# Climate Change Mitigation with Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities Cairns, Australia (26-28 March 2012)

#### **Provisional Agenda**

Secretariat Room: Ballroom 1

## **SUNDAY, 25 MARCH 2012**

10:00 - 18:00	Registration
[Hilton Lobby]	
18:30 – 20:30 [Ballroom 2]	Welcome Reception
	Welcome to Country:
	Gimuy Wallabarra Yidinji Nation of Cairns

#### **MONDAY, 26 MARCH 2012**

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08:00-09:00 [Events Foyer]	Registration
09:00-10:30	Opening ceremony
[Ballroom 2]	Welcome Address:
	Govindan Parayil, Vice-Rector United Nations University
	Opening Remarks:
	Henrietta Marrie, Gimuy Walubarra Yidinji Nation of Cairns
	Introductory Remarks: [TBC]
	Val Schier, Mayor of Cairns
	Youba Sokona, Co-Chair Working Group III, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)
	TBC, Australian Department of Climate Change
	Paul Little, Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation
	Joe Morrison, North Australian Land and Sea Management Initiative
10:30-11:00	Tea break
11:00-12:00	Opening plenary
[Ballroom 2]	Keynote address: Ramon Pichs-Madruga, Co-Chair Working Group III, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)
	Setting the Context: TBC, Workshop Co-Chairs
12:00-13:30 [Events Foyer]	Lunch

#### **MONDAY, 26 MARCH 2012**

13:30-16:30	Panel A: Agriculture and Land Use Systems
Parallel sessions (A & B)	Sarah MILNE and Lykhim OUK A Not-so Perfect Match? Community experiences with the coupling of avoided deforestation and agricultural intensification in upland Cambodia
[Ballroom 2]	Jean Pierre LAURENT Roots redux: the 'Jaden Kweyol' and climate change mitigation in Saint Lucia
	Ramesh SUNAM Revitalizing traditional agriculture for food security and climate change: a case from Nepal
	Coffee Break 15:00-15:15
	<b>Chaipraset PHOKHA</b> Climate change, trees and livelihood: a case study on the carbon footprint of a Karen community in Northern Thailand
	<b>Yongfu HUANG</b> The decarbonization of the Chinese agricultural sector
[Meeting Rooms	Panel B: Livelihoods/culture
3/4]	<b>Leonardo HASENCLEVER</b> Narratives of origins, eschatologies and techno-economic reasoning: predicaments of the intercultural dialogue on climate change and REDD+ in Brazilian Amazon
	Essam Hassan Mohamed AHMED Nubians as indigenous peoples and climate change mitigation
	Marilyn WALLACE Combining knowledge systems and calibrating indigenous ecological calendars for culturally informed climate change mitigation: Northern Wet Tropics World Heritage Area
	Coffee Break 15:00-15:15
	Brian WYATT Traditional owners and climate change
	<b>Gwendolyn SMITH</b> Enabling participation of the Trio Indigenous community of Suriname in a climate change mitigation project

16:30-17:30	Breakout Group Discussions
Parallel sessions	
[Ballroom 2]	
[Meeting Rooms 3/4]	

# TUESDAY, 27 MARCH 2012

09:00-12:00	Panel C: REDD+ Mitigation
Parallel sessions (C & D) [Ballroom 2]	Estebancio CASTRO DIAZ Mitigation policies and indigenous peoples: potentials, barriers and opportunities  Patrick ANDERSON Indigenous Peoples' rights, free, prior and informed consent and REDD+ in Indonesia
	Johannes BAUER From bystander to actor – developing cooperative frameworks and models for indigenous and landowner participation in REDD+ and climate change adaptation: perspectives from PNG and Australia
	Coffee Break 10:30-10:45
	Yayan INDRIATMOKO Local peoples' perception of REDD+: case study in REDD+ demonstration activity in Central Kalimantan, Indonesia
	<b>Maureen TEHAN</b> Governance for climate change mitigation at the intersection of international and national frameworks: lessons learned and future prospects
[Meeting Rooms	Panel D: Renewable Energies and Energy Supply
3/4]	Chagat ALMASHEV Energizing the Altai Mountains people through innovative climate mitigation
	<b>Bob GOUGH</b> Building resilient tribal communities through distributed renewable energy projects, dispatchable storage systems and natural straw bale construction
	<b>Bibek Raj KANDEL</b> Challenges and Opportunities for preserving traditional water mills in Nepal
	Coffee Break 10:30-10:45
	Alberto SANCHEZ Micro hydro power: an effective alternative for climate mitigation and local development of marginalized communities in the Dominican Republic
	<b>Bob VAN DIJKEN</b> Yukon First Nations action on climate change mitigation
12:00-13:30	Lunch
[Events Foyer]	

## **TUESDAY, 27 MARCH 2012**

13:30-16:30	Panel E: Forestry
Parallel sessions (E & F) [Ballroom 2]	Helen MAGATA Securing land tenure leads to successful climate change mitigation: the case of the Ikalahan Peoples of Nueva Vizcaya in Northern Luzon, Philippines  Wirsiy FONDZENYUY Analog forestry: pathway for climate change mitigation and livelihood improvement in North Western Cameroon  Gabriel CARRERO Traditional community-readiness for carbon projects: lessons learned from the Surui Forest Carbon Project  Coffee Break 15:00-15:15
	Mohammed JASHIMUDDIN Village common forest management in the Chittagong Hill Tracts of Bangladesh: role in climate change mitigation and future prospects  Arun DHAKAL Household and farm characteristics of agroforestry based farming systems in Dhanusha District Nepal:
	analysis from climate change mitigation perspectives
[Meeting Rooms	Panel G: Carbon Abatement
3/4]	Jeremy RUSSELL-SMITH Savanna burning opportunities in Northern Australia Bibiana BILBAO Fire Abatement in Venezuela
	<b>Bronwyn MYERS</b> Indigenous Fire Management and Government Fire Policy in Savannas of Eastern Indonesia
	Coffee Break 15:00-15:15
	Cathy ROBINSON and Rowan FOLEY Carbon and indigenous co-benefits in Australia
	<b>Sue SALVIN and Michael FRIDAY</b> Feasibility studies for four indigenous carbon sink enhancement projects in Australia

16:30-17:30	Breakout Group Discussions
Parallel sessions	
[Ballroom 2]	
[Meeting Rooms 3/4]	

#### WEDNESDAY, 28 MARCH 2012

09:00-12:00	Panel F: Governance
Parallel sessions	Margaret JACOBSOHN From the ground: getting communities involved
(G & H) [Ballroom 2]	Shweta BHAGWAT Barriers and opportunities for rewarding local communities and regional governance regime for mitigation efforts: learning from West Sikkim
	Robbie HENDERSON Learning from doing: testing models for governance and implementation of REDD+ in Melanesia to provide equitable benefits for forest-dependent indigenous peoples
	Coffee Break 10:30 -10:45
	<b>Sonia LEONARD and Annette KOGOLO</b> <i>Understanding patterns of climate change in the Great Sandy Desert: developing tools to understand mitigation options</i>
	Michael WINER Opportunities and barriers to indigenous participation in climate change mitigation on Cape York
[Meeting Rooms	Panel H: Mitigation for Sustainable Development
3/4]	Julio MOURE CORTES A carbon offset project in the Mayan region: Quintana Roo, Mexico
	Elnour Abdalla ELSIDDIG Community-based natural resources management with a climate change perspective
	Oladimeji OLADELE Traditional land and water management for carbon sequestration and climate change mitigation in Africa
	Coffee Break 10:30 -10:45
	Annabelle NILSSON Sea grass and sea tenure in the Torres Strait: challenges and possibilities of engagement with a Blue Carbon Market
	<b>Tero MUSTONEN, Elena ANTIPINA and Petr KAURGIN</b> Mitigation for survival – rebirth of small Arctic Nations in Siberia and Finland in the midst of climate change
12:00-14:00	Lunch
[Events Foyer]	
14:00-17:00	Closing Plenary
[Ballroom 2]	