

BUILDING A GLOBAL WORKFORCE TO IMPLEMENT THE PARIS AGREEMENT

Indonesian Pavilion at COP25 | Thursday, December 5, 2019 | 10:30 am-11:50 am

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TRAINING NATURE-BASED SOLUTION PROFESSIONALS

The Carbon Institute, in partnership with **RIFFEAC** (Réseau des Institutions de Formation Forestière et Environnementale de l'Afrique Centrale), **CATIE** (el Centro Agronómico Tropical de Investigación y Enseñanza), **RECOFTC** (the Center for People and Forests), and **USP** (the University of the South Pacific), is announcing a pre-launch of the **Collaborative Capacity Lab** at COP25.

As the global community increases ambition on nature-based solutions to climate change, there is a clear need to enhance training and workforces in many Non-Annex I countries. The Collaborative Capacity Lab (CCL) is a new network-of-networks designed to ensure countries have the workforce to



implement, monitor, and report on nature-based solutions. The CCL will scale a proven train-the-trainer program piloted in six countries by the Carbon Institute to 42 countries. The CCL aims to train **400 new leaders** in nature-based climate solutions, mentor **24 faculty** (6 in each region), and qualify **160 new accredited UNFCCC experts** in IPCC AFOLU Greenhouse Gas Guidelines and UNFCCC ETF reviews by 2024.

We invite you to join us at the **Indonesian Pavilion** on **Thursday, December 5 from 10:30 am to 11:50 am**. Refreshments will be provided.

AGENDA

10:30 am: Welcome and introductions

Nur Masripatin — Chairwoman, the Carbon Institute Council; Senior Advisor, Indonesian Ministry of Environment and Forestry

10:40 am: The history of advanced curriculum in nature-based solutions

John O. Niles — Director, the Carbon Institute

10:45 am: Experiences and lessons from advanced training in nature-based solutions in China, Central Africa, and Indonesia

Gao Xianlian — Division Director, Forest Carbon Accounting Monitoring Center, China François Hiol Hiol — Senior Forestry Expert, Cameroon

Rizaldi Boer — Director, Center for Climate Risk and Opportunity Management, Bogor Agricultural
University, Indonesia

11:00 am: Expanding the partnership through a network of networks

François Hiol Hiol — RIFFEAC

Jenna Jadin — RECOFTC

Elisabeth Holland — University of the South Pacific

Kiyoto Tanabe, Co-Chair of the TFI, IPCC

Peter Iverson, Programme Officer, Transparency Framework, UNFCCC

Megan Bettilyon — Global Good

11:30 am: Audience discussion

Facilitated by Margaret Leinen — Scripps Institution of Oceanography