Global Landscapes Forum

Learning Pavilion – Link and Learn **Workshop overview**	
Saturday December 1st	
Session 1: 9.00-10.00	NSO - Netherlands Space Office
Title:	Satellite imagery and spatial data on your own device – ready to use
Description:	Monitoring Land Degradation Neutrality taken to a Higher Level: Using satellite imagery and other spatial data on your own devices! The implementation of sustainable land management projects contribute to the Sustainable Development Goals. These projects can be divided into four phases in which spatial data can play a part: planning, baselining, monitoring and evaluation. Spatial data can be used for analysis and visualization of these different phases in sustainable land management projects. This is cost effective, especially for areas which are hard to visit, have very big areas or when objective information is scarcely available or absent. This workshop will give a landscape project as example in which spatial data can be used, and will give attendees the opportunity to find and use these data on their own device!

Session 2: 10.00-11.00	International Union of Forest Research Organisations
Title:	Implementing Forest Landscape Restoration – a Practitioners' Guide
Description:	This workshop is to raise awareness about the publication *Implementing Forest Landscape Restoration: A Practitioner's Guide* by making it visible to organisations that do capacity development ; as well as to

	countries/institutions who want to take it home to practitioners in their own landscapes. We will involve the co-authors of the guide as workshop facilitators, and country representatives from the GLF Drylands Discussion Forum as participants. During the session we will first introduce the guide, its objectives and its use. Then we will zoom into the various modules in more detail. Then, we will have facilitated discussions, intertwined by lively illustrations of how the guide is being used in practice.

Session 3: 12.45-14.00	GLF, Wageningen University & Reserch, UN Environment, Youth in Landscapes: Launch of the Landscape Academy
Title:	Launch of the Landscape Academy
Description:	The Landscape Academy has been designed for landscape professionals, students and institutions who want to know everything there is to know about landscape approaches. It provides the best selected landscape-related learning opportunities across the globe, and through a smart search function, you can find the learning opportunities that suit you best in an ever-growing, curated online curriculum. The curriculum has been developed by members of the Landscapes for People, Food and Nature and a range of other partners. It has been funded by the Government of the Netherlands, by UN Environment and the Government of Germany. In this session we will kick off with the first interactive online courses on landscape leadership and landscape governance. Join the party, and enroll in the courses on the spot!

Session 4: : 16.00-17.00	Wageningen University & Research; University of Freiburg; Global Landscapes Forum: Presentation of the outcomes of the "Think Climate Smart Landscapes" course	
Title:	Presenting the outcomes of the "Think Climate Smart Landscapes" course	
Description:	The Wageningen Centre for Development Innovation (WCDI) with the University of Freiburg and the Global Landscapes Forum have once again co-organised a course for landscape practitioners. This course took place just prior to the GLF. The objectives of the course were for participants to understand the basics of landscape approaches, climate change, governance and the interlinkages between these three. In this session, the participants of the course will share the results of their work, and the action plans they will bring back to their own landscapes, to be put in practice.	

Session 5: 17.00-18.00	Tropenbos International and NTFP Philippines
Title:	Building multi-stakeholder dialogue: an example of the Philippines
Description:	The session by Tropenbos International and NTFP Philippines focuses on the role of multi-stakeholder landscape dialogue (MSLD) in landscape governance. How can multi-stakeholder dialogue stimulate the sustainable and inclusive management of the landscape resources? A brief inspirational presentation will be provided by NTFP Philippines, highlighting its experiences with multi-stakeholder landscape dialogue within its areas of operation. This will be followed by an interactive workshop in which participants can share their experiences, ideas and enhance their understanding regarding multi-stakeholder landscape dialogue. The multi-national and multi-disciplinary scene during the GLF, and in particular during this session, will resemble a Multi-Stakeholder Landscape Dialogue in practice.

Session 6: 18.00-19.30	Asian Pacific Forest Network: multifunctional forest management through mushroom farming enterprise
Title:	Enhancing rural livelihoods – build your profitable business case
Description:	Mushroom farming is a profitable, but underappreciated business. In the past decades, the global demand on mushrooms has been constantly growing. While larger companies have recognized that rising demand and built large-scale mushroom enterprises, they have mostly relied on only the most commercial species. Considering the multitude of farmable mushrooms in combination with the growing demand for greater variety, there is still much space for smaller-scale enterprises focusing on local, more niche products. This, precisely, is the space where many local communities can achieve a substantial addition to their local livelihoods. During this workshop we will see how APFNet has facilitated the establishment of Small and Medium Forest Enterprises (SMEFs) in Thailand, Nepal, Cambodia and China, with the aim to enhance farmers' economic resilience and benefit from global value chains. We will work with workshop participants on developing their own draft business plan on how to establish a mushroom farming enterprise with their respective local communities, or for themselves.

Sunday December 2nd

Session 1: 9.00-10.00	IUCN and the Global Partnership on Forest and Landscape Restoration
Title:	Presenting the Online Barometer – a practical tool to measure achievements of the Bonn Challenge
Description:	The Bonn Challenge Barometer workshop will focus on sharing the first release of the online Barometer platform for data visualization. During the workshop we will discuss the way the online Barometer platform works, and highlight its functional aspects of the tool-in-development. We will discuss issues such as the opportunities of having such a systematic track-and-trace system, as well as the direct data upload allowing users to track their own progress. We will also discuss how the use and application of the Barometer can be further developed over the years to come.

Session 2: 10.00-11.00	IUCN Law Office: transboundary spatial planning
Title:	Legal tools and instruments to promote legitimate landscape governance and planning
Description:	Land-use planning frameworks have traditionally focused on developing settlements and related infrastructure. Climate change and biodiversity conservation have not historically always been considered in the formulation and implementation of land-use planning frameworks. Even if they are considered, the focus and impact of land-use planning frameworks is often localized rather than landscape and ecosystem wide. While countries are increasingly recognizing and making the connection between land-use planning, biodiversity and climate change, in many countries these considerations are not yet adequately reflected in domestic laws and policies. There is accordingly often an absence of effective legal tools in place to practically facilitate improved integration of land-use planning, biodiversity and climate change issues and concerns. In this workshop we will raise awareness and build knowledge of the general legal concepts and tools on integrated land-use planning at the landscape level. We will also strengthen participants' understanding of the key role of law in promoting sound landscape governance. By using a fictional case we will introduce participants to the potential role of these legal tools in promoting integrated land use planning, and enable them to share their knowledge and experience of these tools.

Session 3: 12.45-14.00	SAR Vision and Wageningen University & Research

Title:	Money for Nature – accounting the value of nature for better spatial planning
Description:	SarVision is a spin-off from Wageningen University and Research, and a pioneer in the operational application of systematic satellite and airborne monitoring and mapping systems for environmental and natural resource management. Our innovative systems provide our partners with the latest maps and information on land and forest cover, change, fire and hydrology, updated on a regular basis. In this workshop, we will focus on the value of nature. How can we combine satellite technology with accounting, in order to enhance spatial planning and sustainable land management? During this workshop we will collectively explore natural capital bookkeeping as a way to gain better insight in the value of nature, and how this can be translated into national accounting as well as spatial planning mechanisms. Money for Nature, that is what we want to focus on.

Session 4: : 16.00-17.00	University of Kisangani (UNIKIS) in DR Congo, in collaboration with CIFOR Center for International Forestry Research
Title:	Innovative and integrated curriculum design – the example of DR Congo
Description:	The Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) has the world's second largest area of contiguous tropical forests, but its forestry research cadre boasted just six persons with Masters Degrees. The University of Kisangani (UNIKIS) has recognised this shortcoming, and started a process of curricula reforms, in collaboration with CIFOR. A joint capacity building programme financed by the European Commission has since successfully trained more than 150 Masters students and 15 PhDs in 'Biodiversity and Forestry Management'. During this workshop a photo quiz will illustrate the innovative curriculum development of an interdisciplinary Masters course on 'History, Law and Land Governance in sub-Saharan Africa', co-designed by UNIKIS and CIFOR. It uses paintings and photographs to explore the temporal dynamics of land use and land cover change, and highlight the continued relevance of landscape governance in an era of land grabbing and oil and gas prospection.

Session 5: 17.00-18.00	INBAR – International Network on Bamboo and Rattan
Title:	Test your knowledge on Bamboo and Rattan
Description:	INBAR is an intergovernmental organisation which promotes the use of bamboo and rattan for environmentally sustainable development and green growth. Bamboo is more than just a grass, it is actually an amazing plant that has a huge potential for land restoration, climate change mitigation and poverty alleviation. In this mini workshop we are going to test your knowledge on bamboo and bamboo. And the winners of the quiz will win innovative products made of bamboo. So make sure you are in, and become an expert on bamboo and rattan within shortly. You will be happy, as you will be able to apply your newly acquired knowledge as soon as you get back into your own landscape!

Session 6: 18.00-19.30	ICIMOD – International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development
Title:	Transboundary landscape learning – the case of the Hindu Kush Himalaya Region
Description:	ICIMOD has been engaging with river basin and transboundary landscape management approaches to work across borders and achieve shared goals within the Hindu Kush Himalaya region. The Centre's river basin approach takes into account the monitoring and assessment of water resources, water-induced disaster risk management, and climate change impacts and resilience building with particular focus on the poor and vulnerable. Strengthening of existing institutional mechanisms to deliver transboundary cooperation has been an important part of this process. After several years of implementation we have realised that we need to go 'beyond the notion of cooperation as treaties to a more dynamic view of transboundary cooperation as an on-going and non-linear process in which state and non-state actors establish, challenge, modify and legitimize multi-layered governance structures. We want to use this GLF mini workshop to share our learnings, and support similar regional initiatives to initiate processes of transboundary learning. Together, we will identify how best we can influence (inter)national policies to take more ownership over landscape based innovations to be tested and upscaled/out-scaled in future.

Session 7: 17.00-17.30	Global Landscapes Forum and Partners
Title:	Building a GLF Landscape Learning Strategy
Description:	The GLF is currently in the phase of designing its landscape learning strategy. In order to make this strategy maximally relevant to its partners, we have invited some representatives of various sectors, to express their expectations and learning needs towards the GLF learning strategy. Through discussion, we will identify its main ingredients, and search for the right partners to commit in implementation. So be part of this discussion, so that your voice will be heard; and your learning needs will be taken into account.