



Inception Workshop on
**Pro-Poor Policy Options for Control of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza
(HPAI) in Africa and Southeast Asia**

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Wednesday-Thursday, December 12-13, 2007

Chiang Mai Orchid Hotel
Chiang Mai, Thailand

Proposed Agenda



Wednesday, December 12		
Session I – Introduction		
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome address	Dean of Faculty of Economics of CM University
09:15 – 09:20	Introduction to the workshop	C. Narrod & J. Otte
09:20 – 09:30	Introduction of participants	All
09:30 – 09:45	DFID's rationale for and expectations of the project	P. Bazeley
09:45 – 10:15	Overview of the project	J. Otte & C. Narrod
10:15 – 10:45	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
Session II: Communication (Decision Support Tools & Capacity Building) – Towards a Strategy for Pro-Poor Policy Influence (Chair: A. McLeod)		
10:45 – 11:00	Overview presentation	A. McLeod
11:00 – 11:15	Risk communication and decision support	E. Birol (for K. von Grebner)
11:15 – 11:30	Pro-poor policy processes – Experiences of the Pro-Poor Livestock Policy Initiative	J. Otte
11:30 – 12:30	General discussion	Chair
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Luncheon (with panel discussion – poultry, HPAI and livelihoods)</i>	
Session III: HPAI Risk Assessment & Management – Issues, Tools and Options (Chair: W. Kalpravidh)		
13:30 – 13:45	Overview presentation	J. Otte (for D. Pfeiffer)
13:45 – 14:00	Risk assessment of introduction of HPAI to commercial farms in Thailand	S. Kasemsuwan
14:00 – 14:15	Use of participatory disease surveillance (PDS) methods for HPAI control in Indonesia	J. Mariner
14:15 – 14:30	Field investigations of HPAI in Cambodia	M. van Kerkhove
14:30 – 14:45	Update on HPAI in Viet Nam	Dung Do Huu
14:45 – 15:00	Epidemiological investigations of HPAI in Viet Nam	R. Soares-Magalhaes
15:00 – 15:15	Simulation of HPAI control measures in Viet Nam	R. Soares-Magalhaes
15:15 – 15:30	General discussion	Chair
15:30 – 16:00	<i>Tea Break</i>	



Session IV: Economic and Livelihoods Impacts of HPAI and its Control – Knowns and Unknowns (Chair: P. Calkins)		
16:00 – 16:15	Overview presentation	C. Narrod
16:15 – 16:30	Poverty distribution and sources of income in Viet Nam	M. Epprecht
16:30 – 16:45	HPAI control from a demand side perspective	D. Roland-Holst
16:45 – 17:00	Impact of HPAI on rural livelihoods in Cambodia: Differentiation by gender and socio-economic categories	S. Seng
17:00 – 17:15	Certification, traceability, and economic incentives of for HPAI control	J. Ifft
17:15 – 17:30	Market uncertainty and animal health	D. Zilberman
17:30 – 17:45	Sustainable smallholder participation in Thai livestock markets	S. Heft-Neal
17:45 – 18:00	General discussion	Chair
19:00 – 20:30	<i>Hosted dinner</i>	



Thursday, December 13		
Session V: Institutions and Management of Institutions (Chair: C. Narrod)		
09:00 – 09:15	Overview presentation	J. Mariner
09:15 – 09:30	Institutions, controlling disease and market failures	D. Zilberman
09:30 – 09:45	Institutions and experiments	A. Viceisza (for M. Torero)
Session VI: Ensuring Project Outcomes are Achieved		
09:45 – 10:30	Introduction to outcome mapping and implications on project strategies	K. Rich
10:30 – 10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>	
Session VI: Review of Identified Issues and Knowledge Gaps (from day 1)		
10:45 – 12:00	Break-out groups (based on day 1 themes and agreed upon by participants) to discuss and prioritize identified research gaps and methodological issues to ensure project outcomes	Facilitators
12:00 – 12:30	Plenary discussion	Facilitator
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30 – 14:45	Break-out groups (based on day 1 themes) to discuss ways to harmonize research and generate jointly developed outputs	Facilitators
14:45 – 15:30	Plenary discussion	Facilitator
15:30 – 15:45	<i>Tea Break</i>	
Session VII: Project Management – Ways Forward		
15:45 – 17:30	Discussion of milestones; communication and dissemination activities and strategies (particularly outreach to decision-makers); and coordination. <i>Break-out sessions to discuss strategies and plenary to share/discuss</i>	Facilitator
17:30 – 18:00	Closing Session	