



The 7th GLTN Partner’s Meeting
24-26 April 2018 – Nairobi

GLTN Gender Strategy side event
Thursday 26th April – 16:00-17:30 in Conference room 3

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Session description

The aim of this session is to extend the discuss on the new Gender Strategy for GLTN, with a focus on the approaches to delivering and monitoring key outcomes of implementation.

Additionally, the new Strategy is founded on the principles of partnerships and networking that will make the implementation of the strategy a reality for GLTN. The session will underscore the centrality of this strategy to GLTN work, providing a reflective moment for partners to think on its delivery approach and measurement of progress in the context of GLTN broader strategy. The role of partners and resource needs in the implementation of this strategy will also be reflected upon and the ways to better communicate and profile GLTN’s work on gender issues as shared achievement by partners

The session is designed to for GLTN partners champions of gender and women’s land rights issues including experts and those interested in the subject matter from all agencies/representation. The session

will be interactive and aim to generate information and recommendations from the partners.

The proposed agenda for the session would therefore be:

- Reflection on the approach for implementation and monitoring of the gender strategy building on the outcomes from the presentation during the main partners meeting session.
- Role of GLTN partners in implementation, who should do what? How to better deliver on the gender agenda together and how this seats within the big strategy? What risks and opportunities?
- What resources are needed to deliver the strategy – (human, financial, technical) and what are the partners contributing?
- How can we better communicate and profile GLTN gender transformation work - the website, peer reviews etc?

Overall purpose

The expected outcomes of the session include:

- Greater understanding of the aspirations and outcomes expected from the new GLTN Gender Strategy including on next steps and deliverables
- Clarity on what ways partners can contribute to the implementation and monitoring of the Strategy
- Contribution to key mechanisms to strengthen action and partnerships towards implementing the new Strategy
- Some ideas on better ways to communicate and profile GLTN work on gender transformation in the land sector, marketing and fund raising for the Strategy

Improvements in tenure security cannot occur unless women and girls are empowered to have equal access to and control of land and tenure security as men and boys are. Given GLTN's focus on tenure security for all, women's empowerment has been a central part of the GLTN agenda.

GLTN has been addressing gender issues within its work for over 10 years and has specifically focused on women and youth's empowerment through tenure security. This has been achieved through tools development, such as the Gender Evaluation Criteria, knowledge and training (manuals, impact stories) and through advocacy.

This new strategy provides aims to deepen our understanding and strengthen GLTN's gender transformative approach to its work while ensuring coherence with the broader GLTN Strategy, responding to emerging issues and ensure alignment with key global frameworks with clear outcomes.

Event Outline

Time	Topic/activity description
16:00	Welcome remarks, introductions and outline of the session – TBC
16:15	Presentation of the GLTN Strategy and process
16:35	Plenary Q and A
16:50	Group reflection on practical ways to implement the Strategy
17:15	Group reports
17:30	Concluding remarks and observations - TBC