

Regional Workshop on Linking Local REDD+ Initiatives to National REDD+ Strategies

Organized by Forest Carbon Partnership Facility & Indonesia Ministry of Forestry in
collaboration with CIFOR

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Venue: World Bank Group Office¹, Jakarta

Agenda (version June 1, 2014)

*Participating Countries: Indonesia, Bhutan, Cambodia, Ethiopia, Fiji, Kenya, Lao PDR, Nepal,
Papua New Guinea, Thailand, Vanuatu, Vietnam, and Zambia*

Day 1 – June 2, 2014

9:30 AM	Coffee and Registration
10:00	Welcome by Dr. Putera Parthama, Senior Advisor to the Minister of Forestry, Economic Affairs and International Trade, Indonesia Ministry of Forestry
10:20	Welcome by World Bank Sector Manager for Indonesia (Werner Kornexl)
10:40	Introduction to the workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workshop objectives, & key findings from 2013 South-South Exchange workshop held in Hawassa, Ethiopia for FCPF countries in Africa (<i>Neeta Hooda, Facility Management Team, FCPF, World Bank</i>)• Introduction: Typology of land use programs (<i>Donna Lee, Consultant</i>)
11:00	Tea break

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11:30	<p>Session 1: REDD+ Strategy Development and Pilot Programs, Indonesian Experience</p> <p>Facilitator: Dr. Nur Masripatin, Director of the Center for Standardization and Environment, Ministry of Forestry</p>
	<p>Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indonesia's REDD+ strategy development (<i>Dr. Agus Sari, Indonesia REDD+ Agency</i>) • Overview of REDD pilot programs in Indonesia (<i>Dr. Herry Purnomo, CIFOR</i>) • Berau Jurisdictional Pilot Programme (<i>Mr. Hamzah, Berau District Gov. and Mr. Saipul Rahman, The Nature Conservancy</i>) • Sustainable Landscapes Partnership (SLP) (<i>Dr. Iman Santoso, Conservation International/Senior Policy Advisor for SLP REDD+ initiative in North Sumatra</i>)
1:00	Lunch
1:45	<p>Session 2: Linking national strategy development to local experiences</p> <p>Facilitator: Dr. Azis Khan (Independent Expert)</p>
	<p>Presentations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nepal's national strategy development and proposal to Carbon Fund (<i>Shiva Kumar Wagle (Undersecretary, REDD Cell, Nepal) and Mr. Bhaskar Karky (Resource Economist, International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD))</i>) • Vietnam's experience with national strategy and pilot projects (<i>Nghiem Phuong Thuy, Vietnam Administration of Forestry (VNFOREST), and Pham Nam, Lowering Emissions in Asia Forests (LEAF)</i>)
2:30	<p>Session 3: Integrating learning from local implementation into national strategy development</p> <p>Facilitator: Donna Lee (Consultant) <i>including respondents from REDD countries and pilots</i></p>

	<p><i>Key Questions for Discussions</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>What have you learned from the Indonesia, Vietnam and Nepal experiences?</i> - <i>In what specific ways do pilot programs in your country provide input or learning for the national strategy? Have pilot projects helped influence broader policies?</i> - <i>What are specific areas where pilots can inform a national strategy, or where testing at local scale is more effective?</i> - <i>Through what mechanism are pilots communicating with the national level REDD+ process?</i> - <i>Are REDD+ pilots in your country conforming to the emerging REDD+ national strategy and/or readiness process (e.g. safeguards, MRV, reference level design, etc.)?</i> - <i>Can national strategy mirror the engagement processes developed by these projects for community monitoring, benefit sharing?</i>
3:30	<i>Tea break</i>
4:00	<p>Session 4: Private sector and REDD+ implementation Facilitator: Neeta Hooda (World Bank)</p>
	<p>Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cambodia: The Oddar Meanchey experience (<i>Long Ratanakoma, Deputy Director, Department of Forestry and Forest Community</i>) • Kenya: Kasigau I and II projects (<i>Bryan Adkins, Director of Regional Engagement, Kasigau Wildlife Corridor, Wildlife Works</i>) • Potential for private sector engagement in Forestry/REDD+ in Indonesia (<i>Michael Allen Brady, Senior Operations Officer, International Finance Cooperation</i>)
	<p>Plenary discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>What are key lessons we can learn from the Cambodia, Kenya and Indonesia experiences?</i> - <i>Is your government trying to foster implementation through private sector engagement? What role do you see the private sector playing in your REDD+ program (at pilot or national level)? What are the benefits of private sector engagement?</i>

6:00 PM: RECEPTION

Day 2 – June 3, 2014

8:00 AM	<i>Meet at lobby of Ritz Carlton Hotel at 8:00 AM and depart for CIFOR office, Bogor</i>
10:00	<p>CIFOR Visit Coordinator: Moira Moeliono, Senior Associate, CIFOR</p> <p>Presentations: Findings from the Global Comparative Study on REDD+ by CIFOR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy processes at the national level • From satellite images to local aspirations
12: 30	Lunch Hosted by CIFOR
2:00 pm	Field visit to Bogor Botanical Garden

6:00 PM: DINNER at Botanical Garden

Day 3 – June 4, 2014

9:00	<p>Session 5: REDD+ and Landscape Approaches, an African Perspective</p> <p>Facilitator: Donna Lee (Consultant)</p>
	<p>Presentations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ethiopia’s experience in designing the Oromia pilot program (<i>Ato Ararsa, Oromia Forest and Wildlife Enterprise</i>) • Zambia’s experience in designing a jurisdictional landscape program (<i>Kasaro Deuteronomy, National REDD Focal point, Zambia</i>)
	<p>Plenary discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>What considerations must countries take into account to develop a landscape approach?</i> - <i>How do landscape-focused pilots integrate with REDD+ planning?</i> - <i>What can Asian countries learn from the African experience?</i>
10:30	Tea Break

11:00	Session 6: Managing linkages between pilots and national strategies Facilitator: Dr. Azis Khan (Independent Expert)
	Presentations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kenya’s experiences linking pilots to the national strategy (<i>Alfred Gichu, National REDD Focal Point, Kenya</i>) • Indonesia: Providing guidance for pilot programs (<i>Dr. Zahrul Muttaqin, FORDA</i>)
	Plenary discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Pilots: What role do you wish your government would play to support your program and/or implementation?</i> - <i>Governments: What role do you see pilots playing in the development and implementation of a national REDD+ program/strategy? What are your biggest challenges in managing multiple pilots in your country?</i> - <i>What minimum guidance is needed at the national level to support pilots?</i> - <i>What institutional arrangements can help ensure feedback from pilots to the national level and vice-versa?</i>
12:30	<i>Lunch</i>
1:15	Session 7: Summary discussions and wrap up (All Participants) Facilitators: Neeta Hooda (World Bank), Donna Lee (Consultant)
	Questions for Breakout Group Discussions and recommendations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Can national REDD strategy mirror the engagement processes and lessons demonstrated at project scale? (E.g., tenure, community monitoring, benefit sharing, MRV, etc.)?</i> - <i>How can inputs from projects be channeled into national level strategic discussions and policymaking?</i> - <i>What are additional considerations for jurisdictional or landscape-based approaches for REDD+ (institutional, policy, etc.)?</i>
3:00	<i>Tea break</i>
3:30	Session 7 (Continued): Presentation of the findings of the group discussions, wrap up and next steps
4:30	Session 8: Closing Remarks: Indonesia REDD Agency, and Ministry of Forestry, Indonesia