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## MOBILIZING FINANCE FOR FORESTS AND REDD+: THE KEY ROLE OF NATIONAL FOREST AND REDD+ FINANCE STRATEGIES

The UN-REDD Programme, UNFF (United Nations Forum on Forest) and FOEN (Federal Office for the Environment, Swiss Confederation) organize this session to highlight the importance of effective forest and REDD+ financing strategies.

Best practices for harnessing public and private finance for forests and REDD+ will be presented. National forest financing strategies from Latin American countries facilitating increased access to - and optimized use of - resources will be also showcased.

An information brief that examines the common elements of different REDD+ and forest financing strategies in Latin America countries will be shared with participants.

This session is part of the event FOREST SOLUTIONS- PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR STRATEGIES TO REDUCE DEFORESTATION which will be held at the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) headquarters.

## AGENDA

8.30-9.00 Breakfast

(International Institute of Applied Systems Analysis).  
11.30-11.45 Coffee break

9.00-10.15

### **Zero Deforestation Group: Paving the road to Zero Deforestation in the Brazilian Amazon.**

Organizers: Zero Deforestation Working Group: Greenpeace Brazil, Imazon, IPAM (Instituto de Pesquisa Ambiental da Amazônia), ICV – Instituto Centro de Vida, Imaflora, Instituto Socioambiental, WWF Brazil, TNC Brazil.

11.45-1.00 pm

### **UN-REDD Programme: Mobilizing finance for forests and REDD+: the key role of national forest and REDD+ finance strategies.**

Organizers: UNFF (United Nations Forum on Forest), UN-REDD Programme, FOEN (Federal Office for the Environment, Swiss Confederation).

10.15-10.30 Coffee break

13.00 Light Lunch

10.30-11.30

### **Forest and Climate Solutions: Synergies between NDCs, REDD+, and the Private Sector.**

Organizers: National Wildlife Federation, Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia (INPA); IIASA

Venue: FSC International (main conference room), Charles de Gaulle Straße 5, Bonn (850 metres from COP23 venue to FSC building.)

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