Tools and training materials to help to mainstream gender in Humidtropics activities

Introducing the tools and training materials to help to mainstream gender in Humidtropics activities

Gender has been one of the most important topics of discussion for Humidtropics since the program first was established, and was summarized in the so-called Humidtropics Gender Strategy.

To help empowering women, as well as men (including young people), across all the flagships, the Capacity Development team worked on different materials to be used by the innovation platform (IP) facilitators.

Furthermore, to support the lesson plans, a series of posters to be exhibited in the innovation platform meeting rooms is planned to be developed before the end of the year.

Utility of the tools and training materials to help to mainstream gender in Humidtropics activities

The main utility of the materials is related to their use within the IP meeting rooms. They are to be used in IP meetings to provide the stakeholders with information, knowledge and ideas on the main gender issues, and assist them in overcoming them.

How does it work?

The lesson plans should be reviewed by the IP facilitators prior to delivering the material to the IP stakeholders to ensure they have a good grasp on the subject and can feel comfortable answering any questions and leading further discussion on the issues.

Results and outputs

i. Lesson guide on Control of assets
ii. Lesson guide on Power and decision making
iii. Lesson guide on Needs, priorities, and perspectives
iv. Lesson guide on Barriers to participation
v. Series of posters of innovation platform meeting rooms

Who is the legacy product useful for?

All of the materials are useful for IP facilitators to use when delivering the materials on gender.

Key partners

All of the activities related to the tools and training materials to help to mainstream gender in Humidtropics activities have been coordinated, supervised and/or executed by representatives of the International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI).

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