

The Forests Dialogue

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TFD Restoration Scoping Dialogue

31 January - 1 February 2023 – New Haven, CT, USA

Dialogue Location

New Haven Lawn Club, 193 Whitney Avenue

Dialogue Co-Chairs

- Lyndall Bull Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
- Kerry Cesareo- World Wildlife Fund
- Sarah Price Sappi

Objectives

- Build a collective understanding of stakeholder perspectives and concerns, knowledge and research gaps, and priorities related to the forest sector's roles in ecosystem restoration.
- Identify areas of agreement, disagreement, and fracture lines.
- Contribute to removing barriers and scaling up ecosystem restoration collaboration globally.
- Scope opportunities for dialogue to drive change and foster learnings in specific locations through field dialogues and at global and regional levels.

Agenda

Tuesday 31 January (all times US EST)

08:30 Breakfast and Registration

09:00 Opening Plenary - Welcome and Introductions

- Restoration Roundtable Overview
- Background Paper Presentation and Questions

10:10 Coffee Break

10:30 Session I : Perspectives on the forest sector and ecosystem restoration

- Sharing Stakeholder Perspectives
- Breakout Discussion on the role of various stakeholders in restoration, barriers, challenges, and existing gaps.

12:00 Lunch

13:00 Session I breakout discussion report back and plenary reflections

14:00 Session II: Focus on the forest private sector and ecosystem restoration

 Breakout Discussion on forest private sector roles and experiences in restoration efforts, barriers, challenges and existing gaps

15:20 Coffee Break

15:40 Session II breakout discussion report back and plenary reflections



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Tuesday 31 January continued (all times US EST)

16:30 Day 1 Reflections

17:00 Adjourn

19:00 Participant Dinner

Wednesday 1 February

08:30 Breakfast

09:00 Co-chair Day 1 Summary + Plenary discussion

10:10 Coffee Break

10:30 Session III: Areas of agreement and disagreement

Breakout Discussion

12:00 Lunch

13:00 Session III breakout discussion report back and plenary refections

14:00 Coffee

14:20 Session IV: Prioritization and path forward

• Plenary discussion : opportunities, needs, interest, field dialogue locations

15:40 Closing

16:00 Adjourn