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## Regional Workshop

# FORESTS AND DROUGHTS

The roles of trees and forests in building resilience against droughts

10-11 August 2015, Thonburi Room, Anantara Resort, Bangkok

10 August 2015, Mon

Time	Activity	Who
8:30 – 9:00	Registration	
9:00 – 9:15	<b>Welcome Remarks</b>	Patrick Durst
9:15 – 9:30	<b>Workshop objectives and process</b>	Sylvia Micalat
9:30 – 10:00	<b>Setting the Context</b>	Rowena Soriaga
10:00 – 10:30	Morning break	
<b>Country Presentations (15 min.) and Open Discussion (15 mins.) *</b>		
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Australia</b>	Neil Byron
11:00 – 11:30	<b>China</b>	Kebin Zhang
11:30 – 12:00	<b>Indonesia</b>	Yani Septani & Titiek Setyawati
12:00 – 12:30	<b>Samoa</b>	Faleafaga Leilua Toni Tipama'a
12:30 – 2:00	Lunch	
2:00 – 2:30	<b>Philippines</b>	Wendy Clavano
2:30 – 3:00	<b>Bangladesh</b>	Laskar Muqsudur Rahman
3:00 – 3:30	<b>Bhutan</b>	Lungten Norbu
3:30 – 4:00	<b>India</b>	Promode Kant
4:00 – 4:30	<b>Open Forum</b>	Yurdi Yasmi (moderator)
4:30 - 5:00	<b>Day 1 Wrap Up</b>	Pedro Walpole
6:30	Social Dinner	

\* For each case, 30 minutes:

- presentation (15 min)
- open discussion on clarifications, comments and suggestions on structure and content of the case studies (15 min)



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11 August 2015, Tue

Time	Activity	Moderator/s
8:30 – 9:00	<b>Day 2 introduction on process and outputs</b>	Yurdi & Rowena
9:00 – 10:00	<p><b>Capturing Commonalities, Differences and Lessons</b></p> <p><i>Discuss in 3 sub-groups (1 hour):</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Are there strong commonalities and/or important differences among experiences of various countries in observed impacts, future implications and ways to build resilience against droughts? Any surprises?</li> <li>• Important lessons learnt from the case studies?</li> </ul>	3 groups, each with an assigned facilitator and rapporteur
10:00 – 10:30	Morning break	
10:30 – 12:00	<p><b>Crafting Recommendations and Key Messages</b></p> <p><i>Discuss in 3 sub-groups (1 hour):</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recommendations for enhancing people and forest resilience to drought</li> <li>• Key messages for target audiences</li> </ul> <p><i>Plenary presentation from sub-groups (10 min per group)</i></p>	3 groups, each with an assigned facilitator and rapporteur
12:00 – 2:00	Lunch	
2:00 – 3:00	<b>Feedback for finalization of studies</b>	
3:00 – 3:30	Afternoon Break	
3:30 – 4:30	<b>Feedback for finalization of studies (continued)</b>	
4:30 – 4:40	<b>Work plan for finalization of case studies</b>	Kumiko Kubo
4:40 – 4:50	<b>Wrap up</b>	Pedro Walpole
4:50 – 5:00	<b>Closing Remarks</b>	Patrick Durst