

SUMMARY PROGRAM

Location: CECO Outdoor Exhibition Plaza, 3F

Monday, October 10, 2011		
Morning Session	Cities in the Context of the Rio Conventions	ICLEI – Local Governments for Sustainability
10h00 – 13h00	Securing Ecosystem Services for Cities in the Context of Change	
Afternoon Session	Sustainable Land Management	FAO
14h30 – 16h30	LADA-WOCAT Tools for Monitoring and Assessment	
Tuesday, October 11th, 2011		
Sustainable Forest Management and REDD-plus: Contributing to the Implementation of the Rio Conventions through Avoided Deforestation		
Morning Session		GEF
10h00 – 12h30	Opportunities and Challenges of Sustainable Forest Management (SFM)	
Afternoon Session		
13h00 – 17h30	SFM/REDD-plus and Livelihoods in Drylands (Lunch provided for participants)	
Wednesday, October 12th, 2011		
Ecosystem-based Approaches to Climate Change: Addressing Adaptation and Mitigation		
Morning Session		IUCN WCPA and IUCN Drylands
10h00 – 13h00	Dryland Protected Areas: Ecosystem-based approaches to Climate Change	
Afternoon Session		The Global Mechanism of the UNCCD
14h00 – 18h00	Integrated Economic Assessment of Land Resources and Ecosystem Services	
Thursday, October 13th, 2011		
Sustainable Land and Water Management		
Morning Session		ABD; State Forestry Administration of China
10h00 – 12h00	The PRC-GEF Partnership on Land Degradation in Dryland Ecosystems: Experiences, Lessons and Opportunities for Innovation	
Afternoon Session		FAO
13h00 – 15h00	Decision-support Tools for Monitoring and Assessment of Sustainable Land Management	
15h15 – 17h15	Central Asia Countries Initiative on Land Management (CACILM) – Achievements in Regional Integration of Sustainable Land and Water Management	
Friday, October 14th, 2011	Food Security and Combating Hunger Through Sustainable Land Management	
Morning Session		GEF and partners
10h00 – 12h45	Sustainable Land Management and the Great Green Wall Initiative – Science and Policy Implications of a Regional-scale Vision	
Afternoon Session		UNCCD, France and participating countries
13h15 – 14h45	Initiatives on Food Security for the Drylands: A Presentation and Panel Discussion featuring the UN Special Rapporteur on Food Security	
15h00 – 17h45	Strategic Investment Program for SLM in Sub-Saharan Africa (SIP/ TerrAfrica) - Progress and Achievements	
		GEF, WorldBank, AU-NEPAD

Monday, October 17th, 2011		
Gender and the Rio Conventions		
Morning Session		IUCN, UNCCD and CBD
10h00 – 11h30	The UNCCD Advocacy Policy Framework on gender	
11h45 – 13h00	The CBD COP10 outcomes on gender; The Cancun agreements and gender mainstreaming	
Afternoon Session		
13h15 – 14h45	The Rio Conventions Coordinated Approach and Roadmap on Gender	
15h00 – 16h30	Rio+20 and Gender Issues	
Evening Session		
18h00 – 19h00	Cocktail reception hosted by IUCN	
Tuesday, October 18th, 2011		
Engaging indigenous peoples and local communities in sustainable land management		
Morning Session		
10h00 – 11h15	The Man who Stopped the Desert: film viewing and discussion with Yacouba Sawadogo and film director Mark Dodd on community-based innovative SLM practice	UNCCD
11h30 – 13h00	Panel Discussion on the Middle East and North Africa Desert Ecosystems and Livelihood Program (MENA-DELP) – Lunch provided following session (for participants only)	World Bank and GEF
Afternoon Session		
13h15 – 14h45	UN Decades Celebration Event: Panel Discussion followed by Luncheon (by invitation) and private launch of 'The Forgotten Billion' Publication Special Venue: <u>Amoris Hall, Pullman Hotel</u>	Ministry of Environment, Republic of Korea
15h15 – 16h00	Public Launch of 'The Forgotten Billion' Publication	UNDP and UNCCD
Evening Session		
18h00 – 19h30	Launch of the GEF-UNCCD Publication "Sustainable Land Management: Securing our Common Future": Reception hosted by Korea Forest Service	GEF, UNCCD, GoodPlanet Foundation and KFS
Wednesday, October 19th, 2011		
The Rio Conventions and Poverty Reduction		
Morning Session		
10h00 – 13h00	A World Café Conversation on Integrating Sustainable Land Management into Climate Change Financing: Challenges and Opportunities	Global Mechanism of the UNCCD
Afternoon Session		
13h15 – 15h00	Tools for Modeling, Measuring and Monitoring Carbon Benefits in GEF Projects	GEF
15h00 – 16h30	A Programmatic Approach to Building Capacities for Sustainable Land Management in LDC and SIDS: Impacts and Lessons	UNDP
Evening Session		
18h00 – 19h30	Healthy Planet, Healthy People: Mainstreaming biodiversity for development, poverty eradication, health and gender equity - Workshop and Dinner Reception for participants	CBD
Thursday, October 20th, 2011		
Closing day: Synergies for the Implementation of the Rio Conventions		
Morning Session		
11h00 – 13h00	Sustainable Regional Development: A Model of Sustainable Land Management	Green Asia Network
Afternoon Session:		
13h45 – 15h00	Managing for Natural Disasters	Korea Forest Research Institute
15h00 – 18h30	Closing Event – Statement by UNCCD and Korea Forest Research Institute; Summary of Pavilion Key Messages, Outcomes and Next Steps; Cocktail Reception hosted by KFRI	

