

UN-REDD
PROGRAMME



UNEP- UN-REDD Team Retreat

**Windsor Hotel
Nairobi**

13 – 16th January 2014



Introductions

Find one person in the group who can teach you to say **hello** or **good morning** in a language you have not spoken before.

When you have learnt it, we will go around and you have 10 seconds to say hi in your new language and any few words you want to say about yourself to your colleagues... try and find something no one knows about you

Objectives

- ④ **To outline the key elements of a + 2015 UN-REDD programme strategy**
- ④ **Improve delivery of Country and regional support**
- ④ **Strengthen inter-agency coordination – delivering as one UN**
- ④ **Plan and ensure clear responsibilities for 2014- 2015 activities**

How are we going to do that?

Today: share what you are doing (General overview, 3 regions, 2 ‘ think tanks’)and reflect on

- ④ What are the significant achievements?
- ④ What worked well?
- ④ What could have gone better?

- ④ What could be done differently? How can delivery rates be improved? What is the way forward in 2014/ 2015 and 2015+

Day Two: Tuesday

- ④ **Work together to map out how to increase UNEP UN-REDD country and regional support**
- ④ **Envision UNEPs role in a 2015+ REDD programme**
- ④ **Share updates from the other agencies**
- ④ **Start the three training components**

Day Three: Wednesday

- ④ Continue with three training sessions:- safeguards and multiple benefits, the green economy, private sector engagement.
- ④ Reflect on how to realistically implement the three training topics into everyone's work.
- ④ Start to draft the key messages for managers

Day Three: Thursday

- ④ Refine key messages to senior management and make a concrete framework for the way forward

Working agreements

- ❖ Come back from breaks/lunch on time
- ❖ Computers and phones off – avoid ‘texting under the table’
- ❖ One head does not contain all the wisdom – Ghana
- ❖ If two wise men always agree then there is not need for one of them - Zambian proverb
- ❖ Elders choose their words – Kenya
- ❖ Happiness is openness to all people - Africa
- ❖ He who thinks he is leading and has no one following him, is only taking a walk - Malawi
- ❖ When the wind of change blows, some build walls, while others build windmills.
- ❖ The wise aim at boundaries beyond the present; they transcend the parameters of their origins. _ Africa