

Stream 3 – Session 8

Title: Way forward for people and forests of the Asia Pacific region in the context of SDGs
Organizers: ASEAN Social Forestry Network (ASFN) and RECOFTC – The Center for People and Forests
Day/Date: 26 February 2016
Time: 1100 – 1230
Venue Lily room, Fontana Convention Center

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Key messages

- We all want to eradicate poverty, hunger, combat climate change effectively, reduce inequality and achieve gender equality, sustainably manage our natural resources – in other words we all want to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- In the Asia-Pacific region community forestry is key to achieving the above dreams.
- Sadly barriers are being placed in the way of community forestry delivering.
- All participants will join together and commit to taking the *CF challenge* – the first step to ensuring that CF delivers!

Session description

For the SDGs to be achieved it requires practical and realistic commitments from all stakeholders. By the end of the session, participants will have mutually agreed action plans and commitments for the coming years to ensure that forestry and people can support the achievement of the SDGs.

The Stream will culminate with a commitment by all participants to take part in our exciting CF Challenge to show your commitment to CF delivering for the SDGs!

Programme

Moderators/Facilitators: Mr. Ronnakorn Triraganon, RECOFTC – The Center for People and Forests

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| 1100-1105 | Welcome, introductions and session overview <i>Ronnakorn Triraganon, RECOFTC</i> |
| 1105-1110 | Local perspective: Why participatory forest management must be supported to deliver. Local community representative |
| 1110-1135 | National perspectives: Why CF must be prioritized to deliver <i>Mr. Long Ratanakoma, ASFN National Focal Point of Cambodia</i> <i>Mr. Mashor Mohd Jaini, Division Head, Sustainable Forest Management Division, Sabah Forestry Department, Malaysia</i> |
| 1135-1215 | Drafting of individual and organizational commitments to ensure that CF can continue contribute to development goals. Facilitated by <i>Ronnakorn Triraganon, RECOFTC.</i> |
| 1215-1230 | Presentation of commitments, wrap up and Taking the CF Challenge! Facilitated by <i>Ronnakorn Triraganon, RECOFTC.</i> |

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