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Scoping Dialogue on Understanding Deforestation-Free

28-29 October 2014 - New Haven, CT, USA

Location

Greenberg Conference Center on the Yale University Campus

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Objectives

- → Develop a commonly held view on what is meant by deforestation-free;
- Identify risks and opportunities associated with the implementation of the deforestation-free concept;
- Establish specific and practical ways forward on key issues, and ensure preparedness to pursue these issues.

Dialogue Co-Chairs

Sophie Beckham – International Paper Skip Krasny – Kimberly-Clark Milagre Nuvunga – MICAIA Foundation Nigel Sizer – World Resources Institute Rod Taylor – WWF

Dialogue Agenda

Tuesday, 28 October Morning Co-Chairs – **Skip Krasny and Nigel Sizer**

08:30 Registration
09:00 Welcome and Participant introductions – Co-Chairs
09:20 TFD & the UDF Dialogue – Gary Dunning
09:40 Overview of UDF – Akiva Fishman
10:10 What is Deforestation Free?
10:40 Break

11:00 Stakeholder Perspectives on "Deforestation-Free" challenges:

- → Companies
- → Indigenous Peoples, Women and Communities
- → Inter-Governmental Organizations
- → NGOs
- → "Implementers"
- 12:30 Lunch Break

Afternoon Co-Chairs - Sophie Beckham and Milagre Nuvunga

- **13:30** Breakout Groups: risks and opportunities associated with the implementation of the deforestation-free concept
- 15:15 Break
- 15:30 Breakout Group Report Back and Discussions
- 16:30 Prioritizing the challenges
- 17:30 Adjourn for the day
- 19:00 Group Dinner Pacifico Restaurant

Wednesday, 29 October

Morning Chair - Rod Taylor

- **08:30** Co-chair reflections on Priority Issues
- **08:50** Addressing the fracture lines and overcoming the challenges
- 10:15 Break

10:30 Next Steps:

- → Opportunities for collaboration
- → Possible field dialogue locations and partners
- → Synergies with other processes addressing similar issues

11:30 Adjourn*

***PLEASE NOTE:** All UDF Participants are invited to join us for these TFD/UDF related events:

All Events Wednesday Afternoon at Yale

- 12:00-13:00 Business & Environment: Eat with the Experts (Evans Hall)
- 14:30-15:30 Translating Policy into Action: The case of REDD+ (Marsh Hall)
- **16:00-18:00** Understanding 'Deforestation-Free' Panel Discussion and Reception (Greenburg Center)
- **18:00-19:30** Conversations Around the World: A reception with Yale's Africa, Asia and Latin American Student Interest Groups (Greenberg Center)