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Workshop on Payment for Ecosystem Services

Fridtjof Nansen Institute, Polhøgda, Lysaker (Oslo)
Friday 5 June 2009, 09:00-13:00

This workshop on compensation and incentives for the maintenance of ecosystem services is organized by the Fridtjof Nansen Institute (FNI) on behalf of the Norwegian Ministries of the Environment and of Foreign Affairs. Its aim is to highlight the most relevant experiences, pre-conditions and best practices with PES, and to provide operative suggestions for Norwegian involvement in such themes.

PROGRAM

- 09:00** Welcome. *Mari Sæther, Ministry of the Environment*
- 09:05-10:05** **THE ECONOMICS OF ECOSYSTEMS AND BIODIVERSITY**
Patrick Ten Brink, Institute for European Environmental Policy (IEEP) (30 min)
Comments (2 x 5 min):
- *Peter Johan Schei, Fridtjof Nansen Institute (FNI)*
- *Arild Vatn, Norwegian University of Life Sciences (UMB)*
Discussion
- 10:05-10:20** Short break with coffee/tea & fruit
- 10:20-11.20** **PES – CURRENT KNOWLEDGE AND IMPLICATION FOR REDD**
Ivan Bond, International Institute for Environment and Development (IIED) (30 min)
Comments (2 x 5 min):
- *Sjur Kasa, Center for International Climate and Environmental Research – Oslo (CICERO)*
- *David Barton, Norwegian Institute for Nature Research (NINA)*
Discussion
- 11:20** Closing remarks. *Jon Heikki Aas, Ministry of Foreign Affairs*
- 11:30-12:00** **BOOK LAUNCH**
- The Natural Fix? The Role of Ecosystems in Climate Mitigation
- Vital Forest Graphics
Erik Solheim, Minister of the Environment and International Development, and Peter Prokosch, Managing Director, UNEP/GRID-Arendal
- 12:00-13:00** Lunch



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Limited number of participants

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