

## GEO-LDN Training

**Date:** 18.-19.09.2023; 09:00 – 16:30

**Location:** Swakopmund, Namibia

**Target audience:** Participants from AfriGEO Symposium

**Objective:** Intensify ties between GEO-LDN and AfriGEO / Engage participants in LDN / Opening to new tools and stakeholders / strengthening decision making competences of participants: Choosing the appropriate tool for their decision context

### DAY 1

Session name	Content	Time	Format	Speaker
Introduction LDN concept and GEO-LDN Flagship		09:00 – 10:00	Presentation + discussion	Amos Kabobah (UENR, GEO-LDN)
LDN Toolbox and philosophy behind it		10:00 – 10:30	Presentation + discussion	Bernd Eversmann (GEO-LDN)
<b>Break 10:30 – 11:00</b>				
An overview of different approaches for LD monitoring and LDN	Trends.Earth	11:00 – 12:30	In-person demo	Bernd Eversmann (UENR, GEO-LDN)
<b>Lunch 12:30 – 14:00</b>				
An overview of different approaches for LD monitoring and LDN	SDG Tracker (CBAS)	14:00 – 15:00	In-person demo	Xiaosong LI (CBAS)
<b>Break 15:00 – 15:30</b>				
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## DAY 2

<b>Session name</b>	<b>Content</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
An overview of different approaches for LD monitoring and LDN	SEPAL - The SDG 15.3 module and more	09:00 – 10:30		Amit Ghosh (FAO)
<b>Break 10:30 – 11:00</b>				
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An overview of different approaches for LD monitoring and LDN	Digital Earth Africa Land Degradation Analysis with DEA	11:30 – 12:30	In-person demo	Thierry Tapsoba (OSS)
<b>Lunch 12:30 – 14:00</b>				
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<b>Break 15:00 – 15:30</b>				
Wrap-up session + Networking	Summary + discussion of how to choose the right tool for the decision context	15:30 – 16:30	Panel discussion	Phoebe