

# Role of Forestry as a Nature Based Solution to Address Climate Change

Date & Time: 18:30-20:00. May 4 (Wednesday)

Venue: COEX, Seoul, Korea & On-line



Hosts: Korea Forest Service, Korea Forest Welfare Institute, Korea Lottery Commission, Korea University, Seoul National University, CSDLAP, Asia-Europe Foundation, and Korea University Graduate Program Specialized in Carbon Sink (KUGPSCS)

Organizer: Center for Global Climate and Marine Governance affiliated with Global Research Institute of Korea University (CGCMG)

Recently in the COP26 in Glasgow, U.K., Parties stressed the importance of forestry sector as a nature based solution to address climate change by keeping 1.5 degree temperature increase together with ensuring sustainable development. In this context, cooperation with developing countries will become more important by implementing various policy measures including but not limited to REDD+. This session will provide an excellent opportunity to share the information of leading cases as well as to explore how to strengthen cooperation among different stakeholders.

## Program

### 18:30-18:40 Opening Session

#### Welcoming Remarks

- Jong-Ho Park, Senior Advisor of CSDLAP & Former Minister of Korea Forest Service

#### Congratulatory Remarks

- Ambassador Toru Morikawa, Executive Director of Asia-Europe Foundation
- Eun-Sik Park, Director-General of International Affairs Bureau, Korea Forest Service
- Dr. Anne Juepner, Interim Director of UNDP Seoul Policy Centre

#### Group Photo

### 18:40-19:20 Keynote Presentations

#### New Climate Resilient Forest and Landscape Restoration Program in Ethiopia

- Dr. Gemedo Dalle, Country Representative of GGGI & Former Minister of Environment of Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

#### Public – Private Partnership in Implementing REDD+ (TBC)

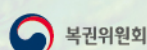
- Dr. Suzi Kerr, Chief Economist at EDF (TBC)

### 19:20-20:00 Panel Discussions

- Moderator: Suh-Yong Chung, Professor of Korea University
- Grazyna Pulawska, Associate Director of Asia-Europe Foundation
- Mookhor Khishigiargal, Mongolian University of Life Science
- Motuma Tolera, Dean of Wondo Genet College of Hawassa University, Ethiopia
- Tae-Kyung Yoon, Assistant Professor of Sangji University
- Ji-Min Kim, Undergraduate Student of Korea University



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