



Conference on
**International Multi-Stakeholder
Processes in Natural Resource
Management: learning from experience**

Tuesday 14th September 2010, Oxford, UK

**Convened by ProForest, the University of Oxford (Environmental
Change Institute) and the Rainforest Alliance**

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This conference will bring together representatives from a range of constituencies, sectors and regions worldwide to discuss experiences and challenges and to generate ideas for undertaking meaningful and practical multi-stakeholder processes in resource management and land-use planning at all levels including national, regional and international levels.

Over the past decade multi-stakeholder processes have been increasingly used to seek international agreements on standards, policies and practices for natural resource management. Among the best known examples are international agriculture, forestry, and fisheries certification schemes, EU forest law and governance processes and round-tables on biofuels, agricultural commodities, REDD and conservation planning. Much of this has been ground-breaking work, with successes and pitfalls along the way.

While there have been many successes, challenges remain – such as building inclusive processes that also deliver results in a timely and cost-effective way, meaningful representation of minority groups, and achieving effective national engagement for interpretation and delivery at national and regional scales.

This event presents a unique opportunity to reflect on what has been learned from these processes, and to seek practical solutions to common remaining challenges.

A great event for governments, policy makers, academics, industry leaders, NGOs, forestry and agricultural producers, and process facilitators. The conference is open to all, but places are limited: register your interest now by emailing anna@proforest.net.

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