

【 Prospect 】

This Satellite Workshop focuses on two crops of the banana family: banana (*Musa spp.*) and enset (*Ensete ventricosum*). The workshop will investigate how Asian and African societies have adopted, expanded, and maintained livelihood systems based on these crops, and will compare the processes of creating banana and enset livelihood systems in various agro-ecological and socio-cultural settings.

In this Workshop, we will first consider macro-level areas, in order to understand the processes by which banana and enset livelihood systems have been established and maintained. Next, we will focus on micro-level studies to examine the development of banana and enset fields by individual farmers, the maintenance of landrace diversity in fields, and the diverse varieties of crops in banana and enset fields. Finally, we will discuss these two levels from an interdisciplinary perspective encompassing the areas of ecological anthropology, social anthropology, agricultural economics, and genetic resources management and conservation.

【 Program 】

10:10-10:30 Preliminary remarks -SATO Yasuaki
10:30-11:00 Mamo Hebo
11:00-11:15 Tea Break
11:15-11:45 Wilberforce Kateera Tushemereirwe
11:45-12:15 Dezi Seburo Ngambeki
12:15-13:15 Luncheon session-ISHIKAWA Kiyoshi
13:15-13:30 Tea Break

13:30-14:00 Endashaw Bekele
14:00-14:30 Genet Birmeta
14:30-14:45 Tea Break
14:45-15:15 SATO Yasuaki
15:15-15:45 SHIGETA Masayoshi
15:45-16:00 Tea Break
16:00-17:00 Round Table Discussion

Wilberforce Kateera Tushemereirwe.

Uganda Program Leader, National Banana Research Programme, **NARO. His presentation would be "Lessons from Participatory On-Farm Research in Uganda."

SHIGETA Masayoshi. Japan

Associate Professor. *ASAFAS. His presentation would be "Folk In-Situ Conservation and Food Security: Indigenous Development in Enset Areas in South Omo, Ethiopia."

【Speakers】

Endashaw Bekele. Ethiopia

Professor. Addis Ababa University, Dept. of Biology. His presentation would be "The Present Status and an Overview of Research on *Ensete ventricosum*".

Genet Birmeta. Ethiopia

Researcher. Ethiopian Institute of Agricultural Research. Her presentation would be "Enhancing the Food Security of the Ethiopian Population Dependent on Enset as Staple Food through Biotechnology."

ISHIKAWA Kiyoshi. Japan

Journalist. His presentation would be "Bananas for Fiber and Food: Two types of Banana Linking Japan with Other Parts of Asia."

Mamo Hebo. Ethiopia

JSPS Research Fellow. ASAFAS. His presentation would be "The Evolution of a Sustainable Enset-Livestock-Based Livelihood System in the Arsii Oromo Highlands, Southern Ethiopia."

Dezi Seburo Ngambeki. Uganda

Agricultural Economist. National Banana Research Programme, **NARO. His presentation would be "Trends in Marketing Bananas in Southern Uganda."

SATO Yasuaki. Japan

Ph.D Candidate. *ASAFAS. His presentation would be "Homegardens and Landrace: The Process of Maintaining Banana Diversity in Buganda, Central Uganda."