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Vietnam Field Dialogue on REDD+ Benefit Sharing

24-27 September 2013 - Lam Dong, Vietnam

Location

River Prince Hotel 135-145 Phan Dinh Phung Street Dalat, Lam Dong, Vietnam + (84-63) 3565 888 +1 202-473-1000 www.riverprincehotel.com

Objectives

- Develop understanding of the current state of REDD+ Benefit Sharing in several key countries and identify the challenges for designing and implementing those mechanisms more broadly;
- Build a "community of practice" among locally-rooted, well-connected REDD practitioners to share experiences and develop practical tools that support effective, efficient and equitable benefit sharing for REDD+;
- Promote appropriate economic, policy and institutional arrangements at the local, national and international levels to facilitate equitable and efficient delivery of REDD+ Benefit Sharing mechanisms.

Dialogue Co-Chairs

Chris Buss- International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)

Cuong Manh Pham - Vietnam Administration of Forestry (VNFOREST)

Tan Quang Nguyen - The Center for People and Forests (RECOFTC)

Milagre Nuvunga - MICAIA Foundation

Tuesday, 24 September

Field Trip Chair: Tan Quang Nguyen

07:30 Presentation by Provincial Officials on REDD+ and PFES in Lam Dong

08:30 Depart Hotel

12:00 Lunch

16:00 Depart to Hotel

Wednesday, 25 September

07:30 Depart Hotel

12:00 Lunch

18:00 Arrive back to Hotel

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Thursday, 26 September

Morning Chair: Pham Manh Cuong

- **07:30** Registration opens
- **08:00** Opening, Welcome Address & Participant Introduction VNFOREST & RECOFTC
- **08:30** International Context of REDD+ Benefit Sharing:
 - → The Forests Dialogue's REDD+ Benefit Sharing Initiative Gary Dunning
 - → International Context of REDD+ Benefit Sharing
- **09:15** REDD+ Benefit Sharing and PES in Vietnam:
 - Overview of REDD+ process in Vietnam Pham Manh Cwòng
 - Overview of benefit distribution from PES in VN Pham Hong Lurging
- **10:30** Coffee Break
- **10:45** REDD+ Benefit Sharing and PES in Vietnam:
 - Presentation of the background paper Pham Minh Thoa
 - → JICA's Experience on Benefit Sharing in Vietnam
 - Co-Chairs reflection from the field
 - Community based REDD+ project CERDA
- 12:30 Lunch Break

Afternoon Chair: Milagre Nuvunga

- **14:00** Plenary Discussion: Key Challenges for designing and implementing Benefit Sharing in Vietnam
- **15:00** Breakout Group Session I: Stakeholder Perspectives on Key Challenges in designing and implementing Benefit Sharing in Vietnam and internationally
- **16:00** Break
- **16:15** Breakout group reports and plenary discussion
- **17:30** Adjourn for the day
- **18:30** Group Dinner

Friday, 27 September

Morning Co-Chairs: Nguyen Quang Tan & Chris Buss

- **08:00** Co-Chairs' conclusions of previous day discussion
- **08:30** Breakout Group Session II: Ways forward and Key Action Points for Key Challenges in designing and implementing Benefit Sharing in Vietnam and internationally
- 10:15 Break
- **10:30** Breakout group reports and plenary discussion
- 11:15 Plenary Discussion: Next steps in Vietnam and for REDD+ BS Initiative
- **11:45** Adjourn

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