

Workshop Agenda

CIRCASA: Stakeholders' perspectives and knowledge needs on SOC sequestration

09:00 – 17:15, 23 October 2018

Birchwood Hotel, Johannesburg

The aim of the workshop is to engage with stakeholders' in order to gather a range of perspectives on soil organic carbon (SOC) sequestration, in particular views on SOC management options, barriers and solutions for the implementation, as well as knowledge and research needs to increase uptake of SOC management practices. Moreover, the workshop also aims to facilitate exchange and mutual learning among the regional stakeholders on SOC management. The information gathered will be analysed to make comparisons across stakeholder groups and countries across the globe, and the results will inform the development of an international research agenda on SOC management.

The workshop seeks to bring together a range of stakeholders, from farmers, business, policymakers, environmental organizations and others. The workshop will use a participatory discussion format.

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FULL DAY WORKSHOP STARTING IN THE MORNING

08:30	Registration and coffee
09:00	<i>Welcome and introductions</i>
09:30	SOC management options
10.30	Refreshments
11.00	Barriers to the uptake of SOC management options
12.00	Lunch
13.00	Solutions for increased uptake of SOC management options
14.00	Knowledge needs to increase uptake of SOC management options
15.15	Close (the event will close at 15.30)

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