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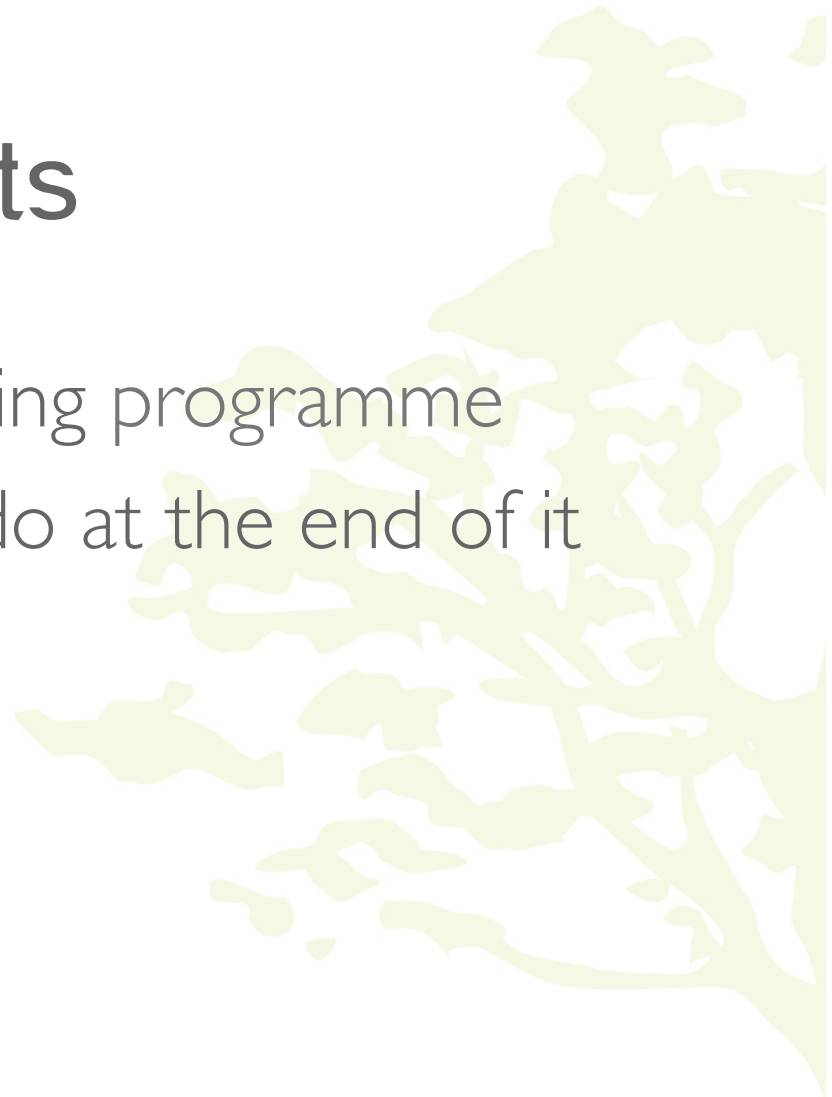
# Baselines Assessments for Field Practitioners

Introduction to the Training  
Programme



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# Main objective

- To produce a pool of trained personnel with the necessary field and analytical skills for carrying out Baselines Livelihood Assessment
- Train new people to develop baselines for food security forecasting and analysis.
- To provide a refresher course for those that are already trained

# Programme outline

- Food security concepts, LBVA concepts, vulnerability concepts, background on the Household Economy Approach (HEA) (S1-2)
- High quality information (S3-5)
- The preliminary stages: livelihood zoning, markets, reference year, seasonal calendars, wealth breakdowns (S6-10)
- The main stage: livelihood strategies (S11-14)

# Programme outline

- Coping strategies (S3-5)
- More on quality (S16-18)
- The Baseline Spread Sheets and any relevant software (S19-20)
- Agricultural economies and non-food needs (S21-22)
- Last day: evaluations—yours and ours

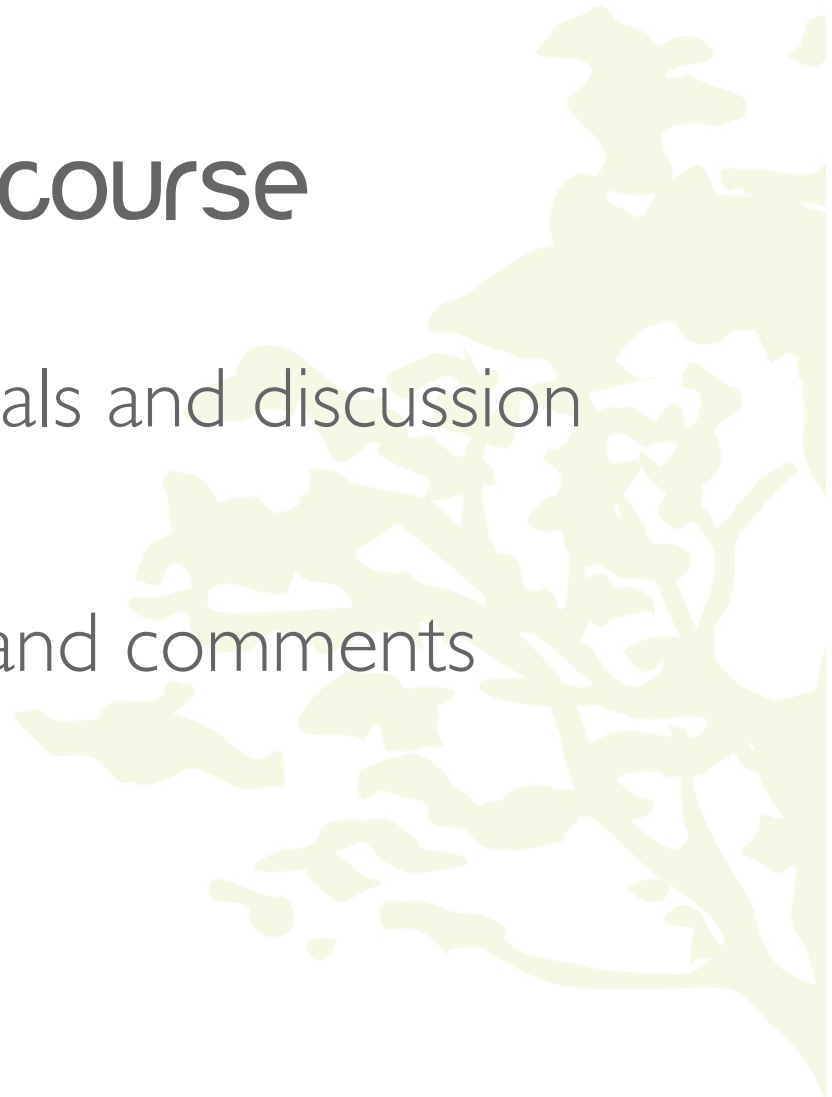
# WHAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO DO AT THE END OF THIS COURSE

Understand how to collect and analysis  
information on the ways that people make a living  
—and build that into a complete model for later  
analysis



# Style of the course

- Mixture of lectures, practicals and discussion
- Relaxed style – questions and comments encouraged



# Training plan

**The Detailed Programme** has been circulated

## **Times:**

- 08.30am to 12:30 pm (except for the first day will start 09:00 am)
- 13:30 pm to 17:00 pm
- Two short refreshment breaks, lunches

We are obliged to...

... *start all sessions **punctually!***



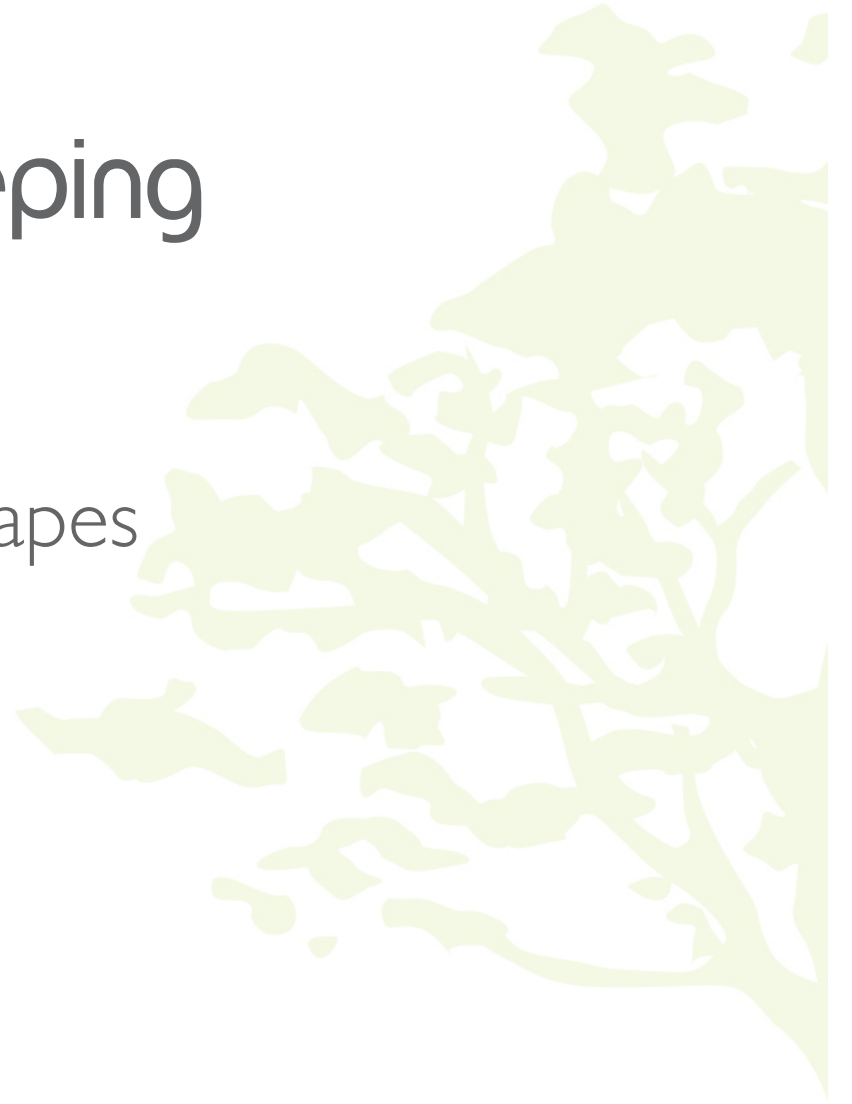
# Housekeeping

- Registration
- Support
- Administrative
- Materials provided



# Housekeeping

- Arrangements for lunch
- Location of toilets, fire escapes
- Cell phones?
- Lets be punctual



# Summary

- Main objective and purpose of the training
- What you will be able to do at the end of it
- Programme, style of the course
- Housekeeping

