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### Instructions for submitting an abstract

You are invited to submit an abstract before December 15th. **Acknowledgment of receipt will be sent automatically. If you do not receive any acknowledgment, please contact us again.**

For talks, a maximum of two abstracts will be accepted for each speaker. All authors of accepted abstracts must register and be paid in full by the early registration deadline (currently February 2018). Authors failing to comply with this rule will not be included in the Conference Programme.

Oral (spoken) presentations will be limited to 20 minutes: 15 minutes for presentation and 5 minutes for questions. Contributed oral presentations will be grouped by topic. If your abstract is accepted but cannot be accommodated as an oral presentation, we may offer you the opportunity to present a poster. All oral presentation rooms will be equipped with a computer and a data projector.

Poster presenters will receive general instructions on poster format once the abstract is accepted. Detailed information and instructions on presentations at the meeting will be available to presenters several months before the meeting.

#### Proposals must contain the following information:

Talk or poster presentation?	<b>Talk</b>
Language of the presentation	<b>English</b>
Title of the presentation (limited to 150 characters including spaces)	<b>Ecosystem services and multi-dimensional poverty reduction: Systematically mapping the evidence with sub-Saharan decision-makers</b>
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Abstract (limited to 150 words)	<b>There is growing recognition that the management of ecosystem services needs to go beyond ensuring only the sustainability of these services. A growing body of evidence is shifting the emphasis of ecosystem services management to include the reduction of poverty in its various forms. This is particularly true for sub-Saharan Africa where many people remain directly reliant on ecosystem services for their subsistence and survival. As part of an externally-funded project administered via the Ecosystem Services for Poverty Alleviation (ESPA) programme, we produced a systematic and interactive map of the evidence on the links between ecosystem services and multi-dimensional poverty reduction in Africa. Following systematic review methodology, this map identifies evidence 'gaps and gluts' on this topic. Through engagement and co-production with decision-makers</b>

	<b>in sub-Saharan Africa, the map has been used as a tool to enhance the ability of environmental decision-makers to engage with evidence when making decisions.</b>
Required support for French/English translation (for talks)	<b>Yes</b>

### Instructions pour soumettre un résumé

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Nous acceptons au maximum deux communications orales par intervenant. Tous les auteurs dont les résumés seront acceptés devront s'inscrire au congrès et avoir payé leur inscription dans sa totalité avant la date limite des inscriptions (février 2018). Si ce n'était pas le cas les organisateurs se réservent la possibilité de ne pas inclure ces communications dans le programme de la Conférence.

**Le résumé pour une communication orale ou un poster doit comporter les informations suivantes :**

Présentation orale ou poster ?	
Langue de la présentation	
Titre de la présentation (limité à 150 caractères, espaces compris)	
Nom de l' auteur	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• affiliation</li> <li>• informations complètes de contact</li> <li>• adresse e-mail</li> </ul>	
Abstract (limité à 150 mots)	

Aide souhaitée pour une traduction simultanée Français/Anglais (présentations orales uniquement)	
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