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Meeting Agenda

Large Farm Symposium 2026

Thursday 22 January 2026

LARGE FARM SYMPOSIUM: THE FUTURE OF FARMING

15:00-17:00 GMT

Zoom Events

Time	Topic	Presenter
15:00 – 15:05	Welcome and Housekeeping	Lena Staafgard , Chief Operating Officer, Better Cotton Initiative
15:05 – 15:10	Introduction	Nick Weatherill , Chief Executive Officer, Better Cotton Initiative
15:10 – 15:30	Keynote: <i>The Future of Farming</i>	Antônio Cabrera Mano Filho , President, Cabrera Group and Former Minister of Agriculture and Land Reform of Brazil
15:30 – 15:50	Panel Discussion: <i>Perspectives on the Future of Farming</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brazil: Antônio Cabrera Mano Filho Türkiye: Gökçe Okulu, Climate Adaptation Programme Manager at Development Workshop Cooperative and Expert in Landscape Architecture, Regenerative Agriculture, and Ecosystem Restoration Uzbekistan: Dr. Rinat Gulyaev, Director of Cotton Science -Innovation Center and Deputy General Director of Bukhara Agrocluster Moderator: Lena Staafgard
15:50 – 16:00	Audience Q&A	Moderator: Lena Staafgard
16:00 – 16:45	Case studies: <i>Farms of the Future</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brazil: Ronei Sandri Sana, Digital Agriculture Manager, SLC Agrícola S/A US: Zeb Winslow, Fifth-Generation North Carolina Farmer Pakistan: Dr. Muhammad Yousaf Ali, Vice President of Special Initiatives, Mahmood Group Host: Karen Wynne, US Impact Manager, Better Cotton Initiative
16:45 – 16:55	Audience Q&A	Moderator: Karen Wynne
16:55 – 17:00	Closing Remarks	