

*Public Talk*

# **Global Forest Tenure, Rights and Resources**

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Dr. Sunderlin's research involves monitoring poverty and forest tenure trends and analyzing the relationship between human wellbeing and forest resources. In this talk, he will discuss forest tenure rights in relation to maintaining and improving the livelihoods of people living in or near forests and, protecting and restoring forests and biodiversity. He will report on his research in 25 of the 30 most forested countries and discuss priorities for improving tenure for forest peoples and particular challenges in light of the components of emerging international carbon markets that allow credits for reductions in CO2 emissions for preventing deforestation and degradation of forests (REDD).

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