

**Carbon Finance for Forestry and Agriculture projects  
Training Course  
December 15, 2005  
Room MC 4-800**

8:30 **Breakfast**

9:00 **World Bank's carbon finance strategy**

Why is the World Bank involved in climate change mitigation? What are the various funds and capacity building instruments? What does carbon finance approach paper recently approved by the Board provide for?

(Charles Cormier, ENVCF)

9:30 **Introduction to basic carbon sequestration science**

What is the link between vegetation and soils and climate change mitigation and adaptation? What is additionality? What types of forestry activities are allowed?

(Ian Noble, ENV)

10:30 **BioCarbon Fund overview**

What is the fund's rationale? How are prices formed? What methodologies are used? How does the BioCF fit in the carbon market?

(Benoit Bosquet, ENVCF)

11:30 **Carbon sequestration monitoring**

How and how often do you measure carbon sequestered in biomass and soils? How much does it cost?

(Ian Noble, ENV)

12:15 **Lunch**

13:15 **World Bank and CDM project cycles**

How do the two projects cycles relate to each other? What is the LCR initiative in mainstreaming carbon finance into regional operations?

(Alejandro Deeb, LCSFU)

15:00 **Safeguards and BioCF projects**

How do safeguard policies apply to BioCF projects, and for how long are we responsible?

(Jean-Roger Mercier, ESDQC)

15:30 **Legal due diligence in BioCF projects**

How is the right to selling carbon from a sequestration project established? What is the risk of such a transaction being challenged?

(Christopher Carr, LEGCF)

16:00 **Wrap-up**

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