

# CAUX DIALOGUE ON LAND AND SECURITY



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## INTRODUCTION

Initiatives for Land, Lives, and Peace (ILLP) is delighted to present the Caux Dialogue on Land and Security 2017, the fifth of its series. CDLS 2017 will focus on tackling land degradation and conflict, and advance the global discourse on best practice for implementing successful initiatives and investments.

Hosted in partnership with UNCCD, IUCN and CAUX-Initiatives of Change, CDLS 2017 will convene experts, policymakers, practitioners, activists and the private sector to exchange experience and knowledge on three key aspects: investment, peace and restoration. A Policymakers Roundtable and the Invest in Peace Forum will take place concurrently, also to explore how innovative investment, business practices and governance can bring a durable peace and sustainable land management.

The CDLS 2017 programme facilitates the opportunity to deepen expertise and knowledge. Participants will choose between three streams central to the essential connections between land, lives and peace. Designed to enhance cross-fertilisation between participants, daily plenaries, dialogue groups and feedback sessions will cultivate knowledge and trust building, as well as foster partnerships and initiatives among all participants.



## WORKSHOP STREAMS

CDLS 2017 will offer three workshop streams on Restoration, Peace, and Business. Streams create an opportunity for participants to go deeper into the subject matter over a sustained period. Each day will focus upon a different theme: Problems; Solutions and Creativity; and Possibilities and Dissemination. CDLS 2017 is designed to encourage cross-fertilisation and exchange between the streams to explore these vital issues holistically.

### **RESTORATION: landscape and ecosystem restoration models**

It is slowly dawning on the world that land degradation is a serious issue, and from the UNCCD to Afr100, a plethora of initiatives have been born to try to turn the tide. But even the most visionary of them seem to deliver very modest outcomes: for example, the international community has a goal for Land Degradation Neutrality, but not for Land Restoration. And yet the promise that lies in being more ambitious is immense: we can, and should, restore most of the degraded ecosystems of the earth. This strand will explore the challenges and the promises – environmental, social and economic – of a full ecosystemic

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approach to land use.

Participants and contributors include:

**Gwendoline Raban**, Senior Environmental and Social Scientist, Earth Systems, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

**Muna Ismail**, Project Coordinator, The Yeheb Project

**Patrick Worms**, World Agroforestry Centre (ICRAF)

**Rhamis Kent**, Consultant, Permaculture Research Institute

**Seth Itzka**, Co-founder and Co-director, Soil4Climate

**Lauren Fletcher**, CEO, Biocarbon Engineering

**Renald Flores**, Accredited Professional of Savory Institute

**Minister Oppah Charm Zvipange Muchinguri**- Kashiri, Zimbabwe Ministry of Environment

**Luc Gnacadja**, former Minister of Environment, Benin.

## PEACE AND GOVERNANCE:

Peacebuilding is central to land restoration and can be nurtured by healthy governance structures. This stream will focus upon case studies and initiatives from fragile and conflicted lands with a focus upon peacebuilding initiatives, peace economies and innovative governance structures that complement trust building. The need to scale up and disseminate successful models of grassroots and community peace/land partnerships will be presented and explored. Lands and communities in transition will be part of our explorations as we go deeper into contemporary challenges and opportunities. Contributions will feature initiatives in Northern Syria, Kenya, USA, the Philippines and more.

**Alan Channer**, Steering Group Member, Initiatives for Land, Lives and Peace

**Bremley Lyngdoh**, Founder and CEO, WorldView Foundation

**Severine Von Tscharnher Fleming**, Director of Greenhorns

**David Kennedy**, Indigicate, Australia

**Joachim Monkelbaann**, Climate-KIC

**Pradeep Monga**, Deputy Executive Secretary, UNCCD

## BUSINESS

Business stream will explore models and possibilities for investment that align with ecosystems and communities. It has been acknowledged that that private sector should play a wider role in landscape restoration, and that many environmental and social initiatives can benefit from private investment. But how to make small-scale projects investment-ready and how to leverage all the opportunities that arise from this new

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discourse? This stream will focus on new funding instruments, address how to bring private investments to landscape restoration projects and develop roadmaps for new projects.

Participants will include:

- Alan Laubsch**, co-founder of Lykke
- Dom Cox**, Founder, FarmOS
- Sophia Faruqi**, World Resource Institute (WRI)
- Willem Ferwerda**, CEO, CommonLand
- Simeon Max**, FairVenture Worldwide
- Sarah Toumi**, Acacias for All
- David Plattner**, CEO RainTrust



## DAILY PROGRAMME

Subject to change

### Tuesday, 11 July

11:00-12:30	Registration opens	Reception area
12:30-13:30	Lunch	Dining Room
15:00-16:00	Emerging Leaders meet and greet - all welcome	Bay Window, Main Hall
16:00-16:45	Tea Break	Dining Room
16:45-18:15	<p>Opening Plenary (all participants): No peace without land restoration. No land restoration without peace.</p> <p>Barbara Hintermann, Secretary General, CAUX-IofC Foundation</p> <p>Haroun Kabadi, Speaker of the National Assembly, Chad</p> <p>Pradeep Monga, Deputy Executive Secretary, UNCCD</p> <p>Simon Thuo &amp; Alan Channer, Kenya Dialogue on Land and Security</p> <p>Meera Shah, ILLP [Moderator]</p>	Main Hall
18:30-19:15	Dinner	Dining Room

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20:30-20:45	House welcome + orientation (all participants) Nick Foster, Caux Forum Director, CAUX-lofC Foundation Irina Fedorenko, Forum Coordinator, ILLP	Main Hall
20:45	Introduction to Dialogue Groups Bronwyn Lay and Peter Rundell, ILLP	Main Hall
<b>Wednesday, 12 July: Restoration</b>		
07:30-08:00	Morning Reflection Nombulelo Khanyile, lofC Elder	Bay Window
08:00-08:45	Breakfast	Dining Hall
09:15-09:40	Plenary (all participants) Mari Oumar Sall, The Lutheran World Federation (LWF)	Main Hall
09:45-11:00	Workshop streams: Restoration Business Peace and Land Governance	300E 400 300D
11:00-11:30	Morning break	
11:30-12:30	Workshop streams: Restoration Business Peace and Land Governance.	300E 400 300D
12:30-13:30	Lunch	Dining Hall
14:00	Networking and free time	Terrace
15:00-16:00	Dialogue Groups	
16:00-16:45	Tea break	Terrace

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16:45-18:15	<p>Plenary (all participants): Land Restoration Oppah Muchinguri-Kashiri, Minister for Environment, Zimbabwe Lauren Fletcher, CEO, BioCarbon Engineering Honorable Issa Mardo, Member of Parliament, Chad. Peter Rundell, ILLP [Moderator]</p>	Main Hall
18:30-19:15	Dinner	Dining Hall
20:30-21:30	<p>Fireside chat: intergenerational conversation. Julia Marton-Lefevre, former SG IUCN Luc Gnacadja, former SG UNCCD Garfield Hayes, Farmer, New Zealand Peju Adeosun and Wen Yu Weng [Moderators] Alternative: Restoration role play: Luea Ritter</p>	<p>Bay Window, Main Hall  400</p>

## Thursday, 13 July: Peace and Land Restoration

07:30-08:00	<p>Morning Reflection David Kennedy, Indigicate, Australia.</p>	Bay Window
08:00-08:45	Breakfast	Dining Hall
09:15-09:40	<p>Plenary (all participants) The role of women in Land Restoration and Peacebuilding - Jin In, Founder of 4Girls GLocal Leadership</p>	Main Hall
09:45-11:00	<p>Workshop streams: Restoration Business Peace and Land Governance</p>	<p>300E 400 300D</p>
11:00-11:30	Morning break	

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11:30-12:30	Workshop streams:	
	Restoration	300E
	Business	400
	Peace and Land Governance	300D
12:30-13:30	Lunch	Dining Hall
14:00-15:00	Networking and free time	
15:00-16:00	Dialogue Groups	
16:00	Tea break	Terrace
16:45-18:15	Plenary (all participants): Peace and Land Governance	
	Yousif el Tayeb, Executive Director, Darfur Development and Reconstruction Agency	
	Severine von Tscharnier Fleming, Founder, Greenhorns	Main hall
	Achim Wennmann, Senior Researcher, Graduate Institute Geneva	
	Judith Schwartz - Author (Moderator)	
18:30-19:15	Dinner	Dining Hall
20:30-21:30	Initiatives Fair + Invest in Peace reception	Main hall

## Friday, 14 July: Business Models

07:30-08:00	Morning Reflection Bremley Lyngdoh, WorldView Foundation.	Bay Window
08:00-08:45	Breakfast	Dining Hall
09:15-09:40	Plenary (all participants)	
	Emerging Leaders update and presentations.	
	Introduced by Wen-yu Weng, Emerging Leaders Programme / Carbon Trust; and Gwendoline Raban, IofC Australia	Main Hall
	Restoration projects pitches:	
	Matthew Ritchie, BioCarbon Engineering Sarah Toumi, Acacias for all	

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09:40-11:00	Workshop streams: Restoration Business Peace and Land Governance	300E 400 300D
11:00-11:30	Morning break	
11:30-12:30	Workshop streams: Restoration Business Peace and Land Governance	300E 400 300D
12:30-13:30	Lunch	Dining Hall
14:00-15:00	Networking and free time	
15:00-16:00	Dialogue Groups	
16:00	Tea break	Terrace
16:45-18:15	Plenary session in conjunction with Invest in Peace Forum (all participants): Business models and Investment: what works and opportunities for scale Peter Head, Ecological Sequestration Trust Richie Ahuia, Environmental Defense Fund Carl Pendragon, FOunder Skymining Sofia Faruqi, World Resources Institute Charly Kleissner, Impact Investor Martin Frick, Chair ILLP	Main Hall
18:30-19:15	Dinner	Dining Hall
20:30-21:30	Dialogue group round-up + open networking	Theatre
21:45	Above the Clouds, Invest in Peace Reception Alternative: Film: The Man who made Peace	Theatre

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## Saturday, 15 July

07:30-08:00	Reflection Luea Ritter, Stewardship	Bay Window
08:00-08:45	Breakfast	Dining Hall
09:00-10:30	Dialogue Group Feedback: Cross fertilisation session.	Main Hall
10:30	Morning break	
11:00-12:30	Plenary session in conjunction with Invest in Peace. Harvesting and closing remarks. Martin Frick, Chair, ILLP	Main Hall
12:30-13:15	Lunch	Dining Hall
14:00	Departures	