

Desertification and Drought Day 2023

HIGHLIGHTING CARIBBEAN WOMEN'S INNOVATION IN THE LAND SECTOR



Building a Healthy Soil Ecosystem for a Sustainable Future

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Thank you again for your support of our effort to highlight the contributions of women in the Caribbean to Sustainable Land and Soil Management.

As promised, here are the slides from our esteemed presenters and the link to the full presentation.



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Nelissia Tumbak Coipel is a Technical Officer at the Dominica Bureau of Quarantine and a graduate of the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus with a bachelor's degree in Agriculture. Nelissia has 6 years of experience in the Agriculture Industry. Nelissia's professional goal is to introduce new technologies and ideas to the agricultural sector which will increase young men and women's get involved in the sector.

Nelissia Coipel

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Sunshine De Caires is a Ph.D. student at the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago. A graduate of the Ph.D. program in Soil and Environmental Science, Sunshine is currently completing her dissertation titled "Soils as a spatial predictor of land-use change under the pressure of climate change". Her research aims to explore the impact of land-use change on soil properties, soil health, and soil carbon sequestration. She is currently a research assistant at the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago. She is also a member of the Caribbean Agricultural Science, Extension, and Outreach Unit (CASEO) and the Caribbean Agricultural Science, Extension, and Outreach Unit (CASEO) and the Caribbean Agricultural Science, Extension, and Outreach Unit (CASEO).

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Tiffany Marcelle is a Ph.D. student at the Dominica State College. She brings a background in physics to her work in agriculture. She holds two master's degrees in Industrial Engineering and Operations Management and works with USAID/Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture on projects in Dominica as an intern.

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Ms. Maharaj is a Ph.D. student at the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus. She has a B.Sc. in Biology and Environmental Management and a M.Sc. in Biodiversity Conservation and an M.Phil. in Plant Systematics. Her current study focuses on the impact of climate change on the diversity of plant communities in response to human-induced climate change. She is currently a research assistant at the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus. She is also a member of the Caribbean Agricultural Science, Extension, and Outreach Unit (CASEO) and the Caribbean Agricultural Science, Extension, and Outreach Unit (CASEO).

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Current title: UNFCCC National Focal Point and UNFCCC Coordinator at the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine. Research topic: Investigating the Potential of Natural Green for the Mitigation of Absorbed Carbon. Other interests: Water management and its related issues have been a major part of my academic life. This has my undergraduate work focused on water quality in the Maricao Watershed. This was my first research project and was the foundation of my environmental governance and the start of my professional career.

Vikki Lee

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