected for either oral or poster presentation based on scientific quality and relevance of the research to the conference theme.

There are up to 5 bursaries available to presenters from developing countries to contribute towards travel costs and accommodation. Application for bursaries will be made available at the end of March 2015 after the abstracts have been shortlisted.

Further information regarding the conference and registration is available on our website

<http://www.lcirah.ac.uk/>



Invitation to the launch of the Agriculture, Nutrition and Health Academy

All conference participants are invited to the launch of the **IMMANA Agriculture, Nutrition and Health Academy** on the evening of the 3rd of June. The initiative is a new global research network in agriculture for improved nutrition and health and will provide a platform for research networking and for training. Related side events will take place on the 2nd and/or 5th of June with further details to be announced in 2015.



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