

# Science-Policy Interactions

## “Making Science work for Forest and Landscape Restoration”

### Workshop Programme

(Version 21 August 2015)

Date	Time	Subject (Description)	Responsible
Friday 4 September	08:30 - 09:00	Registration	Workshop Organisers
	09:00 - 09:15	<u>Welcome address</u> and opening of the workshop	IUFRO Vice President
	09:15 – 09:30	<u>Introductions</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Objectives and program of the workshop</li> <li>Individual introductions by participants and expectations</li> </ul>	Michael Kleine
	09:30 – 11:00	<u>Presentation</u> What is the Science-policy Interface? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Science-Society Interaction</li> <li>Concepts and Definitions</li> </ul>	Michael Kleine
	11:00 – 11:15	Tea/Coffee Break	
	11:15 – 11:45	<u>Presentation</u> Science contributions by IUFRO to global policy processes	Michael Kleine
	11:45 – 12:30	<u>Interactive Session:</u> Science contributions to forest policy and management : participants' experiences	Moderation: Bastiaan Louman, resource persons
	12:30 – 14:00	Lunch	
	14:00 – 15:00	<u>Presentation</u> Introduction to Forest Landscape Restoration and its potential role in current global policy processes (UNFCCC, CBD, UNCCD)	John Stanturf
	15:00 – 15:30	<u>Interactive Session</u> Discussions on FLR and participants' experiences	Moderation: Bastiaan Louman, John Stanturf
	15:30 – 15:45	Tea/Coffee Break	
	15:45 – 17:00	<u>Presentation&amp; Discussion</u> Contribution of FLR to Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation	John Stanturf
	17:00 – 18:00	<u>Presentation</u> FLR Cases Studies from South Asia: Addressing the drivers of land degradation	Promode Kant

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Saturday 5 September	09:00 – 10:00	<u>Presentation</u> Reducing Deforestation and Forest Degradation in Ghana: Setting of priorities	Ernest Foli
	10:00 – 11:00	<u>Presentation</u> FLR in Latin America: Lessons learned from long-term multi-stakeholder initiatives	Bastiaan Louman
	11:00 – 11:15	Tea/Coffee Break	
	11:15 – 12:30	<u>Presentation</u> Policy driving science? Promotion and assessment of FLR opportunities at national and global levels.	Lars Laestadius
	12:30 – 14:00	Lunch	
	14:00 – 15:30	<u>Group Work</u> "Developing information packages to promote FLR in global policy processes (UNFCCC, CBD, UNCCD, UNFF, etc.)" <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tasks and expected results</li></ul>	Moderation: all resource persons
	15:30 – 15:45	Tea/Coffee Break	
	15:45 – 18:00	<u>Group Work continues</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Choosing a group topic/case</li><li>• Discussing the FLR case and results</li><li>• Selecting the main messages and target groups</li><li>• Drafting the information product</li></ul>	Moderation: all resource persons

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Sunday 6 September	09:00 – 10:00	Presentation of group work results	Participants
	10:00 – 12:00	<u>Knowledge Café:</u> “Implementing FLR on the ground: What needs to change?” Potential topics: FLR as means of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>meeting a country’s commitment on climate change (e.g. INDC)</li> <li>contributing to biodiversity enhancement/conservation</li> <li>improving local income and social wellbeing, and</li> <li>broadening the scope for long-term business opportunities</li> </ul>	Participants and all resource persons
	12:00 – 12:30	Closing of Workshop	Michael Kleine
	12:30 – 14:00	Farewell Lunch	