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MODERATOR: Robin Marsh, University of California, Center for Sustainable Resource Development, College of Natural Resources, Berkeley, CA, USA

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4:30pm-4:50pm Creating a Marketing Network for Limited Resource Farmers - Kathleen Earl Colverson, Heifer International, Gainesville, Florida, USA .................................................................(p. 21)

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MODERATOR: Anne Crawford, University of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

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