

BLENDED TRAINING COURSE APRIL - JUNE 2023

Certificate

On behalf of iCRA, it is hereby declared that

Chnar Sulaiman Hadi from Iraq

has successfully completed the blended training course:

Making Research Work

Solving complex agri-food problems through action research

Including the following modules:

- Exploring Research Processes and Action Research: Types of research, dealing with complexity, agricultural innovation systems, using systems thinking to visualise research in its broader context (participants' own research examples).
- 2. Implementing Participatory Action Research: Roots of PAR, core beliefs, key characteristics and core competencies needed (and our challenge) for how we implement PAR
- 3. Developing Winning Research Proposals: The 'psychology' of a donor; what donors look for in a proposal, how to write for a donor and how donors read and evaluate a proposal; getting an envisaged change process (ideas) on paper and defining impact; engaging donors, potential partners and target groups.
- 4. Building Trust with Stakeholders: Trust as a condition for innovation, listening skills for building trust, creating commitment, and looking for common ground.
- Communicating Research: The basics of communication; how to make research engaging for every type of audience, online & offline communication channels.
- Engaging stakeholders: Identifying stakeholders, understanding their roles and responsibilities, conducting a stakeholder analysis to understand their interests, needs, and influence.
- 7. Applying the lessons learnt in the modules to two case studies in the face-to-face component of the course in Wageningen, the Netherlands (21 28 June 2023).

Signed and delivered this June 28th, 2023.

Mariette Gross Executive Director

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Course Coordinator