Congress Programme
2nd World Congress of Agroforestry
23-28 August 2009, Nairobi, Kenya

DRAFT Programme & Speakers

Saturday, 22 August 2009
0900-1700 Registration at World Agroforestry Centre Headquarters

Sunday, 23 August 2009
0900-1700 Registration at World Agroforestry Centre Headquarters

Day 1: Opening Day, Monday, 24 August 2009

0700 Buses depart from hotels to UN conference facilities

Plenary Symposium on Agroforestry – The Future of Global Land Use

0830 Opening
- Agroforestry Film

0900 Welcome
Achim Steiner, UN Under-Secretary General and Executive Director, United Nations Environmental Programme

0915 Introducing the Conference Theme
Agroforestry – The Future of Global Land Use
Dennis Garrity, Director General, World Agroforestry Centre

0930 Keynote address
Nobel Prize Laureate Wangari Maathai, Green Belt Movement

1000 Host Country Address
President of the Republic of Kenya, H.E. Hon. Mwai Kibaki

1130 Tea/Coffee Break

1200 Keynote address on Congress Theme 1
Agroforestry for an Ever-Green Revolution
MS Swaminathan, Founder, M.S. Swaminathan Research Foundation

1230 Keynote address on Congress Theme 2
Environmental resilience and agroforestry
Richard Leakey, Chairman, Wildlife Direct

1300 – 1400 Lunch Break

1400 Keynote address on Congress Theme 3
Key policy issues for agroforestry
Sara Scherr, President, Ecoagriculture Partners
1430 Public-private partnerships and agroforestry
Navin Sharma, ITC, India

1500 – 1630 Panel discussion
How can agroforestry rise to the challenges?
1. Jan Heino, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)
2. Coosje Hoogendoorn, Director General, INBAR
3. Nyaga Mwai, Dairy Goat Association of Kenya
4. Aissetou Yaye, African Network for Agriculture, Agroforestry and Natural Resources Education
5. Ambika Upadhyay, ITC, India
6. Abdon Nababan, Secretary General, Indonesia’s national indigenous peoples’ organization (AMAN)

Moderator: Ravi Prabhu (UN-REDD)

1630 – 1700 Tea/Coffee Break and Poster viewing

1700 – 1830 Technical sessions
Room 3: Session 1A: Multistrata agroforestry systems with perennial crops
Room 7: Session 2: Agroforests in humid tropical Africa
Room 9: Session 3A: Agroforestry in landscape-scale conservation strategies
Room 10: Session 7: Integrating genomics in agroforestry
Room 13: Session 8: Dryland agroforestry research and development
Room 14: Session 19: Carbon sequestration in agroforestry systems
Room 8: Session 22: Nutrient cycling and biological dinitrification fixation in agroforestry systems

1900 Welcome Cocktail at World Agroforestry Centre Headquarters

2030 Buses depart for the hotels

Day 2: Tuesday, 25 August 2009

0730 Buses depart from hotels to UN conference facilities

Theme 1: Food Security and Livelihoods

0900 Opening and speaker introduction

Keynote Address: Food Security and Livelihoods
Food production and the alleviation of poverty and declining livelihoods
Namanga Ngongi, President, Alliance for Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA)

0930 Agroforestry for generating income for smallholders
Howard Shapiro, Mars Incorporated

0950 The extent of agroforestry in agricultural landscapes
Richard Coe and Frank Place, World Agroforestry Centre

1010 Discussions and open questions from the floor
1030 Tea/Coffee Break and Poster viewing

1100 – 1230 Simultaneous symposia

Symposium 1: Agroforestry tree-crop value chains
Organized by Dagmar Mithöefer, World Agroforestry Centre

Symposium 2: Domestication of agroforestry tree crops
Organized by Roger Leakey

Symposium 3: Adaptation to Climate Change
Organized by PK Nair, University of Florida and Lou Verchot, Center for International Forestry Research (CIFOR)
Symposium 4: Agroforestry Systems in Africa
Organized by Steve Franzel, World Agroforestry Centre

1230 – 1300 Lunch Break
1300 – 1430 Side Events

1430 – 1600 Concurrent technical sessions
Room 3: Session 1B: Multistrata agroforestry systems with perennial crops
Room 7: Session 3B: Agroforestry in landscape-scale conservation strategies
Room 8: Session 4: Agroforestry in Mesoamerica: current perspectives and challenges
Room 10: Session 10: Quantifying the role of agroforestry in modifying watershed functions
Room 13: Session 21A: Mitigation and adaptation to climate change
Room 9: Session 24: Integrating disciplines through agroforestry education
Room 14: Session 25A: Policy formulation and stakeholder engagement in natural resource management

1600 – 1630 Tea/Coffee Break and Poster Viewing

1630 – 1800 Concurrent technical sessions
Room 3: Session 5: Ecological sustainability: Panacea or Pandora’s Box?
Room 7: Session 6: Ecopsychological bases of agroforestry system design
Room 8: Session 11: Agroforestry for salinity control and land rehabilitation
Room 13: Session 12: Riparian system effects on soil and water quality
Room 9: Session 14A: Agroforestry as a tool for landscape restoration
Room 10: Session 25B: Policy formulation and stakeholder engagement in natural resource management

1830 Buses depart to hotels

Day 3: Wednesday, 26 August 2009

0730 Buses depart from hotels to UN conference facilities

Theme 2: Conservation and Rehabilitation of Natural Resources
Chair: Achim Steiner
0900 Opening and speaker introduction

Keynote address
Climate Change and Agroforestry
RK Pachauri, Nobel Laureate and Chair, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change

0920 Keynote Address
Biodiversity conservation and agroforestry
Gustavo Fonseca, Global Environment Facility

0950 Multi-functional Agriculture and the opportunities for agroforestry
Implications of the International Assessment of Agriculture Knowledge, Science and Technology for Development (IAASTD) Roger Leakey, James Cook University, Australia

1015 Discussions and open questions from the floor
1030 Tea/Coffee Break and Poster viewing
1100 – 1230  Simultaneous symposia
Symposium 1:  Multifunctionality and Ecosystem services
Organized by Meine van Noordwijk, World Agroforestry Centre
Symposium 2:  Land rehabilitation and Landcare
Organized by Keith Shepherd & Tor-Gunnar Vagen, World Agroforestry Centre
Symposium 3:  Temperate Agroforestry systems
Organized by M-R Mosquera-Losada, A. Rígueiro-Rodrìguez,
Dirk Freese & SAFE project staff (Spain, Germany, USA, Canada)
Symposium 4:  High-carbon stocks development pathways
Organized by Peter Minang, ASB Global Coordinator, World Agroforestry Centre
Symposium 5:  Satoyama – A socio ecological production landscape approach to the sustainable use of ecosystem services and human development.
Organized by Maiko Nishi, Scientific Assessment Coordinator, United Nations University, Japan and Anantha Duraiappah, DEPI, UNEP.

1230 – 1300 Lunch Break
1300 - 1430 Side Events
1430 – 1600 Theme 2 Concurrent technical sessions
Room 3:  Session 9:  Silvopastoral Systems: restoring ecosystem functions and productivity from farms to landscapes
Room 7:  Session 13:  Agroforestry in Europe and other temperate regions
Room 9:  Session 14B:  Agroforestry as a tool for landscape restoration
Room 13:  Session 15:  Biofuel Production Systems
Room 8:  Session 26:  Local knowledge in agroforestry science
Room 10:  Session 31A:  Rewards for environmental services of agroforestry

1600 – 1630 Tea/Coffee Break and poster viewing
1630 – 1800  Theme 2 Concurrent technical sessions
Room 3:  Session 16:  Participatory Tree Domestication for land rehabilitation
Room 9:  Session 18B:  Agroforestry, climate change and biodiversity conservation
Room 10:  Session 21B:  Mitigation and adaptation to climate change

Day 4: Thursday, 27 August 2009
Theme 3: Policy Issues
0900  Opening and speaker introduction
Chair: Jan Heino
Keynote Address: Angela Cropper, Deputy Executive Director, United Nations Environment Programme
0930 Policymakers Panel
Rita Sharma, India
Marc Dourojeanni, Peru
African experience (speaker to be confirmed)
10:30 Tea/Coffee Break and poster viewing
11:00 Concurrent technical sessions
Room 7:  Session 17: Collective action for tree based rehabilitation of degraded lands
Room 10:  Session 18B: Agroforestry, climate change and biodiversity conservation
Room 13:  Session 20: Agroforestry and environmental amelioration
Room 9:  Session 21A: Rewards for environmental services of agroforestry

1830 Buses depart to the hotels
Room 8: Session 23: Agroforestry and reconciliation ecology
Room 14: Session 30: Socioeconomics, livelihoods, and island and coastal agroforestry

**1100: Agroforestry Policy Initiative (Closed session simultaneous with the concurrent technical sessions).**

1230 - 1300  Lunch Break
1300 - 1430  Side Events

**1430 - 1600  Plenary session**

Mini-Symposium – The Way Forward – Energizing the next wave of agroforestry science.
Discussion and confirmation of Congress outputs, global level action points, and key policy messages
Achim Steiner
Dennis Garrity
PK Nair

1600 – 1630  Tea/Coffee Break

**1630 – 1730 Closing Session**

**Short statements by Donors:**
Dr. Hansjörg Neun, Director, Centre for Agricultural & Technical Cooperation (CTA)
Dr. Shantanu Mathur, International Fund for Agricultural Development
Mr. Daizaburo Kuroda, Senior Councilor, Japan Minister of the Environment

**Venue for next congress**

Vote of thanks

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**Day 5: Friday, 28 August 2009**

*Field Trips*

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**Side events**

**Monday 24 August**
No Side Events

**Tuesday 25 August**
1300 – 1430

Room 8  Update on CGIAR Reform Process
Room 9  Conservation Agriculture with Trees
Room 10  Technology Transfer for Small Farmers and Private Woodland Owners - A North-South Exchange
Room 11  World Agroforestry Centre- Launch of Amazon Publications
Room 12  NaturallyAfrican: Bringing Together Africa's Natural Products Sector
Room 13  Producing Timber Abundantly, Efficiently and Sustainably: Agroforestry Revolution Changes Lives of an Entire Area in Northwest India
Room 14  An Environmental Approach to Water and Food Security for Rural Communities in Semi-arid Eastern Kenya: Sand dams, Trees, and Drought-resistant Crops

Meet in Conference Room 1 and then proceed to the World Agroforestry Centre for the side event on Soil Enlightenment: A study tour of the World Agroforestry Centre's Soil-Plant Spectral Diagnostics Laboratory
Participants’ InfoPack

Wednesday 26 August
1300 – 1430
Room 7 Interactive agricultural information system: Weather surfaces
Room 8 Innovative Partnership for Sustainable Land Management
Room 9 Landcare
Room 10 Measuring plant water use using the HRM Sap Flow Meter
Room 11 Information sharing to global forest community
Room 12 How Hot New Mexico Chile Peppers Fired Up My Project Management
Room 13 World Forests, Society and Environment (WFSE) of IUFRO Policy Brief Launch
Room 14 Methodology for avoided deforestation for the Voluntary Carbon Standard

Thursday 27 August
1300 – 1430
Room 4 The Potential of Faidherbia to enhance food crop farming systems in Africa
Room 7 Information Communication Management to improve farmers’ benefits from agroforestry research programs
Room 8 How Hot New Mexico Chile Peppers Fired Up My Project Management
Room 9 São Paulo State’s Agricultural Research and potential agriculture cultures for Agroforestry Systems in Brazil
Room 10 Locating Indigenous People’s Rights in Mitigating Climate Change Impacts on Agroforest Landscapes
Room 11 Agroforestry Producing Differently - DVD presentation in French with subtitles in English, Portuguese and Spanish.
Room 14 Ecoagriculture Partners: Mobilizing Action Together
Room 12 A Film to Understand the Issues of Agroforestry Today-DVD (tbc)
Room 13 Agroforestry models