



## Press Briefings and Media Conferences

Press briefings and media conferences will be held at two different sites at the University of Warsaw.

■ Kazimierzowski Palace, Senate Hall

■ Room 106 of the Old Library Building

See Map for details.

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#### Follow the conference online at:

Twitter: #GLFCOP19

Paper.li: LandscapesNews.org

Blog: Landscapes.org/blog

#### Photos:

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For photos of landscapes that you can use, go to [flickr.com/people/cgiarclimate](http://flickr.com/people/cgiarclimate) and [flickr.com/photos/cifor](http://flickr.com/photos/cifor)

#### Live streaming video:

Selected sessions of the Global Landscapes Forum will be streamed live on the Internet. Go to [Landscapes.org](http://Landscapes.org) during the conference. All videos will be available immediately after on the site.

#### Press release:

A press release after the Global Landscapes Forum will be sent to all media by 6 p.m. on Sunday, 17 November.

### Friday, 15 November 2013

**TIME** 11:00–11:45

**LOCATION** Kazimierzowski Palace, Senate Hall, University of Warsaw

#### The Global Landscape Forum's goals and importance to international climate discussions and negotiations

Participants at the **Global Landscapes Forum** will seek to devise solutions for one of the most pressing challenges of our time: **Can we grow enough food for 9 billion people without destroying the planet's forests and accelerating climate change?** This event represents the most intensive effort yet to place these themes on the global agenda as a single "landscape" concept, and to link this concept to the Sustainable Development Goals.

**Moderator:** Professor Piotr Paschalis-Jakubowicz

#### Speakers:

- **Stanisław Kalemba**, Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development
- **Janusz Zaleski**, Undersecretary in Ministry of Environment
- **Peter Holmgren**, CIFOR Director General
- **Lindiwe Sibanda**, FANRPAN (Food, Agriculture and Natural Resources Policy Analysis Network) CEO
- **Alojzy Nowak**, University of Warsaw Vice-Rector for Research and Cooperation



## Saturday, 16 November 2013

### Morning

**TIME** 11:30–12:00, Saturday 16 November

**LOCATION** Room 106 of the Old Library Building, University of Warsaw

#### **What climate change looks like in the South, East and West of Africa**

##### **Book authors to give exclusive African insights into the vagaries of climate change**

Kenyan farmers may not only survive, but could even thrive in the face of climate change. Such is the message of a new series of book to be exclusively launched at the Global Landscapes Forum. The monograph series of three books address the different effects of climate change in Africa. Each book focuses on the specific concerns of distinct African regions—South, East, and West. Launching one of the books at the Global Landscapes Forum will provide a rare opportunity to bring together key authors and to discuss the different climate change scenarios in each of these regions.

#### **Speakers:**

**Timothy Thomas**, Senior Researcher at the International Food and Policy Institute.

Co-author of *“East African Agriculture and Climate Change: A Comprehensive Analysis”*.

**Sepo Hachingonta**, Manager climate change initiatives on adaptation and mitigation for the Food, Agriculture and Natural Resources Policy Analysis Network’s (FANRPAN’s).

**Nilar Andrea Chit Tun**, Communications Specialist for the Environment and Production Technology Division (EPTD) and the Agricultural Science and Technology Indicators (ASTI) at IFPRI.

### Lunch

**TIME** 13:00–13:30, Saturday 16 November

**LOCATION** Room 106 of the Old Library Building, University of Warsaw

#### **From Facebook farming to Uganda’s post-war forests**

##### **Ten young entrepreneurs kick start the Global Landscapes Forum**

Be it Facebook farming, social forestry, agribusiness, climate policy or lands rights advocacy, young people are inspiring the world to achieve sustainable landscapes. They will be speaking during the morning of the first day of the Global Landscapes Forum. At this press conference, the first five speakers will speak for one minute each and then take questions; then the final five speakers will speak for one minute each and then take questions. Each session will run for 20 minutes.

These 10 presenters were the best from 150 submissions from over 50 countries, each illustrating how engaged young people are in “landscape approaches” for sustainable environmental and economic development in a climate-changing world.

### Afternoon

**TIME** 16:00–16:30, Saturday 16 November

**LOCATION** Room 106 of the Old Library Building, University of Warsaw

#### **Exactly what is the landscapes concept?**

Landscapes consist of many components – forests, agricultural lands, logging concessions, towns, roadways and recreational areas. Traditionally these are all managed separately, but scientists are arguing that because they are all linked together and have an effect on each other, they should be managed in an integrated fashion. For example, 75 per cent of our water comes from land covered in forests, so what happens in the forests affects everyone who depends on water.

**Moderator:** Toss Gascoigne

#### **Speakers:**

**Terry Sunderland**, Principal Scientist, Forests and Livelihoods programme at CIFOR

**James Kinyangi**, East Africa regional program leader, CCAFS

**Sara Scherr**, President and CEO of Ecoagriculture Partners

## Sunday 17 November 2013

### Morning

**TIME** 10:35–11:00, Sunday 17 November  
**LOCATION** Kazimierzowski Palace, Senate Hall, Warsaw University

#### What are the problems? Why the need for a Global Landscapes Forum?

Too often, land-use planning and policy is focused on “silos” of agricultural production, forestry harvests, urban planning and biodiversity protection. Too often the focus of climate change mitigation and adaptation policies are based on targets that forget about the issues that are driving rising carbon emissions, especially in developing countries. The Global Landscapes Forum is about integrating all aspects of the landscape — including people, culture and institutions — into research and policy to sustainably manage land and resources, and to help mitigate and adapt to climate change.

**Moderator:** Toss Gascoigne

**Speakers:**

**Rachel Kyte**, Vice President for sustainable development at the World Bank - TBC

**Braulio Ferreira de Souza**, Executive Secretary of the Convention on Biological Diversity, Brazil

**Ruth Defries**, Earth Institute, Columbia University, US

**Marcin Korolec**, Polish Minister for the Environment and President of the UNFCCC COP19, Poland

### Lunch

**TIME** 12:40–13:10, Sunday 17 November  
**LOCATION** Room 106 of the Old Library Building, University of Warsaw

#### Post IPCC report – framing landscapes, forests, agriculture and rural development

The U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) released its fifth climate assessment report in September, confirming speculation that human activities are the main cause of climate change since the mid-20th century. Taken together, forestry and agriculture (the leading driver of deforestation) currently make up around 30% of global emissions.

So what does this latest assessment mean for forests and agriculture, in context of landscapes?

**Moderator:** Toss Gascoigne

**Speakers:**

**Lou Verchot**, Director, Forests and Environment Program, CIFOR, Indonesia

**Bruce Campbell**, Program Director, CGIAR, Denmark

**Antonio G. M. La Viña**, School of Government, Ateneo de Manila University, Philippines

**Selam Abebe**, Negotiator for the Federal Environmental Protection Authority, Ethiopia

**Agata Cieszewska**, Geographer, environmental planner, and associate professor at the Department of Landscape Architecture, University of Life Sciences, Warsaw, Poland

### Afternoon

**TIME** 13:15–13:40, Sunday 17 November  
**LOCATION** Room 106 of the Old Library Building, University of Warsaw

#### BOOK LAUNCH – Climate-smart agriculture success stories

To ensure a food-secure future, farming must become climate resilient. Around the world, governments and communities are adopting innovations that are improving the lives of millions while reducing agriculture’s climate footprint. The new booklet **Climate Smart Agriculture Success Stories from Farming Communities around the World** shows how climate-smart agriculture can be successful. These examples from countries around the world show the many ways climate-smart agriculture can take shape, and should serve as inspiration for future policies and investments.

**Speakers:**

**Bruce Campbell**, Program Director, CCAFS, Denmark

**Michael Hailu**, Director, Technical Center for Agricultural and Rural Cooperation, Ethiopia

<b>High Level Press Conference Room</b>
Senate Hall Kazimierzowski Palace

<b>KAZIMIERZOWSKI PALACE</b>
1st Floor Senate Hall Golden Hall Hall

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Basement Cloakroom
Ground Floor A. Mickiewicz Hall Room A Room B Room C Room D

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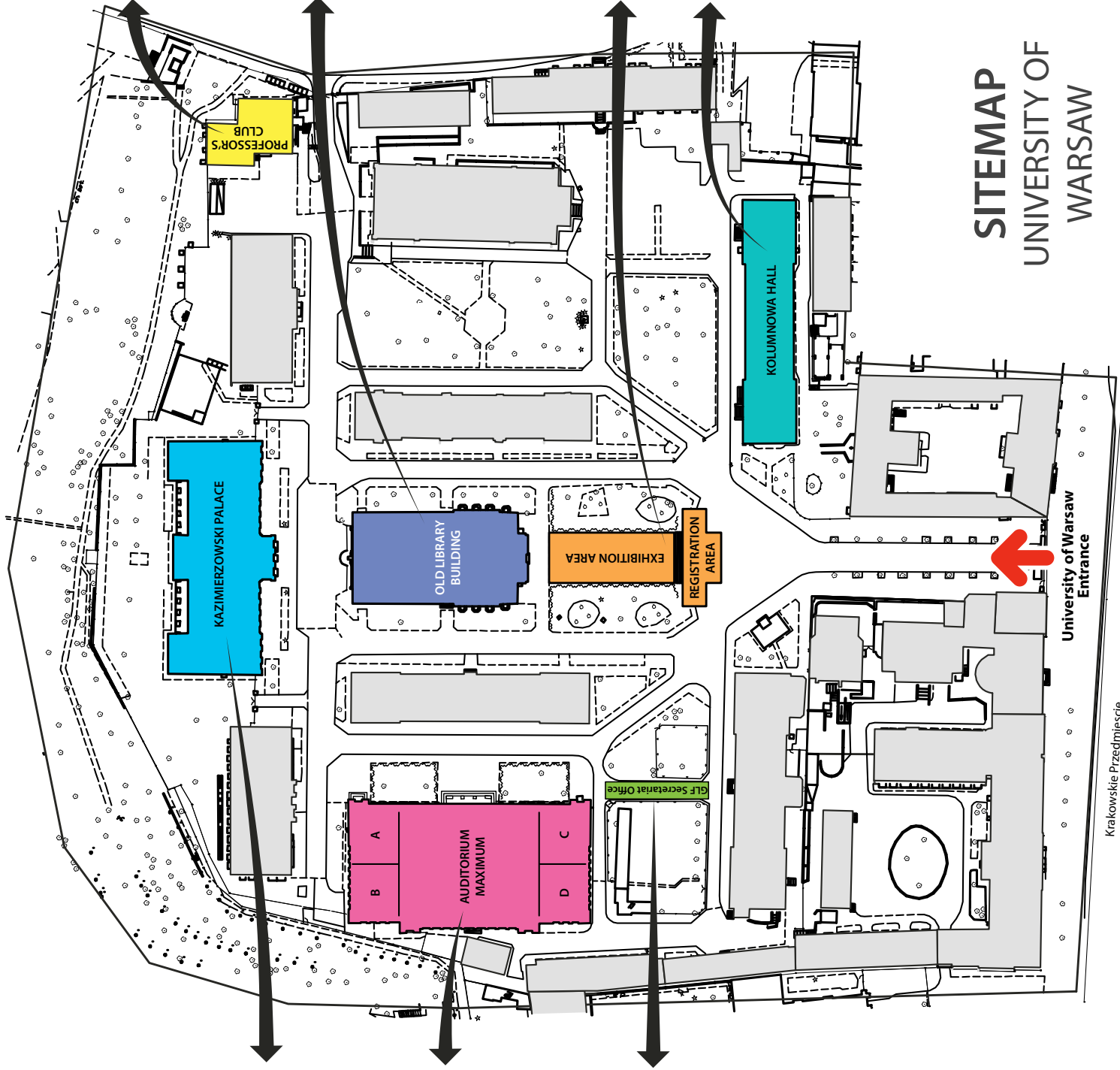
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Room 106 in Old Library

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2nd Floor Room 205 Room 207 Room 209 Room (211, 212 & 213) Room (214, 215 & 216)
3rd Floor Room 308

<b>Registration &amp; Exhibition Area</b>
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