

# Program

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## **Jul. 21 (Tue), 1998 Auditorium**

9:30 - 9:45 Mr. Kazuo Matsushita: Opening remarks

### **Session 1: Country Reports of Underlying Causes of Deforestation and Forest Degradation**

9:45 - 10:00 Yoichi Kuroda: Addressing Underlying Causes of Deforestation and Forest Degradation, NGOs Process / IGES Initiative, An Introduction

10:00 - 10:20 Germelino M. Bautista , Reflections on the Philippine Environmental Crisis

10:50 - 11:05 Coffee Break

11:05 - 11:25 Mia Siscawati: Underlying Causes of Deforestation and Forest Degradation in Indonesia : A Case Study on Forest Fire

11:25 - 11:40 Discussion

11:40 - 12:00 Amrit L. Joshi: Underlying Causes of Deforestation and Participatory Forest Management Policy in Nepal

12:00 - 12:15 Discussion

12:15 - 13:15 Luncheon

13:15 - 13:35 Pankaj Sekhsaria: Deforestation in India: Overview and Proposed Case Studies

13:35 - 13:50 Discussion

13:50 - 14:00 Break

### **Session 2: Timber Trade Policy for the Sustainable Forest Management**

14:00 - 14:30 Jairo Castano: ITTO's Perspective on Trade and Environment

14:30 - 15:30 Panel Discussion: Perspectives on Timber Trade and Forest Conservation in Asia, Pacific-rim Region  
Ruperto P. Alonzo, Jairo Castano, Yoichi Kuroda, Osam Hashiramoto, Eishi Maezawa and Mia Siscawati

15:30 - 15:50 Coffee Break

15:50 - 17:35 Conclusive Discussion for Day One

18:30 - 20:00 Reception

## **Jul. 22 (Wed), 1998 Room 5 & Auditorium**

### **Session 3: Discussion of Underlying Causes and NGO Regional Process**

- 9:00 - 10:30 Additional Report, Pearmsak Makarabhirom: Deforestation Process in Thailand  
10:30 - 10:50 Coffee Break  
10:50 - 12:15 Exchange of Personal Research Experience and Discussion  
12:15 - 13:15 Luncheon

### **Session 4: Political Ecology of Forest Management**

- 13:15 - 13:55 Sudha Vasan: Political Ecology of Timber Rights in the Western Himalayas  
13:55 - 14:15 Discussion  
14:15 - 14:55 Bishnu B. Bhandari: Participatory Resource Planning in Wetlands of Nepal, A Case Study of Ghodaghodi Tal  
14:55 - 15:15 Discussion  
15:15 - 15:30 Coffee Break  
15:30 - 16:10 Sandra Moniaga: Advocating for Community-Based Forest Management in Indonesia's Outer Island: Political and Legal Constraints and Opportunities  
16:10 - 16:30 Discussion  
16:30 - 17:30 General Discussion  
18:00 - 19:30 Dinner

## **Jul. 23 (Thu), 1998 Room 6**

### **Session 5: Country Reports of Forest Policy**

- 9:30 - 10:40 Li Xiaoping: Forestry Policy in China The Past, Present and Future  
10:40 - 11:00 Discussion  
11:00 - 11:15 Coffee Break  
11:15 - 11:35 Khampha Chanthirath and Khamvieng Xayabouth : Outline of Forest Policy Development in Lao P.D.R.  
11:35 - 11:55 Herman Hidayat: Empowering Communities through Social Forestry, Outline of Forest Policy in Indonesia  
11:55 - 12:10 Discussion  
12:10 - 12:20 Akio Morishima: Closing Remarks  
12:20 - 13:15 Luncheon