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**THE FORTY NINTH GREATER HORN OF AFRICA CLIMATE OUTLOOK FORUM (GHACOF49):  
DJIBOUTI, REPUBLIC OF DJIBOUTI: 13–14MAY 2018**

**“Preparedness to Mitigate Climate Related Impacts”**

**PROGRAMME**

**DAY ONE: SUNDAY 13 MAY 2018**

TIME	ACTIVITY	FACILITATOR
08:00-09:00	Registration	ICPAC
<b>SESSION I:</b>	<b>SETTING THE STAGE AND OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY</b>	CHAIRPERSON: <b>Ms Fathia Alwan</b>
09.00-10:00	Official opening ceremony of the forum (Separate programme)	RAPPORTEUR: <b>Philip/Victoria</b>
<b>10:00-10:30</b>	<b>PHOTOGRAPH / COFFEE BREAK</b>	
<b>SESSION II:</b>	<b>PERFORMANCE OF MAM 2017 SEASONAL CLIMATE AND USER FEEDBACK</b>	CHAIRPERSON: <b>Ms Annnunciata Hakuza</b>
10:30-10:45	Performance of MAM 2018 seasonal climate over GHA: <b>Dr Masilin Gudoshava, ICPAC</b>	RAPPORTEUR: <b>Oliver Kipkogei</b>
11:45–13:00	Review of MAM 2018 seasonal climate on sectoral impacts over the region <b>(Parallel workshops for sector working groups)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agriculture</li> <li>• Food Security</li> <li>• Water &amp; Energy</li> <li>• Conflict Early Warning</li> <li>• Livestock</li> <li>• Disaster Risk Management</li> <li>• Health</li> </ul> <b>Moderator: Dr Philip Omondi, ICPAC</b>	
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>	
<b>SESSION III</b>	<b>JJAS 2018 CONSENSUS CLIMATE OUTLOOK, PREPAREDNESS AND MITIGATION STRATEGIES</b>	CHAIRPERSON: <b>John Mungai</b>
14:00–15:30	<b>Panelists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current state of global climate system and implications on GHA JJAS 2018 rainfall: <b>Dr Joseph Mutemi</b></li> <li>• Met Office GHA JJAS 2018 Climate Outlook: <b>Ms Maureen Anyano</b></li> <li>• JJAS 2018 GHA Consensus Climate Outlook: <b>Dr Zewdu Segele, ICPAC</b></li> <li>• Plenary Discussions</li> </ul>	RAPPARTEUR: <b>George Otieno</b>
<b>15:30 - 16:00</b>	<b>TEA/COFFEE BREAK</b>	
16:00–17:30	Sectoral analysis of implication and mitigation strategies for JJAS 2017 season <b>(Breakout sector working groups)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agriculture &amp; Food Security</li> <li>• Disaster Risk Management</li> <li>• Health</li> <li>• Water &amp; Energy</li> <li>• Conflict Early Warning</li> <li>• Livestock</li> </ul> <b>Moderator: Mr. Keflemariam Sebhatu</b>	

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DAY TWO: MONDAY 14MAY 2018			
TIME	ACTIVITY		FACILITATOR
<b>SESSION V: USER FEEDBACK, PREPAREDNESS AND MITIGATION STRATEGIES</b>			CHAIRPERSON: <i>Mr Samuel Akera</i>
8:30 – 10:00	<b>Plenary reporting of user feedback, sectoral implications, for MAM 2018 season together with preparedness and mitigation strategies for JJAS 2018</b>		RAPPORTEUR: <i>July Ouma</i>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agriculture &amp; Food Security</li> <li>• Water &amp; Energy</li> <li>• Media</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Livestock</li> <li>• Disaster Risk Management</li> <li>• Health</li> </ul>	
10:00 - 10:30	Plenary discussion		
<b>10:30 – 11:00 TEA BREAK</b>			
<b>SESSION VI: PARTNERSHIPS</b>			CHAIRPERSON: <i>Mr Ismail Nour</i>
11:00 – 11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• African Union experience on DRR: <i>Gatkuoth Kai, AUC</i></li> <li>• WISER Programme: <i>John Mungai, DfID</i></li> <li>• SAWIDREA: <i>Zachary Atheru, ICPAC</i></li> <li>• RDOAG: <i>AbebeTadege, ICPAC</i></li> <li>• CCAFS Climate Services for Africa: <i>Dr J. Hansen/Oliver Kipkogei</i></li> <li>• Launch of ICPAC Crop Monitor: <i>ICPAC, RCMRD &amp; University of Maryland</i></li> <li>• Lessons learned in Climate resilience agriculture: <i>Dr. Halima Saado Abdillahi, Kenya Redcross</i></li> </ul>		RAPPARTEUR: <i>Maureen Anyango</i>
	Discussions		
11:30 – 12:00	Release of GHACOF 49 statement, <i>Mr Ismail Nour, Djibouti PR with WMO</i>		
12:00 – 13:00	Closing of the forum and Press Release		
<b>13:00 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK</b>			
<b>14:00 – 18:00 MEETINGS / WORKSHOPS</b>			