







Developing a MSc Programme in Climate Change, Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security (CCSAFS) Kick-off Meeting and Regional Workshop 17-19 February, Jordan

Day 1 – 17 February 2017		
9:00-9:30	Registration	
9:30-10:00	Welcome	
	Prof. Ahmed Al-Salaymeh, CCSAFS Local Project Coordinator in Jordan	
	Prof. Ahmad Abu-El-Haija	
40.00.40.20	Director, National Erasmus+ Office - Jordan	
10:00-10:30	Session 1: Managerial and Financial Issues	
10:30-10:50	CCSAFS Project Objectives, Methodologies and Managerial Issues	
10:50-11.00	Prof. Vassilios Makrakis (University of Crete), Project Coordinator Discussion	
11:00-11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30-11:50	Managing the CCSAFS budget	
11:30-11:50	Nikos Larios (University of Crete), CCSAFS Finance Administration	
11:50-12:00	Discussion	
12:00-13:30	Session 2: Surveying Courses Relevant to CCSAFS	
12:00- 12:20	An example from UNIP: MSc in Sustainable Agriculture	
	The University of Padova Team led by Prof. Michele Biasutti	
12:20-12:40	An International Review of CCSAFS Relevant Programmes	
	Prof. Nelly Kostoulas (University of Crete)	
12:40-13:00	Discussion	
13:00-14:30	Introduction by Project Coordinator	
	Workshop: Identifying CCSAFS Concepts, Competences and Skills Work in Groups	
	Moderated by Dimitris Gkotzos (University of Crete), Omar Eldahan (Heliopolis	
	University) & Mohammed Awar (SEKEM)	
14:30-16:00	Lunch	
16:00-18:00	Session 3: Designing the CCSAFS Curriculum	
16:00-16:30	Presenting results of the previous workshop	
	Workshop: Identifying Professional Profiles of CCSAFS MSc Programme Graduates -	
16:30-18:00	Work in Groups	
	Moderated by Prof. Ahmed Al-Salaymeh (University of Jordan)	
20:00-	Dinner	

Day 2 – 18 February 2017		
9:30-13:00	Session 4: Following-up the CCSAFS Curriculum Design Process	
9:30-10:30	Introduction by Project Coordinator	
	Workshop: CCSAFS Graduate Profiles, Concepts, Competences and Skills: Making	
	Connections-Work in Groups	
	Moderated by Prof. Manal Hefny (Suez Canal University)	
10:30-11.00	Presentation and Discussion	
11:00-11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30-11:50	CCSAFS Course Curriculum Structure	
	Prof. Vassilios Makrakis (University of Crete), Project Coordinator	
11:50-12.30	Panel Discussion chared by Prof. Vassilios Makrakis: Prof. Ibrahim Tahat (JU), Prof.	
	Manal Hefny (SCU), Prof. Mamdouh Ahmed Omar (ALZU), Prof. Wagdi Saber Ahmed	
	Soliman (ASWU), to be appointed (YU), to be appointed (UJ).	
12:30-14:30	Session 5: Strengthening Stakeholders Engagement for CCSAFS Curriculum	
12:30-14:00	Introduction by Dr. Aravella Zachariou (Frederick University)	
	Workshop on stakeholders' engagement moderated by Aravella Zachariou	
14:00-14:30	Presentation and Discussion	
14:30-16:00	Lunch	
16:00-18:00	Session 6: CCSAFS Validation and Accreditation Procedures	
16:00- 16:20	Validation Procedures for the CCSAFS MSc Programm	
	Prof. Vassilios Makrakis (University of Crete), Project Coordinator	
16:20-18:00	Accreditation Procedures for the CCSAFS MSc Programme	
	Panel Discussion chaired by Dr. Nehal Lotfy: Prof. Ibrahim Tahat (JU), Prof. Manal	
	Hefny (SCU), Prof. Mamdouh Ahmed Omar (ALZU), Prof. Wagdi Saber Ahmed Soliman	
	(ASWU), to be appointed (YU), to be appointed (UJ).	
20:00	Dinner	

Day 3 – 19 February 2017	
9:30-13:00	Session 7: CCSAFS Inter-Institutional Coordination and Management
9:30-10:15	Setting-up processes for inter-institutional cooperation:
	The Egyptian partners' perspective: Prof. Omar Ramzy (HUSD)
	The Jordanian partners' perspective: Prof. Fahmi Abu Al Rub (YU)
10:15-11.00	The road-map of the inter-institutional cooperation in the context of CCSAFS design,
	development and implementation
	Panel discussion among institutional coordinators
11:00-11:30	Coffee Break
11:30-12:30	Duties Derived from the Grant Agreement and Consortium Agreement: Prof.
	Michele Biasutti (UNIP)
12:00-12.30	Discussion
12:00-13:00	Guidelines for the Use of the Grant: Prof. Ahmed Al-Slaymeh (UJ)
13:00-13:30	Financial Management of the Grant: Prof. Fahmi Abu Al Rub (YU)
13:30-15:00	Lunch
15:00-17:00	Consultations
20 February	Post-workshop discussions and reflections