



SOMALIA FISHERIES FORUM 2019

Building a Roadmap for Small-Scale Somali Fisheries

PROGRAM

April 29-30, 2019 | Garowe, Puntland

Presented By:



FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF SOMALIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES AND
MARINE RESOURCES



PUNTLAND MINISTRY OF
FISHERIES AND MARINE
RESOURCES



SECURE FISHERIES

a program of One Earth Future

Cover photo ©FAO/Arête/Will Baxter.

Women fillet fish in Bosaso, Puntland.

KASOO QAYBGALAYAASHA MADASHA KALLUUMEYSIGA SOOMAALIYA 2019:

Annaga oo ku hadlayna magaca Secure Fisheries, oo ah barnaamij kamida One Earth Future; Wasaarada Kalluumeysiga iyo Kheyraadka Badda ee Puntland; iyo shurakadeena iyo maalgaliyayaasheena; waxaanu si balaadhan u soo dhaweynaynaa kasoo qaybgalayaasha Madasha Kalluumeysiga Soomaaliya 2019 (SFF 2019). Mawduuca sannadkan waa "Dhisidda Qorshe loogu talagalay Kalluumeysiga Soomaaliyeed ee yaryar." Waxaan rajeyneynaa inaan maqalno arragtidaada iyo aqoontaada inta lagu jiro madashan labada maalmood ee ku saabsan sida loo dhisayo qorshahan si ay sida ugu fiican ugu adeegto bulshada Soomaaliyeed.

SFF 2019 waxay ku dhisan tahay guushii iyo xiisahii ay keentay Madashii Kalluumeysiga Soomaaliya 2017, ee isu keentay daneeyayaasha kalluumeysiga ee ka kala yimid guud ahaan gobolka Soomaalida iyo beesha caalamka. SFF 2017 waxay fidisay aqoonta iyo khibradaha ku saabsan qaababka waar-siinta ee qaybta kalluumeysiga ee sii balaadhanaysa taas oo xooga saaraysay dhinacyada maaliyadda, istaraatiijiyada, iyo maamulka. SFF 2017 ayaa lagusoo gebogabeeyay soo saarida bayaan ku saabsan tallooyinka iyo ballanqaadyada muhiimka ah ee ficilada lagu gaaray tallaabooyin horumar oo la taaban karo, kuwaas oo ay ka mid ahaayeen kordhinta maalgashiga qaybta kalluumeysiga, hagaajinta isu-duwida maareynta kalluumeysiga, taageerida fursadaha waxbarasho, iyo ballaarinta ururinta xogta qabashada kalluunka.

Waxa weli jira caqabado hortaagan gaarida koboca qaybta kaluumeysiga yar. Caqabadaha ku yimaada hanaanka shaqada ayaa saameeya Soomaali badan, laga bilaabo kalluumeysatada iyo diyaariyayaasha ilaa mulkiilayaasha ganacsiga iyo macaamiisha. Kalluumeysatada deegaanku ma haystaan helitaanka tababarka xirfadaha iyo qalabka kalluumeysiga ee lagama maarmaanka ah si ay ula tartamaan kaluumeysatada ajanabiga ah. Tiknoolajiyada gudbinta qabow ee aan ku filneyn ayaa horseeda qudhmida kalluunka ka hor inta aanuu gaadhin suuqyada, taas oo hoos u dhigaysa heerarka faa'idada. Ganacsatadu waxay la halgamaan inay abuuraan guul iyagoon helin fursado maalgelin, taas oo ah arrin u gaar ah dumarka ku jira qaybtan [ganacsiga]. Ugu dambeyntii, dhamaan daneeyayaasha qaybta kalluumeysiga ayaa xusay in farqiga u dhexeeya awoodda maarayntu ay adkeyso in la dhiso loona baddelo siyaasadaha ficil waxsoo saar leh iyo koboc.

Caqabadaha adagi waxay u baahan yihiin iskaashi dhinacyo badan leh, SFF 2019-na waxay bixinaysaa goob loogu talagalay tan, martigalinta siyaasad dejiyayaasha, deeq-bixiyayaasha, khabiirada farsamada, shuraakada horumarinta, hoggaamiyayaasha ganacsiga, iyo kalluumeysatada. Ka qaybgalayaashu waxay helaan fursado ay iskula xiriiraan waxna isaga bartaan inta ay socoto madashu, taas oo ay ku jiraan fasaxyada, soo dhaweynta, iyo bandhiga ganacsiga.

Ajandaha waxa ku jira mowduucyada ay aqoonsadeen daneeyayaasha gudaha iyo kuwa caalamiga ah ee fahmaya baahiyaha iyo fursadaha qaybta kalluumeysiga. Kulan kastaa wuxuu kobcinayaa aqoon is weydaarsi iyo wadahal ku saabsan habka loo horumarinayo qaybta kalluumeysiga ee Soomaalida, ka qaybgalayaashuna waxay maqli doonaan aragtiyo kala duwan oo la xiriira mawduuc kasta. Madashan waxa loo qaybiyay seddex qaybood oo diirada saaraya natiijooyinka: kordhinta aqoonta iyo xirfadaha, fidinta awooda qaybta, iyo kordhinta awoodda maareynta. Qayb kastaa waxay ku dhisantay tusmo ka kooban tallaabooyinka iyo ballanqaadyada xiga ee waaweyn, laakiin ka qaybgalayaashu waxay ka qaybgeli karaan kulano kala duwan waxaanay ka qaybqaadan karaan wadahalada.

Waannu ku faraxsanahay inaad go'aansatey inaad nagula soo qaybgashid Madasha Kalluumeysiga Soomaaliya ee labaad waxaan rajeyneynaa inaan wax ka barano khibradaada gaarka ah. Waxaan rajeyneynaa inaad madasha kala tagi doontid xiriiro, fursado, iyo fikrado cusub oo qeyb ka ah qorshaha loogu talagalay kalluumeysiga yaryar ee Soomaalida.

Sincerely,



Kaija Hurlburt
Director, Secure Fisheries

DEAR SOMALIA FISHERIES FORUM 2019 ATTENDEE:

On behalf of Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future; the Puntland Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources; and our partners and sponsors; we extend a warm welcome to the attendees of the Somalia Fisheries Forum 2019 (SFF 2019). The theme of this year's forum is "Building a Roadmap for Small-Scale Somali Fisheries." We look forward to hearing your insights and knowledge over the course of the two-day forum about how to construct this roadmap to best serve Somali communities.

SFF 2019 builds upon the success and excitement generated by the 2017 Somalia Fisheries Forum, which brought together fisheries stakeholders from across the Somali region and the international community. SFF 2017 distributed knowledge and expertise on sustainable approaches to growing the fisheries sector with particular emphasis on finance, strategy, and governance. SFF 2017 culminated with the issuance of a communique outlining key recommendations and commitments to actions that achieved notable progress, including increasing investments in the fisheries sector, improving coordination of fisheries management, supporting education opportunities, and expanding data collection on fish catch.

There are still obstacles to achieving a thriving small-scale fisheries sector. Challenges along the value chain impact a wide range of Somalis, from fishers and processors to business owners and consumers. Domestic fishers lack access to skills training and the necessary fishing equipment to compete with foreign fishers. Insufficient cold-chain technology leads to spoilage of fish before it can reach markets, lowering profit margins. Businesses struggle to build success without financing opportunities, an issue that is especially acute for women in the sector. Finally, stakeholders throughout the fishing sector note gaps in management capacity that make it difficult to build and transform policies into productive action and growth.

Complex challenges require multi-stakeholder collaboration, and SFF 2019 provides a venue for this, hosting policymakers, donors, technical experts, development partners, business leaders, and fishers. Participants have opportunities to network and learn from one another throughout the forum, including during breaks, a reception, and a trade show.

The agenda incorporates topics identified by local and international stakeholders who understand the needs and opportunities of the fisheries sector. Each session catalyzes knowledge-sharing and discussion around ways to improve the Somali fishing sector, and participants will hear a range of perspectives on each topic. This forum is divided into three outcome-focused tracks: increasing knowledge and skills, expanding sector capacity, and increasing management capacity. Each track will build towards an outline of comprehensive next steps and commitments, but participants may attend sessions from multiple tracks and contribute to the conversations.

We are grateful that you have decided to join us at the second Somalia Fisheries Forum and look forward to learning from your unique expertise. We hope you will leave the forum with new connections, opportunities, and ideas as part of a roadmap for small-scale Somali fisheries.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kaija Hurlburt", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Kaija Hurlburt
Director, Secure Fisheries

XIRIIR SAMEYNTA, OGEYSIISYADA, IYO ISU-SOCODKA:

Waxaan kugu dhiirigelineynaa inaad ka qaybqaadatid hawlaha kala duwan ee la qorsheeyay ee loogu talagalay Madasha Kaluumaysiga Soomaaliya 2019 - laga bilaabo xiriir sameynta, illaa Bandhiga Ganacsiga, ilaa kulamada khaaska ah. Madashu waa fursad fiican oo lagu horumarinayo shuraakooyinka istiraatiijiga ah isla markaana lagula shaqeynayo daneeyayaasha qaybta.

FURSADAHA XIRIIR SAMEYNTA

Waxa jira fursado badan oo aad xiriir ku sameyn kartid inta lagu guda jiro SFF waxaan kugu dhiirigelinaynaa inaad ka faa'iidaydsatid. Qadooyinka, cuntada fudud ee nususaacayaasha, iyo soo dhawaynta habeenkii kuwaas oo bixiya fursado aad kula kulmi karto dad cusub, kulana wadaagi karto fikrado iyo xiriiro cusub.

BANDHIGA GANACSIGA

Bandhiga Ganacsiga waa fursad gaar ah oo lagula kulmo waxna looga barto ganacsiyada iyo ururrada ka soo qaybgalay Madasha. Bandhigayaasha ayaa martigelin doona waabab yar si ay ula hadlaan ka qaybgalayaasha kale ee Madasha, ugu tabiyaan sheekadooda ulana wadaagaan waxyaabaha ay bixiyaan.

MADASHA KADIB

Bandhigyada iyo qalabka munaasabadda waxaa la galin doona boggayaga internetka kadib munaasabadda <https://securefisheries.org/secure-fisheries-resources/forums>.

OGEYSIISKA IYO OGGOLAANSHO-SIINTA DUUBIDA CODKA IYO MUUQAALKA

Dhamaan kulamada SFF 2019 ayaa la duubi doona codka iyo muuqaalka Markaad ka qaybgashid SFF 2019, waxaad oggolaatay in lagu filim gareeyo, lagu duubo, lagu sawiro, iyo/ama lagu rikoor gareeyo kuwaas oo ujeedadoodu tahay diiwaan qaadida iyo soo saarista warbixinada iyo/ama fiidiyowiyada ku danbeeya [madasha]. One Earth Future, Secure Fisheries, iyo Shuraako waxay xaq u leeyihiin inay u isticmaalaan qalabkaas qaabkay doonaan oo ay ku jiraan abuurista warbixinno iyo/ama fiidiyoowyo la xiriira madasha.

SIYAASADDA SIGAAR-CABIDA

Sigaar-cabidu gebi ahaanba waa ka mamnuuc dhamaan gudaha dhismayaasha huteelka. Waxaa jira meelo loo qoondeeyay sigaar-cabista .

FOOMAMKA QIIMEYNTA

Si aad usii wanaajiso munaasabadaheena, fadlan nasii dhowr daqiiqadood oo aad ku buuxiso qiimeyntaada kadib u dhiib xubin kamida shaqaaaha SFF 2019 ama mutadawac (xiran qoorgashi huruud ah) dhamaadka hadalka xiritaanka ee Salaasada, Abriil 30. Qiimeynadan ayaa lagu dhiibi doona inta ka horaysa Hadalka Xiritaanka.

NETWORKING, NOTICES, AND LOGISTICS:

We encourage you to take part in the diverse range of activities planned for the Somalia Fisheries Forum 2019 - from networking, to the Trade Show, to specialized breakout sessions. This Forum is an excellent opportunity to develop strategic partnerships and collaborate with sector stakeholders.

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

There are numerous opportunities to network during the SFF and we encourage you to take advantage of them. Lunches, refreshment breaks, and an evening reception offer the opportunity to meet new people, share ideas, and make new connections.

TRADE SHOW

The Trade Show is a unique opportunity to meet and learn about businesses and organizations attending the Forum. Exhibitors will host booths to engage with other Forum participants, tell their story, and share what they offer.

POST-FORUM

Presentations and event materials will be uploaded to our website following the event <https://securefisheries.org/secure-fisheries-resources/forums>.

NOTICE AND CONSENT FOR AUDIOVISUAL RECORDING

Some or all SFF 2019 sessions may be audio and/or visually recorded. By attending the SFF 2019, you consent to being filmed, taped, photographed, and/or recorded for the purposes of record taking and generating subsequent reports and/or videos. One Earth Future, Secure Fisheries reserves the right to use these materials at its discretion including the creation of forum related reports and/or videos.

SMOKING POLICY

Smoking is absolutely prohibited inside all hotel buildings. There are designated smoking areas.

EVALUATION FORMS

To continually improve our events, please take a few minutes to complete your exit survey and submit it to a SFF 2019 staff member or volunteer (marked by yellow ribbons) at the end of the Closing Remarks on Tuesday, April 30. These surveys will be handed out to you before the Closing Remarks. Flash drives will be given to Forum attendees who turn in completed surveys as a thank you for your feedback.

SOMALIA FISHERIES FORUM 2019

AGENDA-AT-A-GLANCE:

Track A: Increasing Knowledge & Skills

Track B: Expanding Sector Capacity

Track C: Increasing Management Capacity

DAY 1

09:00-10:30 Opening Ceremonies: Plenary Welcome and Goals for the Forum

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-12:30	1A - Ask the Experts: Creating Jobs in the Fishing Sector (Focus: Women and Youth) <i>Weydii Khabiirada: Abuurista Shaqooyinka loogu talagalay haweenka iyo dhalinyarada</i>	1B - Opportunities and Obstacles to Expanding Local Markets <i>Fursadaha iyo Caqabadaha; balaarinta suuqyada gudaha dalka</i>	1C - Somali Co-management Workshop <i>Tababarka Maamul-wadaaga Soomaaliya</i>
-------------	---	--	--

12:30-14:00 Lunch - coordinated with Puntland Business Women's Association to promote fish-for-nutrition & share recipes

14:00-15:30	2A - Somalia's Marine Ecosystem <i>Habdhsimeedka Deegaanka Badda Soomaaliya</i>	2B - How to Build Export Capacity <i>Sidee Kor loogu qaadi karaa awooda dhoofinta</i>	2C - Government's Role in Co-management (invitation only) <i>Doorka Dawlada ee Maamul-wadaaga kaluumaysiga</i>
-------------	--	--	---

15:30-16:00 Coffee Break

16:00-17:30	3A - Quality Control <i>Xakamaynta tayada</i>	3B - Financing Fishing - Overcoming Obstacles and Increasing Access <i>Maalgelinta Kaluumaysiga, Xalinta caqabadaha iyo kordinta fursadaha maalgashi</i>	3C - Collecting Catch Data <i>Uruurinta Xogta Qabashada Kalluunka</i>
-------------	--	---	--

18:30-20:00 Dinner Reception

DAY 2

09:00-10:30	4A - Building Knowledge Through Education <i>Dhisidda Aqoonta kaluunka iyadoo Loo Marayo Waxbarashada</i>	4B - What is Needed to Complete the Cold Chain <i>Maxaa loo baahanyahay si loo helo Qaboojin Dhamaystiran</i>	4C - Cooperation for Policy Implementation <i>Iskaashiga Hirgelinta Siyaasadeed</i>
-------------	--	--	--

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-12:30	5A - Business and Management Skills Workshop <i>Tababarka xirfadaha ganacsiga iyo maamulka</i>	5B - Enabling Success through Public-Private Partnerships <i>Gul in laga gaaro kaluumaysiga, iyadoo loo marayo Iskaashiga Dowladda iyo Ganacsiga Gaarka ah</i>	5C - Building Safety and Enforcement Capacity <i>Dhisida awooda Badbaadinta iyo fulinta Shuruucda iyo Siyaasada</i>
-------------	---	---	--

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30 Closing Session: Building the Roadmap - Conclusions and Commitments

DETAILED AGENDA:**DAY 1: MONDAY, APRIL 29, 2019****09:00–10:30 Opening Ceremonies at Grand Hotel**

Speakers: Hon. Said Abdullahi Dani, Puntland President
 Hon. Abdilahi Bidhan Warsame, Federal Government of Somalia Minister of Fisheries
 Hon. Farah Mohamud Haji Muse, Puntland Minister of Fisheries
 Hon. Ibrahim Abdi Yusuf, Jubaland Minister of Fisheries
 Hon. Sharaf Mohamed Ali, Galmudug Minister of Fisheries
 Hon. Abdulqani Abdullahi Mohamed, SouthWest State Minister of Fisheries
 Hon. Idle Siyar Sheikh Khalifa, HirShabelle Minister of Fisheries
 Abdirashid Duale, CEO of Dahabshil Group
 Said Aden Gows, CEO of Golis Telecom
 Kaija Hurlburt, Director of Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future

10:30–11:00 Coffee Break**11:00–12:30 Breakout Session 1 at Jubba Hotel**
1A - Ask the Experts: Creating Jobs in the Fishing Sector (Focus: Women and Youth)
Weydii Khabiirada: Abuurista Shaqooyinka loogu talagalay haweenka iyo dhalinyarada

The fishing sector has the potential to employ many people at all stages of the value chain. Opportunities include crewing boats, processing catch, transporting fish products to markets, mending gear, and building boats. With such a variety of options, there is space for everyone in fisheries. This panel discussion will answer questions about how those already involved in the fishing sector can create more jobs and develop livelihood opportunities for all populations, especially women and youth.

Moderator: Abdikarim Gole, Shuraako, a program of One Earth Future
Panelists: Abdiwahid Joar Hirsi, Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD)
 Jama Mohamed, CAFCO
 Halima Mohamoud Mohamed, Puntland Business Women Umbrella
 Farxiyo Ahmed Osman, Shaqodoon
 Raage S. Haji-Mohamed, American Refugee Committee Int.

1B - Opportunities and Obstacles to Expanding Local Markets
Fursadaha iyo Caqabadaha; balaarinta suuqyada gudaha dalka

The relatively small domestic market for fish is an impediment to developing and expanding the fishing sector in Somalia. To address this challenge, it is crucial to identify the major obstacles to growing local markets and the opportunities that are undercapitalized. In this panel discussion, we will detail the challenges facing domestic markets and discuss how they can be addressed through innovative business practices.

Moderator: Ahmed-Said Nur, Growth, Enterprise, Employment, and Livelihoods (GEEL) - USAID
Panelists: Mohamed Mohamud Osman, Puntland Chamber of Commerce
 Muse Abdulkadri Duelle, Sundus Fishing Company
 Sadam Ahmed, FairFishing
 Abdurahman Hassan Yusuf, Puntland Ministry of Commerce and Industries (former)

1C- Somali Co-management Workshop
Tababarka Maamul-wadaaga Soomaaliya

Cooperative management (co-management) is a mechanism to manage local fisheries resources through partnerships between fishers and other stakeholders including governments and external actors like non-governmental organizations, international donor organizations, and scientists. The co-management strategy relies on participation by all stakeholders to develop a local community plan for fisheries management to ensure long-term livelihood security. Co-management has been implemented in fishing communities around the world, with great success. This workshop will include audience participation and will examine four examples of successful co-management implementation and discuss how a similar system might work in Somali communities.

Moderator: Sarah Glaser, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future

DETAILED AGENDA, CONTINUED:

DAY 1: MONDAY, APRIL 29

12:30–14:00 *Lunch Puntland Business Women Umbrella to promote fish-for-nutrition*

14:00–15:30 **Breakout Session 2 at Jubba Hotel**

2A - Somalia's Marine Ecosystem *Habdhsimeedka Deegaanka Badda Soomaaliya*

Scientific understanding of the marine ecosystem is important for profitable fisheries businesses and effective fisheries management. In Somalia, scientific information is limited. How big are the fish stocks that live in Somalia? What is the impact of development and fishing on the health of those stocks? What new scientific data do we need? This panel explores the state of knowledge in Somalia and looks to research in Kenya to help shed light on Somali waters. We explore the importance of mangrove ecosystems, the integrity of the seafloor, current scientific surveys of living marine resources, and the importance of scientific data collection to effective fisheries management.

Moderator: Abdirahim Ibrahim, Federal Government of Somalia Ministry of Fisheries & Marine Resources

Panelists: Aruna SivaKumar, City University of Mogadishu
Agnes Muthumbi, University of Nairobi
Sarah Glaser, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future
Liban Abdisalan Mohamed, East Africa University

2B - How to Build Export Capacity *Sidee Kor loogu qaadi karaa awooda dhoofinta*

How can Somalia capitalize on the growing appetite for seafood around the world? This session will seek to answer that question through a discussion of the gaps in export capacity and how to close them. Improved regulatory requirements, quality control, partnerships and more will be required to increase fish exports. The panel discussion will focus on prioritizing next steps, how to address the challenges, and who is best suited to lead the way.

Moderators: Jeremy Wyatt, La Talin Consulting
Mohamed Mohamed, Director of Iidaan Fishing Group of Companies

Panelists: Mohamed Muse, Redsea Fishing Company
Abdullahi Ali, Dalsan Fishing Company
Mustafe Dahir Aden, Puntland Ministry of Commerce and Industries

2C - Government's Role in Co-management (invitation required) *Doorka Dawlada ee Maamul-wadaaga kaluumaysiga*

For co-management systems to be successful, every level of government must participate in the process. Government policies that support local management are important to empowering communities to manage their resources. Additionally, government officials on the ground are vital connections between the community and regulators, ensuring local voices are heard at the highest level. There are a variety of functions the government can fulfill in co-management systems, and this session will explore which of those will succeed in the Somali context.

Moderator: Kaija Hurlburt, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future

15:30–16:00 *Coffee Break*

DETAILED AGENDA, CONTINUED:

DAY 1: MONDAY, APRIL 29

16:00–17:30 Breakout Session 3 at Jubba Hotel

3A - Quality Control *Xakamaynta tayada*

Clean, healthy fish products are profitable on local and international markets. Ensuring the quality of Somali fish is important for achieving export capacity, fulfilling demand, and building the reputation of Somali fisheries. A wide range of skills and knowledge is necessary to maintaining quality standards, as is access to cold storage and financing. Training in this area is particularly useful for fishing communities that want to reduce waste and increase efficiency in pursuit of greater profits. This session will identify the areas of greatest need for training and investment, and who is best suited to assist in those efforts.

Moderator: Ahmed-Yasin Osman Moge, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future

Panelists: Abdiqadir Said Ali, Somalia Marine and Fisheries Science Institute
Sadam Ahmed, FairFishing
Liban Abdisalan, East Africa University
Muse Gelle, Redsea Fishing Company

3B - Financing Fishing: Overcoming Obstacles and Increasing Access *Maalgelinta Kaluumaysiga, Xalinta caqabadaha iyo kordinta fursadaha maalgashi*

In the growing Somali economy, fisheries can be a reliable investment for donors and private investors. Accessing these financing opportunities may be difficult, however. This panel brings together financial institutions, fund managers, international donors, and local government officials to discuss creative financing options and their requirements to obtain it, along with solutions to overcome gaps in knowledge. It will include a discussion on financing opportunities that target the fishing sector.

Moderator: Abdikarim Gole, Shuraako, a program of One Earth Future

Panelists: Abdillahi Ahmed Ali, Hobyo Mayor
Jama Mohamed, CAFCO
Said Ali Shire, Amal Bank
Abdirashid Duale, Dahabshil Group

3C - Collecting Catch Data *Uruurinta Xogta Qabashada Kalluunka*

Catch data is fundamental to understanding fish stocks: how much is caught, what species, and where? This is vital for business planning in the fishing sector. Currently, various projects led by universities, the government, aid agencies, fishing businesses, and NGOs are separately collecting important catch data. This panel explains what efforts are underway, then moves into hands-on collaboration to connect groups and provide methods for uniform and regular catch data collection that can be used by the government and fisheries stakeholders. Active audience participation is welcome.

Moderator: Jamal Hassan, City University of Mogadishu

Panelists: Fardowsa Mohamud Weheliye, City University of Mogadishu
Jens Claus Hansel, FairFishing
Abdirzak Osman, GIZ
Abdirahim Ibrahim, Federal Government of Somalia Ministry of Fisheries & Marine Resources
Gani Abdillahi Hassan, Jubaland Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources

18:30–20:00 *Dinner Reception at Grand Hotel*

DETAILED AGENDA, CONTINUED:

DAY 2: TUESDAY, APRIL 30

09:00–10:30 Breakout Session 4 at Jubba Hotel

4A - Building Knowledge Through Education Dhisidda Aqoonta kaluunka Iyadoo Loo Marayo Waxbarashada

Youth in Somalia are taking an active role in promoting sustainable fisheries by collecting data, advocating for sound policies, and engaging in public commentary on Somalia's marine environment. Today's students are tomorrow's leaders. In this panel discussion, we explore how universities are training students in the skills and education they need to lead fishing businesses, conduct research, and guide policy. We also explore how cross-national partnerships can bring together common purposes in understanding of the Somali marine environment while supporting student achievement.

Moderator: Abdirizak Ahmed Hussein, East Africa University

Panelists: Mohamed Ali Fanaw, Somalia Marine and Fisheries Science Institute
Abdiqadir Said Ali, Somalia Marine and Fisheries Science Institute
Agnes Muthumbi, University of Nairobi
Jamal Hassan, City University of Mogadishu

4B - Workshop: What is Needed to Complete the Cold Chain Maxaa loo baahanyahay si loo helo Qaboojin Dhamaystiran

Cold chain capacity in Somalia is critical to a profitable fishing sector, yet little capacity currently exists outside of major cities. Even there, gaps in the cold chain impede delivery of quality fish to local and international markets. This workshop will include active audience participation to discuss and identify those gaps and potential ways to fill them, with special attention to opportunities for support by government and the international community.

Moderators: Jens Claus Hansel, FairFishing
Sadam Ahmed, FairFishing

Panelists: Said Sharif Mohamed, Secco Energy Company
Jeremy Wyatt, La Talin Consulting
Jama Mohamed, CAFCO
Mohamed Abdullahi, GEEL

4C - Cooperation for Policy Implementation Iskaashiga Hirgelinta Siyaasadeed

Policies and regulations form the framework of profitable, healthy long-term fisheries. Somalia has made significant progress in recent years implementing some fisheries regulations and laws at the federal and regional levels. But parity among disparate laws is necessary, in addition to implementation measures and cooperation between the government and fishers that will turn policies into actions. This session will explore the barriers to policy implementation and enable participants to share ideas on how to overcome these barriers through support from NGOs, international actors, government, and community leaders. Active audience participation is welcome.

Moderator: Mustafe Mohamed Mohamoud, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future

Panelists: Muse Said, Puntland Parliament Natural Resource Committee
Fuad Abshir Jama, Puntland Parliament Natural Resource Committee
Abdirahman Hassan Yussuf, Puntland Ministry of Commerce and Industries (former)
Hon. Farah Muse, Puntland Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources

10:30-11:00 *Coffee Break*

DETAILED AGENDA, CONTINUED:

DAY 2: TUESDAY, APRIL 30

11:00–12:30 Breakout Session 5 at Jubba Hotel

5A - Business and Management Skills Workshop *Tababarka xirfadaha ganacsiga iyo maamulka*

Successful fishing businesses depend on healthy fisheries, and healthy fisheries are not possible without strong resource management. Thus, fishing business plans must account for fisheries management measures and carefully plan for both economic and ecosystem success. Often, the link between businesses and environmental health is overlooked. This session will rely on active audience participation to bridge the two and examine how cooperatives can support both business planning and resource management requirements.

Moderator: Mohamed Abdullahi, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future

Panelists: Hamdi Abdishakour, Somali Women in STEM
Mahad Mohamed, Yustan Seafood
Mohamed Mohamud Lambo, Puntland Chamber of Commerce
Halima Hodon, Puntland Business Women's Association

5B - Enabling Success through Public-Private Partnerships *Gul in laga gaaro kaluumaysiga, iyadoo loo marayo Iskaashiga Dowladda iyo Ganacsiga Gaarka ah*

Existing public-private partnerships can serve as models for future ones to address the ongoing needs of coastal communities as they develop the fishing sector. These partnerships may be between the government or the international community and the private sector. Regardless of the type of partnership, a plan for how public agencies can support private business is necessary to ensure benefits are optimized for both parties involved. Lessons from previous partnerships and a framework for new ones will be discussed in this session. Active audience participation is welcome.

Moderator: Abdirahman Hassan Yussuf, Puntland Ministry of Commerce (former)

Panelists: Mustafe Mohamoud, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future
Abshir Raage Shire, KAALO Aid and Development Organization
Feisal Ahmed Warsame, Puntland Non-State Actors (PUNSA)
Mohamed A. Abdi, Galmudug Chamber of Commerce

5C - Building Safety and Enforcement Capacity *Dhisida awooda Badbaadinta iyo fulinta Shuruucda iyo Siyaasada*

Laws and regulations are only effective when appropriately enforced. With the expansion of fisheries and other maritime policies in Somalia, it is important to consider enforcement capacity and how that capacity is divided among monitoring, control, and surveillance tasks in addition to rescue responses and other maritime activities. This session will review recent work on expanding safety and enforcement capacity and outline stakeholders and needs for the future, especially as enforcement relates to illegal, unreported, and unregulated fishing.

Moderator: Ahmed-Yasin Osman Moge, Secure Fisheries, a program of One Earth Future

Panelists: Ahmed Mohamud Hassan, Puntland Attorney General Office
Mohamed Ahmed, Federal Government of Somalia Attorney General Office
Mohamed Said, Puntland Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources
John Purvis, UN Food and Agriculture Organization

12:30-14:00 Lunch

14:00 - 15:30 Closing Session at Grand Hotel: Building the Roadmap - Conclusions and Commitments

CO-HOSTS:



ABOUT SECURE FISHERIES:

Secure Fisheries is dedicated to promoting sustainable fisheries across the Somali region as a source of long-term food and economic security. The Somali fishing sector has potential to provide sustainable coastal livelihoods by supporting employment and community resilience. We connect fisherfolk, fishing companies, scientists, and government to improve cooperation while guiding investment to effectively and sustainably support sector capacity.



**PUNTLAND MINISTRY OF FISHERIES
AND MARINE RESOURCES**

ABOUT PUNTLAND MINISTRY OF FISHERIES AND MARINE RESOURCES:

The Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources (MOFMR) is responsible for managing, developing, and conserving Puntland's fisheries resources by providing quality services to the sector. The MOFMR is the leading institution facilitating the development of the fisheries sector, while ensuring that sustainable management of the resources secures strong socioeconomic standards for the people of Puntland. The MOFMR strives to improve the livelihoods of Puntland citizens by developing policies and supporting systems that promote a competitive fisheries sector. They accomplish this through the creation of strategic plans and policies that support the business environment, provide services, enhance economic and food security in the sector, and foster collaboration with local, national, and international institutions, all with a commitment to science-based sustainable fisheries management. The Ministry is led by the Minister, Deputy Minister and Director General who provide technical, policy, and regulative advice to achieve the Ministry's core mandates.



**FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF SOMALIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES AND
MARINE RESOURCES**

ABOUT FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF SOMALIA MINISTRY OF FISHERIES AND MARINE RESOURCES:

The Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources serves to provide an enabling environment for the promotion of sustainable development of the fisheries sector and to support the blue economy as a source of socioeconomic development and food security. The Ministry was established to enhance the fisheries and marine resources sector, and to streamline decision-making to make it more responsive and proactive in facilitating the suitable development of the fisheries. The Ministry is mandated to create an enabling environment for sustainable development of coastal fishing economy and food security while conserving the fishing ecosystem along the Somalia coastline and territorial waters and protecting the coastal communities. The Ministry seeks to achieve these goals through: development of the fisheries sector, establishment of policies and regulations for fisheries development, undertaking research to inform decisions in the fisheries sector, supporting promotion of fish as a source of food security, developing local and international markets for Somalia fishers, growing the Somali Blue Ocean economy, promoting conservation of marine ecosystem, and supporting coastal community development by ensuring they benefit from fishing activities.

SPONSORS:

DAHABSHIIL GROUP
For All Your Business Needs

Dahabshiil
fast money transfer you can trust
Money Transfer

Dahabshil Bank
International
Islamic banking you can trust
Financial Services

MicroDahab MFI
A member of Dahabshiil group
EMPOWERING PEOPLE

eDahab
Mobile Money Transfer
Mobile Banking

somtel
share your world
Telecommunications

- ‘Rags to riches’. Founded in 1970 with a modest capital base.
- Now largest international money transfer business in the Horn of Africa.
- Headquartered in London, Nairobi and Dubai, employs over 5,000 people across 126 countries with regional offices in London, Nairobi, Hargeisa, Mogadishu.
- Interests in Banking and Finance, Remittances, Telecommunication, Energy and Power, Commodities & Trading and Real estate.

SPONSORS, continued:



Golis telecom was founded in the year 2002 with the objective of providing the best quality telecommunications and information products and services. The Company's service oriented schemes are committed and dedicated to all the citizens of the country.

Golis Telecom is the largest telecom operator in Puntland region of Somalia. We have extensive network coverage area where our services are being provided in almost all major cities and districts of Puntland region, thus the services of the company are being utilized by the largest number of telephone users. Golis is also in the electric power supply business in large areas of some towns where the company operates; our power is very efficient and sought after especially in Bosaso where power is crucial to civic life during the summer.

SPONSORS, continued:



Amal Bank is a modern Islamic bank that offers a wide range of financial products and services in Retail, Corporate, Institutional, Diaspora and Microfinance Banking. Based in Garowe and Mogadishu, Somalia. Amal Bank aims to be a leader in the financial services sector in the Horn of Africa through innovative, customized and shariah compliant financial products and services. The Bank is fully owned by Amal Group, a diversified global company that operates in various sectors: Microfinance, Money Transfer, Forex-exchange, Real Estate, Trade and Energy.

SPONSORS, continued:



The National Energy Corporation of Somalia (NECSOM) is one of the largest electricity and energy service providers in Somalia. With our core business of providing affordable, clean and reliable electricity to the country's businesses, homes and industries, we are a key contributor to Nation building. Our activities represent the entire electricity production and supply value chain.

In recent years, we have also embarked on our sustainability agenda through efforts such as Renewable Energy and other environmental as well as social initiatives as we seek to add value to all our stakeholders. We believe these activities will not only take NECSOM into the future, but will also continue to grow our business in the long-term.

NECSOM has built a reputation for being a responsible corporate citizen. We have a strong tradition of community involvement not only with contributions of time and money, but also by increasing opportunity for Somali youth through education and job training. In recent years, we have provided over \$400,000 of yearly community service contributions. The corporation contributes to road construction projects, provides free electricity to community service centers, funds public education initiatives and provides free street lights. We take pride in serving and giving back to the community through direct donations to local development projects and supporting youth employment initiatives.

With our 14 years of experience in the sector, we pride ourselves as one of the leading Somalian electricity utility companies with a presence throughout Garowe, Kismayo and Muqdisho. We have also established a name for ourselves in the region, making NECSOM one of the largest electricity companies in East Africa as we transform ourselves into a Domestic and Regional Champion.



NUWACO was established on June, 2006 by a group of local businessmen whose goal was to provide safe drinking water and to expand water services to the entire population of Garowe. Underlying this business plan was the goal of making sure that clean drinking water is accessible and affordable to all social groups in Garowe (including internally displaced people), while maintaining optimum efficiency and, in the course of time of the contract, rally the appropriate human resource that could take the Company to financial self-sufficiency and reasonable profit. We have achieved this through the operation, management and connection of a larger water supply system to a wide spectrum of customers.

In our joint partnership with PSAWWEN, our project aligned with three primary goals: 1) NUWACO would provide water in accordance to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs); 2) Every person in Garowe could access safe drinking water and live in a sanitary and hygienic environment; and 3) Water supplied by NUWACCO should be accessible to all Garowe residents and affordable to Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) and low-income households using a law established price.

To date, NUWACO has secured more than 8,400 household connections, drilled 13 boreholes (6 productive), and implemented a network of pipeline to IDP settlements East of Garowe town. In the coming year we will be prioritizing renewable energy for the existing water supply system, drilling new boreholes, forming and reviewing new policy, and networking with national and global water and energy alliances.

SPONSORS, continued:



SECCCO was established in 2008 with the mission of bringing clean, low-cost and sustainable renewable energy solutions to Somalia. In the 8 years of operation, our work has created tangible social and economic impact and improved the lives of thousands of Somali people through energy solutions installed in households, businesses, health centers, hospitals, schools, community centers and to light the streets of Somali towns. Our company's vision is a Somalia with access to reliable, affordable, healthy, and environmentally friendly renewable energy.

SECCCO has implemented large energy solutions in Somalia, most of them being photovoltaic solar systems, Street lights, Solar refrigerators and Solar water pumps. Apart from renewable energy solutions for individual customers, we have undertaken several larger projects with international development agencies. In Puntland alone, in the last four years, we have installed over 700 energy solutions in collaboration with development agencies.



Qaran Hospital is a Primary Health Care Organization that works to provide affordable and quality health care to marginalized, poor and vulnerable communities in Somalia, who currently have no access to any form of health care. Our goal is to enable all Somalis (especially women and children who currently have been assessed to bear the largest mortality burden) to afford quality health care to improve their quality of life.

Qaran Hospital is a socially driven private organization that is committed to designing and delivering cost effective affordable primary health care to communities currently underserved by the existing health service providers due to remote patient locations, insecurity and cost. We are currently providing Medical campaigns to communities in Puntland and have proven to be the largest private hospital that is offering the highest quality healthcare in the region.



QARAN PHARMAEUTICAL COMPANY
MEDICINE & MEDICAL EQUIPMENT
TE: 252 5846220/090 797368/090 761609/ 090 7729880
EMAL: qaranpharma@gmail.com
Garowe Puntland Somalia



SPONSORS, continued:



CAFCO is a sea food company: we catch the fish and process it, and then we distribute to both local and international markets. The company deals with local suppliers for purchasing fishing material such as fishing gears, small boats, ice boxes and other necessary materials for fishing. These companies are based in Bosaso. Currently we use small boats to catch the fish mainly whole fish product, filleted fish product, lobster, sliced king and tuna fish products (fresh and filleted), packaged shrimp shell and meat, packaged fish including dried fish, frozen fish fillets and frozen packaged fish products in sizes 1/4kg, 1/2kg, 1kg, 2kg, 3kg. The company is focused on processing fish on landing involving de-heading, skinning, desliming, de-gutting, deboning, filleting, preparation of shrimp shell and meat, and packaging. Once the fish undergoes processing and packaging the company focuses on marketing synergies which main focus is local, neighboring and middle east markets. Local market was focused on the initial phase with introduction of processed products due to competition of imported products and marketing strategies on awareness of the fish meat health facts focusing on local consumers. Marketing focuses on opening outlets in the main regional towns and most important one is Garowe which is the capital city of Puntland.





TRADE SHOW BOOTHS:

- Bargal Fishing Company
- Blue Sea Fishing
- CAFCO Fishing Company
- Centre National de Controle et de Surveillance des Peches (Indian Ocean Commission)
- City University of Mogadishu
- Comoros Coast Guard
- Dalsan Fishing Company
- East Africa University
- Federal Government of Somalia Ministry of Agriculture and Irrigation
- Federal Government of Somalia Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources
- Growth, Enterprise, Employment, and Livelihoods (GEEL) - USAID
- Garowe Teachers Education College (GTEC)
- Hafun fish processing plant
- Jubaland Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources
- Kenya Revenue Authority Marine Unit
- Mohamed Ali Mida
- National Agency of Maritime Affairs Comoros
- National Fisheries Resources Unit
- One Earth Future
- Puntland Chamber of Commerce
- SECCCO
- Shaqodoon Organization
- Somali Youth Maritime Association
- Somali National Fishing Co.
- Somali Women in Stem (SWIS)
- Somaliland Ministry of Livestock and Fisheries Development, Somaliland
- Sundus Fishing Co
- UN Food and Agriculture Organization
- Yustan Seafood

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS AND PARTNERS

Thank you to all our partners: platinum, diamond, gold, break, and in-kind sponsors; speakers and moderators for participating in and contributing to the Somalia Fisheries Forum 2019 held in Garowe. Without the generous support of the organizations below, the Somalia Fisheries Forum 2019 would not have been possible.

PLATINUM SPONSORS

DAHABSHIL GROUP



DIAMOND SPONSORS



GOLD SPONSORS



BREAK SPONSORS



IN-KIND SPONSORS



Puntland Non-State Actors' Association  Dallada Daneeyayaasha aan Dawliga Ahayn ee Puntland

Developed and Presented By:



FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF SOMALIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES AND MARINE RESOURCES



PUNTLAND MINISTRY OF FISHERIES AND MARINE RESOURCES



SECURE FISHERIES

Advancing Sustainable Fisheries
a program of One Earth Future