



Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in Forest Landscape Restoration: Exploring the Synergies

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Lima, Peru

Please join us for a special session on *Climate Mitigation and Adaptation in Forest Landscape Restoration: Exploring the Synergies*, hosted by IUCN.

The session will explore, through a panel discussion, the synergies between policies related to mitigation and adaptation in the context of Forest Landscape Restoration and the way forward to build upon these opportunities. Key topics to be discussed: 1) Current discourse and practice in regards to policy linkages between climate change mitigation and adaptation in FLR, and 2) What are the challenges and the way-forward to build upon these complementarities and synergies.

Forest Landscape Restoration (FLR) is the long-term process of regaining ecological functionality and enhancing human well-being across deforested or degraded forest landscapes. It is an integrated approach that looks at all aspects of forest landscapes and manages them accordingly. Both mitigation and adaptation are considered equally important to deal with an increasingly changing climate and its impacts. FLR has the potential to provide immense benefits for climate change mitigation and, if carried out in a climate smart manner, provide equally large adaptation benefits. In particular, FLR is an important area where integrated mitigation and adaptation strategies can be implemented, which can provide co-benefits to increase resilience and decrease vulnerabilities of both human societies and ecosystems.

Venue: Knowledge Café, Mountain & Water Pavilion located at the Voices for Climate, Lima, Peru
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Time: 16:00-18:00

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