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Scoping Dialogue on Land and Forest Tenure Reform

27-28 February 2018 – Yale University, New Haven, USA

Dialogue Venues

- ➔ **Greenberg Conference Center** (27th)
- ➔ **Bowers Auditorium, Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies** (28th)

Objectives

- ➔ **Share understanding of the background of land tenure reform** among various stakeholders including indigenous peoples, forestry companies, agricultural companies, development agencies and relevant government bodies;
- ➔ **Examine and learn lessons from concrete situations** where land tenure reforms have been, or are being, used;
- ➔ **Identify key fracture lines within land tenure reform** with opportunity for improvement and collaboration across stakeholders.

Dialogue Co-Chairs

- ➔ **Marcus Colchester** – Forest Peoples Programme
- ➔ **Amity Doolittle** – Yale University, F&ES
- ➔ **Jo Ann Guillao** – Asia Indigenous Peoples Pact (TBC)
- ➔ **Ivone Namikawa** - Klabin
- ➔ **Christopher Stewart** - Olam

Agenda

Tuesday, 27 February (full-day)

- 8:00** Leave hotel for Greenberg Center, Yale University
- 8:30** Breakfast
- 9:00** Plenary Presentations: Introductions
- ➔ Participant introductions and Agenda Overview - Co-Chairs
 - ➔ TFD and Initiative Background - Gary Dunning
 - ➔ Dialogue Ground rules – Gary Dunning
- 9:15** Presentation of Scoping Paper – Marcus Colchester

Morning Session

- 9:45** Plenary Discussion: Issues Identification / Stakeholder Perspectives
- ➔ Community/Rights holders
 - ➔ Private Sector
 - ➔ Land Reform implementer
 - ➔ Research

- 10:45** Break
- 11:00** Plenary Discussion: Key Issue Synthesis and Prioritization
- 12:30** Lunch

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Afternoon Session

13:30 Plenary Discussion: Prioritize discussion topics

14:00 Breakout Group Discussion: Scoping the Issue

Possible Breakout Group Topics (to be decided during Plenary Discussion):

- What are the main obstacles to devolving tenure to local communities and indigenous peoples?
- Are governance failures or vested interests blocking land transfers and the recognition of rights?
- What are the outcomes for community livelihoods and welfare?

15:30 Break

16:00 Plenary Discussion: Breakout Groups Report Back

17:00 Adjourn for day

17:00 Regional Student Interest Group Happy Hour

19:00 Group Dinner

Wednesday 28 February (part-day)

8:00 Leave Hotel for Bowers Auditorium, F&ES

8:30 Breakfast

Morning Session

9:00 Plenary Discussion: Summary of Day 1

9:30 Breakout Group Discussion: Identify solutions, actions, and actors

Possible Breakout Group Topics (to be decided during Plenary Discussion):

- What role, if any, should the private sector play in land and forest tenure reform?
- What can be done to break the deadlocks of land transfers and recognition of rights?
- How can investors and business get enough security to avoid risk and get enough benefit?
- Once lands are transferred what institutional and technical incentives are needed to encourage sustainable land use?

11:00 Plenary Discussion: Breakout Group Report back

12:00 Lunch

Afternoon Session

13:00 Plenary Discussion: Initiative going forward including possible next field dialogues

- Indonesia
- Guyana
- Cameroon

14:00 Adjourn

16:00 Yale FES Land Tenure Reform Public Forum

17:30 Land Tenure Forum Reception