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Global Landscapes Forum Accra

*Restoring Africa's Landscapes:
Uniting Action from Above and Below*

AICC Accra, Ghana | 29 – 30 October, 2019

Welcome to GLF Accra 2019!

GLF Accra will address community rights and landscape restoration, and will showcase how local communities have successfully translated restoration commitments into solutions to climate and development challenges.

Hear updates from leaders of forest and landscape restoration initiatives on progress toward achieving the Bonn Challenge, the New York Declaration on Forests and the AFR100 restoration goals. Study impediments to success in landscape restoration and strategize with leading organizations and on-the-ground practitioners on how to overcome these barriers.

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07:30-08:45	Registration			
09:00-09:30	Morning Introduction: Connecting Communities – Catalysts for Restoration Location: Main Hall			
09:30-11:00	Interactive Consultations			
	Youth Hosts: Youth in Landscapes (YIL) with Global Landscapes Forum Location: Main Hall	Restoration Host: Global Landscapes Forum Location: Networking Area	Rights Hosts: Rights and Resources Initiative (RRI) with COLANDEF, GLF Gender Constituency Location: Consultation Pavilion	Gender Host: NAWE Location: Committee Hall 1
11:10-11:45	Coffee Break and Networking		Speed Networking (11:10-11:40)	Location: Networking Area
11:45-12:30	Plenary: Sparking A Mass Restoration Movement Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nana Ama Yirrah Executive Director & Founder, COLANDEF • Kennedy Kirui Co-founder and CEO, Tanasuk Africa • Horst Freiberg Restoration expert • Johnmary Kavuma CEO, Upcycle Africa • Erica Armah Bra-Bulu Tandoh DJ Switch • Siham Drissi Programme Management Officer, UN Environment 			 Livestreamed Location: Main Hall
12:30-13:30	Plenary: Restoring Africa's Landscapes - From the Ground Up Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constance Okollet Chairperson, Osukuru United Women's Network (OWN), Climate Wise Women • Rosemary Atieno In-Country Lead, Kenya, Women's Climate Center's International • Portia Adu-Mensah National Coordinator, 350.org Ghana (Ghana Reducing Our Carbon) • Basiru Isa IPMG • Dave Ojay Founder, NAAM Festival • Nana Yaw Osei-Darkwa Convener and Team Lead, The Green Republic Project • Michelle Attah TV Host and Actress 			 Livestreamed Location: Main Hall
13:30-15:00	Lunch and Networking		Speed Networking (14:20 - 14:50)	Location: Networking Area
14:00-14:45	Launchpad: Landscape and Jurisdictional Approaches to Sustainable Land Management Hosts: Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR) with International Climate Initiative (IKI), Governing Multifunctional Landscapes (GML) Location: Committee Hall 2			
15:00-16:30	Interactive Session: Accelerating the Implementation of REDD+ and Results-based Payments in Africa Hosts: (UN REDD Programme) FAO, UNDP and UN Environment Location: Main Hall			 Livestreamed
	Interactive Session: Peatlands Restoration, Conservation and Sustainable Management as an Effective Solution to Climate Change Challenges in Africa with a Focus on the Nile Basin Hosts: UN Environment with Global Peatlands Initiative Location: Committee Hall 1			
	Workshop: Understanding Rural Youth Migration and Its Leading Factors Hosts: Youth in Landscapes (YIL) with The International Forestry Students' Association (IFSA) Location: Meeting Room 1			
	Workshop: Operationalizing Landscape Approaches for Nature, Development and Sustainability in Ghana and Zambia Hosts: Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR) with University of Amsterdam Location: Meeting Room 2			
16:30-16:45	Transition to Main Hall			
16:45-17:45	Afternoon Plenary: Restoring Africa's Landscapes - Connecting Efforts Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Her Royal Highness Sylvia Nagginda Nnabagereka - Queen of Buganda, Kingdom of Buganda • Akosua Frema Osei-Opare Chief of Staff, Seat of Government in Ghana (Jubilee House) • Bernhard Worm Senior Policy Officer, BMZ • Mmabatho Motsamai Managing Director, The Afrolutionist and AFR100 Youth Ambassador • Richard Eba'a Atyi Senior Scientist and Hub Leader, CIFOR Moderator • Elsie Attafuah Resident Representative, United Nations Development Programme Uganda 			 Livestreamed Location: Main Hall
17:45-19:00	Interactive Session: Enhancing Natural Resource Governance in Ghana Hosts: IUCN Ghana with A Rocha Ghana, SNV Ghana Location: Committee Hall 1			
19:00-22:00	Reception and Evening Concert by DJ Switch and Rocky Dawuni Location: Outside Garden			

AsaseFest: Landscape Restoration On-the-ground, Examples from Ghana

09:00-09:30	Is Landscape Restoration A Nature-based Solution? Host: Wageningen University Youth in Landscapes Forum (WUYLF)	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
09:30-10:30	Overview of Landscape Restoration Initiatives Across Ghana Host: CSIR-Forest Research Institute of Ghana (FORIG)	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
10:30-11:30	Landscape Restoration as a Means to Mainstream Biodiversity Hosts: Satoyama Initiative with Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency (PBL)	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
13:30-14:30	Making Restoration Work through Business Host: FORM International	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
14:30-15:30	Life After Gold: Research-based Green Model for Restoration of Abandoned Mine Sites in Ghana Hosts: A Rocha with Tropenbos International	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
15:30-16:30	Building with bamboo. Combining restoration and development with bamboo and rattan Host: International Network for Bamboo and Rattan (INBAR)	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
18:00-19:00	From the Outside In: Lessons Learned from Community Restoration Projects Host: Youth in Landscapes (YIL)	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)



07:30-08:45	Registration		
09:00-10:30	Consultation: Network of African Women Environmentalists Hosts: UN Environment and UNDP Location: Meeting Room 1		
	Launchpad: Scaling Up the High Conservation Value (HCV) Approach Hosts: Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) with HCV Resource Network Location: Committee Hall 2		
	Interactive Session: Restoring Forests, Restoring Communities: How Secure Resource Rights Help Communities in Africa Restore Forests and Build Local Economies Hosts: Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR) with World Agroforestry (ICRAF), CGIAR Research Program on Forests, Trees and Agroforestry (FTA), CGIAR People, Institutions and Markets (PIM) Location: Committee Hall 1		
	Interactive Session: Sustainable Rangeland Management in a Changing Environment - An Introduction to Good Practices		Livestreamed
09:00-11:00	Workshop: Removing the Blinders – Shifting Mindsets Through Connected Thinking for Better Landscapes Hosts: Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) with Global Landscapes Forum Location: Meeting Room 2		
10:30-11:15	Coffee Break and Networking	Speed Networking (10:40-11:10)	Location: Networking Area
11:15-12:45	Plenary: The Decade to Act Hosts: International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) with Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), UN Environment, Global Landscapes Forum, Collaborative Partnership on Forests (CPF) Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elke Steinmetz Political Advisor, German Federal Ministries for the Environment (BMU) Amath Pathe Sene Lead Environment and Climate for West and Central Africa, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) Musonda Mumba Chief, Terrestrial Ecosystems Unit (TEU), UN Environment Stewart Maginnis Global Director, Nature Based Solutions Group, IUCN Mamadou Diakhite Senior Manager of the Sustainable Land and Water Management, NEPAD Caleb Ofori Boateng Herpetologist Afriyie Obeng-Fosu Miss Agriculture Ghana Moderator Nora Berrahmouni Senior Forestry Officer, FAO 		Livestreamed Location: Main Hall
12:45-14:15	Lunch	Speed Networking (13:20-13:50)	Location: Networking Area
14:15-15:45	Interactive Session: Third Dialogue on Forest Landscape Restoration (FLR) and Bioenergy Hosts: Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) with Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), International Energy Agency Bioenergy Technology Collaboration Program (IEA Bioenergy), International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA) Location: Main Hall		
	Interactive Session: Burning Money in Landscapes? – Firefighting the Economic and Ecologic Damages of Bushfires Hosts: Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) with Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) Location: Committee Hall 2		
	Interactive Session: Harnessing Indigenous Knowledge to Address Climate Change – Lessons Learned from Around the World Hosts: World Bank with Climate Investment Funds (CIF) Location: Committee Hall 1		
	Workshop: How Would You Approach Landscape Governance? Help Us Sort out Lessons from African Landscapes Host: International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) Location: Meeting Room 2		
15:45-16:20	Coffee Break and Networking		
16:20-16:25	Musical Performance by SHADE - Amos Nii Yartey, SHADE , Musician and Green Republic Project Ambassador		Location: Main Hall
16:25-16:30	Inspirational Speaker - Bernice Dapaah , Executive Director, Ghana Bamboo Bikes		Location: Main Hall
16:30-17:45	Plenary: African Women in Sustainable Business and Environment Management Host: UN Environment Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Musonda Mumba Chief, Terrestrial Ecosystems Unit (TEU), UN Environment Nora Berrahmouni Senior Forestry Officer, FAO Eric Koka COCOBOD Sheila Shefo Mbiru NGARA (Network for Natural Gums and Resins in Africa) 		Livestreamed Location: Main Hall
17:45-18:10	Closing and Inspirational Talk - His Majesty Osagyefuo Nana Amoatia Ofori Panin , King of Akyem Abuakwa Closing moderated by: Joselyn Dumas , TV Host, Actress and Founder, Joselyn Canfor-Dumas Foundation		Livestreamed Location: Main Hall
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AsaseFest: Rights Based Restoration – Radical Inclusion of All

09:00-10:00	Mobilizing the Youth to Restore Ghana's Northern Landscapes Host: The Green Republic	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
10:00-11:00	Securing Land Rights for Landscape Restoration: Context, Experiences and Lessons Host: COLANDEF	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
13:00-14:00	Pastoralism: Participatory Rangeland Mapping Host: World Bank	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
14:00-15:00	The Role of Storytelling in Inclusive and Gender-responsive Landscape Restoration Hosts: Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR) with Water, Land and Ecosystems CRP	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
15:00-15:30	Restoration in Education: Knowledge Gaps and Opportunities Host: University for Development Studies, Tamale, Ghana	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
15:30-16:15	Towards a Rights-based Approach to Landscape Restoration Hosts: Solidaridad Network with Wageningen University & Research (WUR), Securing Rights Course Participants, Global Landscapes Forum	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)
16:15-16:30	Is Landscape Restoration a Nature-based Solution? Hosts: Wageningen University Youth in Landscapes Forum (WUYLF)	AsaseFest Area (Lobby)



Side Events

29 – 31 October 2019 (Accra UTC/GMT)

Tuesday, 29 October 2019, 08:00-12:00

Fourth AFR100 Annual Partnership Meeting

Location: AICC Accra, Ghana

Tuesday, 29 October 2019, 10:00-11:30

Digital Summit: Land Tenure Reform in Africa and its Implication to Landscape Restoration on the Continent

Location: AICC Accra, Ghana

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Thursday, 31 October 2019, 08:00-12:00

Youth Dialogue on the UN Ecosystem Restoration

Location: FAO Regional Office for Africa (RAF)

Thursday, 31 October 2019, 13:00-17:00

National Dialogue “Nothing to Waste: Seizing Agro-waste to Create Jobs and Wellbeing”

Location: FAO Regional Office for Africa (RAF)



The Decade to Act

We have less than 12 years to prevent a climate catastrophe and accomplish the SDGs which together could put the world onto a sustainable path for everyone. The UN Decade on Ecosystem Restoration 2021-2030 is designed as the global movement that can achieve this mission in the short timeframe by harnessing the power of nature and local communities. Visit the Consultation Pavilion to learn more!

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Act locally for global impact

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GLF Luxembourg 2019 & 2nd UNEP FI Regional Roundtable

28 - 30 November | European Convention Center, Luxembourg City, Luxembourg | #GLFLuxembourg2019 #RRT2019 #BSFLux2019 | bit.ly/GLFLUX2019

GLF at COP25: Climate Action in the Landscapes

8 December | Casa Piedra, Santiago, Chile | #GLFCOP25 | bit.ly/GLFCOP25

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Global Landscapes Forum

The Global Landscapes Forum (GLF) is the world's largest knowledge-led platform on integrated land use, dedicated to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals and Paris Climate Agreement. The Forum takes a holistic approach to create sustainable landscapes that are productive, prosperous, equitable and resilient and considers five cohesive themes of food and livelihood initiatives, landscape restoration, rights, finance and measuring progress. It is led by the Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR), in collaboration with its co-founders UN Environment and the World Bank and Charter Members.

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