

2007 PCLG Annual Symposium – Participants List

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Alessandra Giuliani

Alessandra Giuliani works as a research assistant to the Poverty and Conservation Learning Group (PCLG), an initiative facilitated by IIED. Alessandra started her collaboration with the PCLG in 2005, after completing an MPhil in Environment and Development at Cambridge University.

Alex Songorwa

Alex Songorwa is Senior Lecturer at Sokoine University of Agriculture (SUA) in Tanzania, where he arrived in 2001 after many years spent in the Tanzanian Ministry of Natural Resources and Tourism as Senior Wildlife Officer. Alex is currently working on a number of locally and internationally funded research projects such as Advancing Conservation in a Social Context (ACSC) and Protected Areas and Poverty in Africa (PAPIA).

Andy Inglis

Andy Inglis has worked for the UN and IUCN, national governments and NGOs at the local, national and international levels, mainly with regard to community forestry but also participatory ways of working in many other sectors. He is currently a Forestry Adviser with DFID, covering Africa, presently involved in starting up the £50 million Congo Basin Fund.

Barney Dickson

Barney Dickson is Head of International Policy at FFI. One of his areas of work is the relationship between poverty and conservation at the international policy level, including within the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES). At this symposium he represents the Poverty & Conservation Working Group (PCWG), of which he is a founder member.

Bettina Hedden-Dunkhorst

Bettina Hedden-Dunkhorst coordinates the International Nature Conservation Division at the German Federal Agency for Nature Conservation (BfN). The Division currently runs a project related to nature conservation and poverty reduction with different activities in Germany and in selected partner countries. Bettina is an agricultural economist and over the years she has been involved in a number of research projects related to natural resource management and rural poverty, primarily in Southern Africa.

Brendan Bowles

Brendan Bowles is the Director of Climate Stewards, the global climate change initiative from A Rocha. Over the years, he has done development work in several countries in Africa, helped start a number of successful campaigns (including Jubilee 2000) and has been CEO of three non-profit organisations.

Brian Jones

Brian Jones is an independent consultant based in Namibia, who specialises in Community-based Natural Resource Management (CBNRM), policy analysis, research and development. Brian is currently working with the Namibian Ministry of Environment and Tourism's Integrated Community-based Ecosystem Management Project on research into the contribution of CBNRM to combating poverty in Namibia.

Charles Besançon

Charles Besançon is the head of the Protected Areas Programme at UNEP-WCMC where he has worked for nearly two years. Prior to that he was working as a consultant for IUCN's World Commission on Protected Areas in Africa on transboundary issues as well as conducting a peace and conflict impact assessment on mountain gorilla conservation in the transboundary region of Rwanda, Uganda and the Democratic Republic of Congo. His earlier career was spent as a park ranger in the Rocky Mountains in Montana in the USA.

David Thomas

David Thomas is Head of the Site Action Unit at the Secretariat to the BirdLife International Partnership in Cambridge. The unit mainly supports BirdLife Partners (national NGOs) with the planning, management, monitoring and evaluation of projects linking biodiversity conservation and livelihoods development

Dilys Roe

Dilys Roe is Senior Researcher on Agriculture and Biodiversity at IIED, where she has worked for more than 10 years. She specialises on the linkages between biodiversity conservation and poverty reduction, and on pro-poor tourism. Dilys is also the coordinator of the Poverty and Conservation Learning Group (PCLG).

Donato Bayubay Bumacas

Donato Bumacas is a Human Rights and Environmental Activists. Over the years he has founded and managed several organizations. Currently, Donato is the CEO of KAMICYDI, where he focuses his efforts on poverty reduction & biodiversity conservation through traditional knowledge systems best practice called Sustainable Indigenous Peoples Agricultural Technology (SIPAT).

Francisca Hubeek

Francisca Hubeek is a business administrator. Since March 2007 she has been working for WWF NL as an 'advisor Monitoring & Evaluation'. In this position, she is supporting WWF NL's effort to improve its transparency regarding the results and impacts of its work.

Glyn Davies

Glyn Davies is Director of Conservation at WWF-UK. He has 25 years experience with wildlife management, development policies and applied research in tropical countries, especially in the forestry sector. Glyn has previously worked for the Zoological Society of London, Department for International Development.

Gonzalo Oviedo

Gonzalo Oviedo is an anthropologist and environmentalist. Since March 2003, he is the Senior Adviser for Social Policy at the Headquarters of IUCN – The World Conservation Union, in Gland, Switzerland. In this position he facilitates IUCN's global work on topics such as livelihood security, poverty reduction, indigenous peoples and rural communities, and assists the IUCN programme worldwide on matters of social equity and human wellbeing.

Hannah Fairbank

Hannah Fairbank is a biodiversity and natural resources specialist with the US Agency for International Development. Her responsibilities include: technical support and management of conservation investments globally through the World Wildlife Fund and Enterprise Works/Vita, technical program design, procurement and evaluation for the Agency's biodiversity conservation portfolio in Asia and Latin America, and strategic/policy planning for the Agency's natural resource management portfolio addressing both biodiversity conservation and poverty alleviation priorities.

Hannah Reid

Hannah Reid is a Researcher on Climate Change at IIED. She specialises on the links between climate change and sustainable development, particularly from the perspective of developing countries.

Helle Biseth

Helle Biseth is an Adviser on Environmental Issues and Natural Resource Management with Norad. Helle, who has 20 years of work experience in the field of development cooperation, has previously been employed by the Norwegian Ministry of Development Cooperation, FAO, and various Norwegian Embassies.

Izabella Koziell

Izabella Koziell is currently Environment Adviser in DFID's Policy and Research Division, working on Biodiversity and Desertification issues. In the past she has made major contributions to the biodiversity - poverty debate, and has spent several years working in Tanzania, Kenya and Ghana.

Jenny Henman

Jenny Henman is Sustainable Development Programme Manager at Sustainable Forestry Management Ltd (SFM) where she works on project development and advocacy for land use and forestry projects which generate carbon credits. Prior to joining SFM Jenny was part of the Global Climate Change Initiative at The Nature Conservancy.

Joanna Durbin

Joanna Durbin is Director of the Climate, Community & Biodiversity Alliance, a partnership of leading conservation and development NGOs and private sector companies including CI, TNC, CARE, WCS, Rainforest Alliance, BP and SC Johnson working to catalyse a robust, global carbon market for land-based activities that simultaneously benefit global climate, local communities and biodiversity.

Joanna Elliott

Joanna Elliott is currently a Visiting Fellow in Biodiversity and Society at IIED and the Vice President for Program Design at the African Wildlife Foundation, headquartered in Nairobi. An Economist by training, she has an extensive background in biodiversity conservation, applied environmental economics and environmental policy work.

Jock Campbell

Jock Campbell started working as a marine zoologist some 30 years ago and progressed through rural development extension into development policy and planning. He has worked in about 40 countries. Jock is currently a director of, and consultant for, IMM Ltd based in Exeter, UK, where much of his work is concerned with empowering communities and improving the policy environment to enable aquatic resource-dependent poor people to improve their livelihoods on a sustainable basis.

Katherine Homewood

Katherine Homewood originally trained as a biologist and has worked in the UCL Anthropology department, where she leads the Human Ecology Research Group, for 25 years. The group aims to integrate social and natural sciences approaches to studying, on the one hand, how natural resource management impacts on people's livelihoods and welfare, and, on the other, how people's changing land use impacts on environment and biodiversity.

Kent Redford

Kent Redford has worked for ten years for the Wildlife Conservation Society with a variety of charges. He is now Director of the WCS Institute, a small group that works across the zoo and field side of the organization, developing strategies, addressing emerging topics, and working to achieve greater conservation outcomes from WCS's work.

Kule Chitepo

Kule Chitepo is Executive Director of ResourceAfrica. In this position, Kule has been responsible for all aspects of general and strategic management of this international development agency. Kule has developed and facilitated a wide range of forums from community dialogue to international policy bodies. Extensive experience has been gained in working with government at all levels, throughout SADC, and with NEPAD, the EU, the UN and the international finance institutions.

Lera Miles

Lera Miles works in the Climate Change and Biodiversity programme at UNEP-WCMC, with a primary focus on the biodiversity impacts of climate policy. Lera's key areas of work include the biodiversity impacts of reducing emissions from deforestation, and of biofuel development.

Linda Siegle

Linda Siegle is a Staff lawyer at FIELD. Linda's recent experience with FIELD includes work on intellectual property, traditional knowledge and biodiversity issues in the context of the negotiation of an international access and benefit sharing regime. Linda supports small island developing states in both the international biodiversity and climate change negotiating sessions.

Maria Berlekom

Maria Berlekom is a biologist by training who has worked for 20 years with sustainable management and good governance of natural resources and the environment in a development cooperation context. Since 2003 Maria has worked as Programme Director at SwedBio – a Sida-initiated programme at the Swedish Biodiversity Centre. SwedBio focuses on increasing understanding and considerations of the linkages between biodiversity and poverty alleviation.

Matt Walpole

Matt Walpole is a conservation biologist focusing on the interface between local communities and wildlife conservation in Africa, Asia and Latin America. He is currently Director of the Biodiversity & Human Needs Programme at Fauna & Flora International (FFI) one of the world's longest established international conservation organisations.

Matthew Hatchwell

Matthew Hatchwell has worked for the Wildlife Conservation Society (WCS) for over 20 years, in New York, the Republic of Congo, Madagascar, and now in Europe. One of his interests in the past 7-8 years has been working out how to use the emerging carbon market to help achieve biodiversity conservation objectives and to improve the livelihoods of rural people in developing countries in sustainable ways.

Meike Kretschmar

Meike Kretschmar is project manager for linking conservation and poverty issues at the German Federal Agency for Nature Conservation (BfN), Division for International Nature Conservation. Meike is currently working towards a Code of Conduct for organisations active on the interface of poverty alleviation and conservation, to enhance synergies and avoid conflicts.

Michelle Kalamandeen is the Project Coordinator of the Guyana Marine Turtle Conservation Society (GMTCS) in Guyana. Michelle is also the Scientific Officer of the Centre for the Study of Biological Diversity, Department of Biology, University of Guyana and oftentimes these two roles merge especially in education and research.

Mike Morris

Mike Morris is a development practitioner interested in and exercised by the challenge of integrating specific initiatives with community development aims and the wider aspirations of scaling-up interventions and optimising governance. He is presently the social development adviser at WWF-UK, seeking to help WWF and its partners find workable balances between the aspirations of conservation and national governments and the well-being of local communities.

Minnie Degawan

Minnie Degawan works for the International Alliance of Indigenous and Tribal Peoples of the Tropical Forests (IAITPTF), where she coordinates efforts to facilitate and enhance the participation of indigenous peoples in the CBD process. Minnie has experience of working both at the community and at the international level.

Neil Burgess

Neil Burgess is a conservation scientist specialising in Africa who works for WWF US. In particular he is involved with looking at protected areas in terms of coverage, management effectiveness, biological and social outcomes. Neil is also partly based at UNEP-WCMC, which is also interested in understanding if protected areas deliver costs or benefits at various scales.

Peter O'Hara

Peter O'Hara is a Participatory Natural Resource Management Specialist working with LTS international, a small independent development related consultancy company based in Scotland. Peter has spent most of the last 12 years living and working in Africa and SE Asia focusing on participatory policy process development and facilitating participatory workshops and training courses.

Peter van Sluijs

Peter van Sluijs has a background in Political Science and Development Economics. In the past he has worked for the Institute of Social Studies in The Hague and UNDP in Sri Lanka and Jamaica. Currently Peter is working as Coordinator for NP.net: the Nature & Poverty Knowledge and Learning Network at IUCN Netherlands Committee (IUCN NL) in Amsterdam.

Robert Tumwesigye Baganda

Robert Tumwesigye Baganda has been working in the field of environmental conservation for seven years

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Sarah McIntosh

Sarah McIntosh, CANARI's Executive Director, has over 25 years experience as a senior manager and consultant in both the non-governmental and private sectors. Sarah is currently project leader for CANARI's Civil Society and Governance Programme, she co-manages the Forests and Livelihoods Programme, and is part of the Steering Committee for CANARI's Climate Change and Biodiversity project.

Sascha Müller-Kraenner

Sascha Müller-Kraenner is Senior Policy Adviser and the European representative to The Nature Conservancy. Sascha serves on the Advisory Board of the Humboldt Institution on Transatlantic Issues, he is a Member of the Working Group on Global Issues of the German Council on Foreign Relations, the German Society for the United Nations, Birdlife Germany, as well as of the Indo-German Forum on International Environmental Governance.