UN-REDD webinars on REDD+ Results Reporting

Moving from reference levels to REDD+ results.

Providing updates on:

- Recent reference level (FRL) submissions,
- BUR annexes on REDD+ results, and
- The associated processes for technical assessments and analysis.

The first three countries have submitted REDD+ results to the UNFCCC and as many as 15 countries have submitted REDD+ reference levels. Years of hard work begin to pay off as countries move closer to fulfilling all modalities for REDD+ under the UNFCCC. Beyond these 15 countries, many others are working on reference level proposals and REDD+ results reporting. Technical intricacies can be complex, procedural rules can be cumbersome, and the technical assessment and analysis process can be a novel learning opportunity for country teams.

The UN-REDD Programme has provided active support to more than half of the countries that have submitted their REDD+ reference level to the UNFCCC. It is pleased to invite you to a series of three regional webinars to exchange lessons learned and experiences with governmental and experts that work hands on with REDD+.

The three sessions are moderated by Till Neeff, Philippe Crête and Rocío Condor, FAO. They will include thoughts, remarks and answers to questions by:

-- Edersson Cabrera, Colombia

- -- TBD, Mexico
- -- Elizabeth Philip, Malaysia
- -- Alexander Lotsch and Andrés Espejo, World Bank FCPF

-- Danae Maniatis, United Nations Development Programme, UN-REDD / UNDP

-- Marieke Sandker, Ángel Parra and Lucio Santos, FAO/UN-REDD, REDD+ reference level experts

-- Julian Fox, Erik Lindquist, Anne Branthomme, and Carla Ramirez FAO, forest measurement experts

The event will take place in three sessions:

-- Wednesday June 22, 2016, at 4:00 p.m. (Rome) / 10:00 a.m. (Washington) – in Spanish language mainly for participants from Latin America

-- Wednesday, August 17, 2016, at 9:00 a.m. (Rome) / 3:00 p.m. (Singapore) – in English language mainly for participants from Asia and Africa

-- Wednesday, August 24, 2016, at 3:00 p.m. (Rome) / 2:00 p.m. (Kinshasa) – in French language mainly for participants from Africa

Participants will be invited to pose questions and engage with the panellists in a discussion on technical issues related to REDD+ reference levels and results reporting. The speakers will share knowledge and experience from their own countries. The panellists will address questions from the audience and discuss topics related to REDD+ results reporting under the UNFCCC, including the submission of the forest reference (emission) levels and the REDD+ technical annex to the biennial update report, as well as the related technical assessment and technical analysis processes under the UNFCCC.

Register here<http://goo.gl/forms/WiyQgbxk82> to secure your space:

<u>http://goo.gl/forms/WiyQgbxk82</u>. This is a registration only event and there is limited space available. Instructions for participating in the webinar will be circulated in early June to registered participants.