Working Group on Capacity Building

Conclusions of the 10th meeting
27-28 November 2018
AG2

- Presentations given on recent experiences in the measurement of the GBEP indicators:
  - Paraguay
  - Vietnam
  - Ethiopia
  - Kenya
  - Egypt - Three Desert Governorates
  - Ghana and Togo - Capacity development
  - FORBIO - the experience in Germany, Italy and Ukraine
  - Second implementation in Germany
• Overview given on the 6th Bioenergy Week held in Buenos Aires, Argentina 16-18 October 2018

• Announcement of the willingness of the Philippines to host the 7th Bioenergy Week in Manila
  – Exact dates to be determined (June 2019)
  – Philippines expressed their commitment to supporting the local costs of the event but ask for Partners and Observers to support further the international costs
  – Inputs for the agenda and potential speakers are requested from P&Os by 18 Jan 2019
• Activities in 2018:
  – Session on “Exchange of experiences and opportunities on wood energy” at the 2018 Bioenergy Week in Argentina
  – Discussion Forum at the Global Landscape Forum to be held in Bonn, 1-2 December 2018, entitled “Contribution of a sustainable wood energy production approach to Forest Landscape Restoration (FLR) in Sub-Saharan Africa (SSA)”

• Proposed activities for 2019:
  – Organisation of a session at Bioenergy Week in Philippines
  – Interest will explored on new thematic areas under the AG on woody biomass for forest landscape restoration and sustainable livelihoods – P&Os are invited to express interest to join the discussion under AG4 by 18 Jan 2019
Progress report on the stocktaking paper given
  – Results from regional analysis in Africa and LAC were presented
  – Regional analysis in Asia will occur in 2019
  – Final draft will be prepared for the 11th Meeting of WGCB in Nov 2019

Webinars developed in collaboration with INTA and Michigan State University on the BiogasDoneRight model
  – Translation will be finished by Feb 2019
  – Webinars to be held in both Spanish and English across different geographical regions
The Scope of Work for the group was discussed and agreed upon
AG8 on Advanced Liquid Biofuels was formally established
Thank you