



International Association for
the Study of the Commons

IASC AFRICA MEMBER ORGANIZED EVENT

(Re)centering the commons in Africa around the territories and cultures of local communities

Agenda

Thursday, March 31, 10h00 – 12h30 (GMT)

Opening notes and discussion (10h00 – 10h20)

Facilitator: **Koffi ALINON** (Member of the IASC Executive Council; Researcher, Center for International Cooperation in Agronomic Research for Development – CIRAD, Chad)

10h am-10h10: Introduction of participants, Opening remarks, Presentation of IASC 10h10-10h20: Objectives of the Webinar, Discussion on the mode of exchanges

Discussion theme 1: Customary norms, legal formalism and property rights over the commons (10h20 – 10h50)

Moderation: **Serigne Momar SARR** (Member of the IASC; Teacher-Researcher at the University of Ziguinchor, Senegal)

10h20-10h30: **David TISSIDI**, Geograph – *Interlinkages of local rights: the case of actors around the Laf-Madjam forest reserve (Far North Cameroon)* - University of Maroua (**Cameroon**)

10h30-11h40: **Khadidiatou SENGHOR***, **Achim SCHLÜTER*** & **Bara DEME****, *Marine Social Science – Applying the Network of Action Situation to the Institutional framework of fisheries and Marine Protected Areas (MPA) governance in Senegal* - Leibniz ZMT (**Germany**)*, University of Portsmouth (**UK**)**

10:40-10:50 a.m.: Discussion

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Discussion theme 2: Conflicts of use around resource spaces (10h50 – 11h35)

Moderation: Nadohou Alodédji Richard AHODO-OUNSOU (Member of the IASC; Researcher at the University of Abomey-Calavi, Benin Republic)

10h50-11h00: Boureima TOURE, Anthropology – *Problems of consensual management of resources and interdependent operating systems in the Office du Niger zone in Mali* - University of Arts and Human Sciences of Bamako (**Mali**)

11h00-11h10: Jules BALNA, Geography – *Pastoral mobility in the context of insecurity linked to Boko Haram and diversity of exploitation of natural resources' conflicts in the Cameroonian Sahelian zone* - University of Maroua (**Cameroon**)

11h10-11h20: Valentin ZOUYANE & Evele ZACHARIE***, Geography – *Towards an open and sustained war for the control of pastoral resources in the yaérés of Logone: issues and actors' games* - University of Maroua*, University of Ngaoundere** (**Cameroon**)

11h20-11h35: Discussion

Discussion theme 3: Management of the commons and sustainable development challenges for Africa (11:35 - 12:20)

Moderation: Rim JEMLI (Member of the IASC; Teacher-Researcher at the University of Sfax, **Tunisia**)

11h35-11h45: Mantiaba COULIBALY-BALLET & Marc VALAX, Management Sciences – *The impact of global warming on fair trade supply chains and producer communities: the case of sustainable cocoa in Côte d'Ivoire* - Côte d'Azur University, GRM laboratory (**France**)

11h45-11h55: Mabrouk LAABAR, Economics - *Polycentric governance of the major rangelands in southern Tunisia: marking out the paths of cooperation* - Laboratory of Economy and Rural Societies (LESOR), Institute of Arid Regions of Medenine (**Tunisia**)

11h55am -12h05pm: Mivossin Philippe TOGNON, Nadohou Alodédji Richard AHODO-OUNSOU** & Antoine Yves TOHOZIN****, Geography – *Land issues and strategies of actors in the peri-urban space of the municipality of Avrankou (South Benin)* - Urban and Regional Dynamics Studies Laboratory (LEDUR), Department of Geography and Regional Planning (FASHS-UAC) (**Benin**)

12h05-12h20: Discussion

Concluding notes and perspectives (12h20 – 12h30)

Facilitator: Everisto MAPEDZA (IASC Africa Regional Coordinator; Senior Researcher, International Water Management Institute – IWMI, Accra, **Ghana**)