

GRA Proposed Restructure

Council & Secretariat

GRA RESEARCH GROUPS

Livestock

Rice

Crop and Land Use

GRA NETWORKS

Animal Health
Animal Genetics
Feed & Nutrition
Manure
Rumen Microbial

Review activities and
consider Networks
based on rice
production systems
e.g. upland, lowland,
MRV

Soil & Peat Carbon*
Nitrous Oxide Emissions
from Fertilisers*

GRA FLAGSHIPS

Flagships linked to relevant Research Groups

Special Representative

GRA INDEPENDENT NETWORKS

***MRV
Knowledge
Network***

***Indigenous
Research
Network***

TBD

Circular Food Systems
Farm Systems*

Next Steps

At the Dublin meeting, it was proposed to form an implementation group to identify Networks and align existing activities with the new structure. Based on today's discussions, we propose the following alternative next steps:

- Crop & Land Use (CLURG) Co-Chairs will begin meeting with their Networks.
- CLURG will develop a work plan as well as prepare for their first annual meeting. They will update Council on progress at the 2026 meeting in Costa Rica.
- Rice RG will develop a work plan of action in collaboration with IRRI, Africa Rice and others, as well as prepare for their first annual meeting. They will update Council on progress at the 2026 meeting in Costa Rica.
- LRG and CLURG Co-Chairs will meet as needed during CLURG's establishment phase, with a dedicated session at the 2026 Council meeting.
- 12 months after both RGs become active, an assessment will be conducted to determine any areas for improvement and identify any gaps in research central to the GRA Mission and Strategy (2026-2030).