

REDD Readiness: Ready for What?

A side event of ITTO and partners at UNFCCC COP 17



Durban, Wed 7 December 2011

Place: Room 4, Time: 15:00



The side-event reviews the progress of selected field projects that are supporting tropical countries getting ready for REDD+ implementation. It includes projects under the ITTO REDDES Thematic Programme, and under the Japan International Cooperation Agency, JICA.

It also presents a research study on the role of SFM in REDD+ projects conducted by University of Hyogo of Japan, and outcomes of the multi-stakeholder discussions under TFD/IUCN REDD Readiness Dialogues, which have been bridging the gap between local reality and international policy framework on REDD readiness as well as building a community of practice for REDD+.

Tentative Programme

Opening remarks	Consuelo Espinoza, facilitator	<i>IUCN</i>
SFM and carbon stocks	Nophea Sasaki	<i>University of Hyogo of Japan</i>
Getting ready for REDD+ in Brazil	Angelo Santos	<i>FUNBIO</i>
JICA support to REDD+	Hiroki Miyazono	<i>JICA</i>
Panel Debate:		
REDD Readiness dialogues	Gary Dunning (tbd)	<i>TFD</i>
REDD Readiness at crossroads	Stewart Magginis (tbd)	<i>IUCN</i>
Indigenous peoples reaction	Juan Carlos Jintiach (tbd)	<i>COICA</i>
Public debate	Q & A	
Memorandum of Understanding between ITTO and UNCCD	Signing ceremony	
Closing remarks	Luc Gnacadja Emmanuel Ze Meka	<i>UNCCD Executive Secretary</i> <i>ITTO Executive Director</i>

Refreshments will be provided

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