WISE REDD+ will work in five target countries (Costa Rica, Kenya, Peru, Suriname, and Vanuatu) to broaden and strengthen informed stakeholder engagement in national Reducing Emissions from Deforestation and forest Degradation and the role of conservation, sustainable management of forests, and enhancement of forest carbon stock (REDD+) readiness programs, by supporting governments to implement the stakeholder engagement components of their FCPF Readiness Preparation Proposals (R-PPs) and Emissions Reductions Programs (ER Programs).

**Key Deliverables**
- Culturally appropriate materials and capacity building for indigenous peoples with cultural mediators
- Support for indigenous peoples’ and small landholders’ participation in decision-making meetings
- Multi-stakeholder dialogue on current trends on RL and MRV, ER registries design

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**WISE REDD+ at a glance**
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**Partners**
**Project implementing partner/sub-grantee:** Association for Indigenous and Smallholder Farmer Forestry Community Coordination (ACICAFOC)
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**Key Deliverables**
- Identification of stakeholder engagement platforms for consultations on SESA and REDD+ including IPs, multisectoral groups, government
- Capacity building for key stakeholder groups on specific REDD+ issues; including governance, gender and benefit-sharing
- Documentation of lessons learned from stakeholder consultation process to enrich SESA process and other REDD+ activities through development of policy briefs

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