

## REDD+ for the Guiana Shield

Working group Meeting 6 – CMRV systems in the Guiana Shield  
Guyana – 24<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> August

### Preliminary Agenda

This preliminary agenda has been built in collaboration with WWF–Guianas, WWF-Forest and Climate Program ([http://wwf.panda.org/what\\_we\\_do/footprint/forest\\_climate2/about/](http://wwf.panda.org/what_we_do/footprint/forest_climate2/about/)) and Global Canopy Program (<http://www.globalcanopy.org/>). It might be slightly modified, including to take into consideration comments from the *REDD+ for the Guiana Shield* Steering Committee members.

The Working Group Meeting will start on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> afternoon (2pm, still to be confirmed) and last until Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> after lunch (2pm, tbc).

Venue: Arrowpoint Resort facilities (<http://www.roraimairways.com/wp/resorts/arrowpoint-nature-resort/>)

More details will be provided to participants as soon as possible on the logistics.

### Monday 24th August

*Lunch – Arrowpoint facilities*

#### Session 1 - Introduction to CMRV and its status in the participating countries (1 day)

**Welcoming remarks - Program and objectives of WGM6**

**Introduction to CMRV**

What is CMRV and where is it happening?

Afternoon

**CMRV in the national or regional REDD+ agenda**

CMRV contributions to international agreements (CBD, REDD+, FLEGT)

Legal framework for CMRV-NMRV integration Land tenure and CMRV

Co-Benefits and linkages with REDD+ Safeguards (social), biodiversity, etc

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### Tuesday 25th August

**Country presentations**

Suriname, French Guiana and Amapá have 15-20 minutes each to present the status of CMRV and NMRV or forest monitoring systems in their country

Morning

**Roundtable**

Discussion, questions and answers.

*Lunch*

**Session 2 - Impact and results of CMRV initiatives and their inclusion in NMRV - Case studies (1 day)**

**Case study** – Guyana

**Afternoon Case study** Beyond the Guiana Shield  
(Acre (Brasil)/RDC/Indonesia/Papua New Guinea/Vietnam)  
Sharing lessons learned

**Wednesday 26th August**

**Session 2 - Impact and results of CMRV initiatives and their inclusion in NMRV (cont.)**

**Morning** **How can we integrate local initiatives of CMRV in the National MRV System?** Small working groups: What have been the main challenges, achievements and significant lessons learned?

**Roundtable**  
Discussion, questions and answers

**Session 3 - Using Technology to support the inclusion of CMRV in NMRV system (1 day)**

**Afternoon Introduction to the session**  
**Existing tools and methods** (for literate and non-literate users)  
**When to use technology?** (benefits and challenges)  
**Sharing lessons learned from practice**

**Roundtable**  
Discussion, questions and answers.

**Thursday, 27th August**

**Session 3 - Using Technology to support the inclusion of CMRV in NMRV system (cont.)**

**Morning Practical exercise**  
ODK tools

**Concluding roundtable**  
Discussion, Q&A, Lessons learned  
Evaluation of the WGM

*Lunch and departure*

**List of speakers (to be confirmed)**

Speaker	Institution
David Sabogal	Global Canopy Program
Maria Fernanda Jaramillo Botero	WWF – Colombia
Training team	WWF - Guyana
Chuck Hutchison	WWF – Guyana
Naikoa Aguilar-Amuchastegui	WWF – US
Christelle Ndagijimana	ONFI
Sara Svensson	ONFI

**List of participating institutions (to be confirmed)**

Global Canopy Program (GCP)
Guyana Forestry Commission (GFC)
Instituto Estadual das Florestas (IEF)
Iwokrama International Center
Nationaal Instituut voor Milieu & Ontwikkeling in Suriname (NIMOS)
North Rupununi District Development Board (NRDBB)
Office National des Forêts (ONF)
Office of Climate Change (OCC)
ONF International
Secretaria Estadual do Meio Ambiente (SEMA)
Stichting voor Bosbeheer en Bostoezicht (SBB)
World Wild Fund (WWF)