

## Agriculture, Nutrition, and Health (ANH) Academy and ANH Academy Week Conference provide a unique, interdisciplinary conference and community to engage stakeholders around ANH

**Project Title:** P359 - Improving awareness and understanding of interactions between agriculture and human health and building inter-sectoral collaboration to address complex challenges

**Description of the innovation:** The Agriculture, Nutrition, and Health Academy Week fills a previously unmet need to convene people around agriculture, nutrition, and health (ANH) challenges. These researchers, practitioners and policymakers are becoming a collaborative global community of researchers and research users, with expertise and motivation to harness agriculture to reduce all forms of malnutrition and mitigate any negative health consequences. Dissemination of methods, metrics, and tools is accelerated through the ANH Academy community and annual conference.

**New Innovation:** No

**Stage of innovation:** Stage 1: discovery/proof of concept (PC - end of research phase)

**Innovation type:** Research and Communication Methodologies and Tools

**Geographic Scope:** Global

**Number of individual improved lines/varieties:** <Not Applicable>

**Description of Stage reached:** Influence of the ANH Academy Week conference activities was described in the mid-term evaluation (available upon request) of the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM)-led project called Innovative Methods and Metrics for Agriculture and Nutrition Actions (IMMANA), which facilitates the ANH Academy. A4NH co-leads the annual conference.

**Name of lead organization/entity to take innovation to this stage:** <Not Defined>

**Names of top five contributing organizations/entities to this stage:**

- FCDO - Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (formerly DFID)(United Kingdom)
- LSHTM - London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
- IMMANA - Innovative Methods and Metrics for Agriculture and Nutrition Actions
- UG - University of Ghana
- LCIRAH - Leverhulme Centre for Integrative Research on Agriculture

**Milestones:** No milestones associated

**Sub-IDs:**

**Contributing Centers/PPA partners:**

**Evidence link:**

- <https://www.anh-academy.org/anh-academy-week>
- <https://tinyurl.com/27gs2ptj>

**Deliverables associated:** <Not Defined>

**Contributing CRPs/Platforms:**

- A4NH - Agriculture for Nutrition and Health