

NOV 5 | MUSEUM OF WORLD CULTURE, GOTHENBURG
NOV 6 | GOTHENBURG CENTRE FOR SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT (GMV), GOTHENBURG

FOCALI ANNUAL MEETING & 10-YEAR ANNIVERSARY

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PROGRAM DAY 1

At the Museum of World Culture | Open to members, partners and friends

09:40-10:00 Registration and coffee

10:00-10:45 Welcome - the Focali river | Room 2

Source, current flow and downstream goals, presented by the Focali secretariat, members and partners

10:45-11:00 Networking game | Room 2

11:00-12:00 Panel: The role of science and networks in times of populism and climate crisis | Room 3

12:00-13:15 Lunch and optional visit of Human-Nature exhibition

13:15-15:00 Parallel thematic sessions: Speedtalks on Focali themes by members and partners | Room 2 and 3

15:00-15:30 Coffee break and mingle

15:30-16:45 World Café: Bridging research - policy - practice for informed action | Intro Room 3

16:45-17:00 Wrap-up and input to Focali downstream goals | Room 3

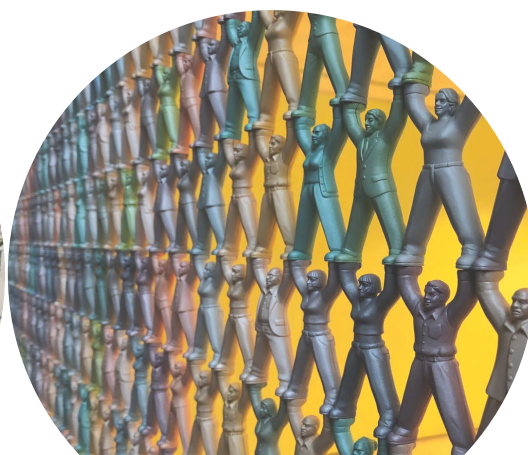
17:00-18:00 Optional meetings or mingle

*Free mingle time
with other
participants*

ROOM 2
*Agroforestry
Network meeting
for partners and
interested*

MINGLE AREA
*Input to 2020
plans Focali and
the Focali-SIANI
collaboration*

18:00-21:00 Dinner and 10-year celebration!



PANEL 11:00-12:00

The role of Science and networks in times of populism and climate crisis

How can researchers and actors within the forest, landscape, climate and livelihood nexus better connect and reach out? | Room: 3

Moderators:

Harry Fischer, Associate Senior Lecturer SLU & Maria Ölund, Project Manager Focali

Panelists:



Andrea J. Nightingale, is Professor of Geography at the University of Oslo and part-time senior research at the Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences where she was previously Chair of Rural Development in the Global South. Andrea specializes in climate change, conflict, feminist studies, development and political ecology and has been Environmental Social Scientist at the School of Global Studies at University of Gothenburg. She has also worked in Nepal for over thirty years on natural resource governance where she maintains a vibrant research collaboration. Her forthcoming book is *Environment and Sustainability in a Globalizing World*, Routledge, 2019.



Maria Schultz, Director of Vi-Agroforestry and Chair of Agroforestry Network, has previous work experience as Regional Director for We Effect in Southern Africa, based in Zambia, Director of Swedbio and Director of policy at Stockholm Resilience Centre. She has previous experience from Sida, the Ministry of Environment, and as Head of the International Department at the Swedish Society for Nature Conservation. She has earlier worked in Ecuador for a Quichua organization, and has also negotiated international environmental conventions for Sweden.



Martin Hultman, Associate professor in science-, technology- and environmental studies at the Department of Technology Management and Economics at Chalmers University of Technology, and research leader of Centre for Studies of Climate Change Denialism (CEFORCED). In his research Martin focus on questions as "Why don't we act when we have known the challenges of climate change for over thirty years?" To find answers he conducts in-depth empirical studies combining concepts from ecofeminism, posthumanities, discourse analysis and actor-network theory.



Stephen Woroniecki, is PhD candidate at LUCSUS - Lund University Centre for Sustainability Studies, with a Master's degree in Social-Ecological Resilience for Sustainable Development at Stockholm University. Stephen has rich work experience on nature-society interactions from the Climate Change and Biodiversity programme of UN Environment-World Conservation Monitoring Centre, and the UN-REDD programme where he focused on spatial planning, safeguards and multiple benefits as well as on Ecosystem-based Adaptation to climate change. Stephen is further an aspiring writer and activist.



Esse Nilsson, is Senior Policy Specialist for Agriculture and Food security at Sida since 2018, but has worked at Sida since 2005 as policy adviser for poverty, participation and development and as programme manager for regional water resources in MENA. She holds an MA in Rural Social Development from the University of Reading, UK, and has worked for many years with agricultural research, e.g. at the Social Development Department of DFID, London, and with Swedish and British NGOs and consultancy companies on rural development mainly in Bangladesh and India. She holds a vocational qualification in organic gardening and studies part-time for an additional MA in Economic History with a focus on global food systems.

THEMATIC SESSIONS 13:15-15:00

SESSION: Tropical forests, climate and livelihood

Moderator: Johan Uddling | Room: 2

How to save and restore forests in the Agenda 2030 spirit? | Anders Malmer, International Coordinator, Swedish Forest Agency

Felling forests from afar: tropical deforestation driven by agricultural expansion and international trade | Florence Pendrill, PhD candidate Department of Space, Earth and Environment, Division of Physical Resource Theory, Chalmers University of Technology

(VIDEO) News from the front: recent numbers from monitoring systems and field operations in the Brazilian Amazon | Ana Paula Aguiar, Researcher, Stockholm Resilience Centre at Stockholm University

Policy options for EU (and other) consumer countries in reducing tropical deforestation | Martin Persson Associate Professor, Department of Space, Earth and Environment, Physical Resource Theory, Chalmers University of Technology

Institutional innovations & sustainable agricultural supply chains | Mairon G. Bastos Lima, Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Space, Earth and Environment, Physical Resource Theory, Chalmers University of Technology

(VIDEO) Financial giants and the Amazon – reflecting on recent actions | Alice Dauriach, PhD candidate, Global Economic Dynamics and the Biosphere at the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences and Stockholm Resilience Centre at Stockholm University.

Evolution of nitrogen cycling in regrowing Amazonian rainforest | Tobias Rütting, Associate Professor Biogeochemistry, Department of Earth Sciences University of Gothenburg

Tropical trees in a changing climate | Johan Uddling, Professor, Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences, University of Gothenburg

Tropical montane forest in a warming world – findings from field experiments in Rwanda | Göran Wallin, Senior lecturer, Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences, University of Gothenburg

Temperature responses of leaf photosynthesis and respiration in tropical montane trees | Eric Mirindi Dusenge, EU Marie Curie Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences, University of Gothenburg

Drivers of heat- and drought-induced mortality in tropical montane trees | Maria Wittemann, PhD candidate, Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences, University of Gothenburg

Actors and context in forest governance for REDD+ with the case from Vietnam | Thao Do Jorgensen, previously Governance specialist at UNDP in Vietnam, now freelance consultant

Good Wood: A new paradigm for restorative & sustainable forest management | Rosa Goodman, Associate Senior Lecturer, Dept. Forest Ecology and Management SLU & SLU Global coordinator for the Forest Faculty

Doing more with less: resource efficiency for sustainable bioenergy production in Indonesia | Fumi Harahap, PhD candidate, Division of Energy and Climate Studies (ECS), Department of Energy Technology, KTH Royal Institute of Technology



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THEMATIC SESSIONS 13:15-15:00

SESSION: Landscapes, climate and livelihood

Moderator: Jenny Friman | Room: 3

Forests, Climate and Livelihoods – perspectives from upland Myanmar | Laura Kmoch, PhD candidate, Department of Space, Earth and Environment, Division of Physical Resource Theory, Chalmers University of Technology

Lessons learned about participation and rural action from climate-smart villages in Vietnam | Elisabeth Simelton, PhD Climate-change scientist, ICRAF Vietnam

How are disproportionately-vulnerable groups affected by nature-based solutions to climate change; evidence from Sri Lanka | Stephen Woroniecki, PhD candidate, LUCSUS - Lund University Centre for Sustainability Studies

Landscape transformation and livelihood impacts from tree plantations: Evidence from North India | Harry Fischer, Associate Senior Lecturer, Division of Rural Development, SLU

(VIDEO) Multifunctional, land-based, production systems for ecosystem restoration | Henrik Haller, Senior lecturer, Department of Ecotechnology and Sustainable Building Engineering, Mid Sweden University

Drained organic soils a global hotspot of greenhouse gas emissions | Åsa Kasimir, Researcher, Department of Earth Sciences, University of Gothenburg

Blue Green City Lab and Digital Forest | Eskil Mattsson, Project Manager, Swedish Environmental Research Institute - IVL

SIANI expert group: Empowering women in Uganda through agroforestry | Mauricio Sagastuy, Chairman, Agroforestry Center – Gothenburg

New Approaches to Tenure Reform in sub-Saharan Africa | Lasse Krantz, Guest-researcher at the Unit of Human Geography, University of Gothenburg

(VIDEO) Using trees to restore soil hydraulic properties in tropical African drylands: The five Ws? | Aida Bargués Tobella, Postdoctoral researcher, Department of Forest Ecology and Management, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU) & World Agroforestry Centre (ICRAF) Kenya

Why does SIWI get involved in resilient landscapes? | Anna Tengberg, PhD, Programme Manager Swedish International Water Institute, SIWI

From an idea to a book – the case of success stories on multifunctional land uses in Africa | Madelene Ostwald, Docent, Gothenburg Centre for Sustainable Development, GMV & Theme Leader Multifunctional Landscapes AgriFoSe2030

Understanding the relative impact of our consumption patterns on terrestrial biodiversity | Louisa Durkin, Master's student, Gothenburg Global Biodiversity Center, University of Gothenburg

Don't panic. Cooperate! Biodiversity in a time of crisis | Allison Perrigo, PhD, Director, Gothenburg Global Biodiversity Centre GGBC & Project Manager, Antonelli Lab

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WORLD CAFÉ 15:30-16:45

Bridging research - policy - practice for informed action

Intro in room 3

Participants and table hosts discuss sub-questions to each theme to identify key gaps and challenges – What needs to be done to address the challenges and how can this be achieved? Who to influence for change and by whom?

Tables are hosted by Focali members and partners on submitted themes. Further instructions about the exercise and more information about each theme will be provided in the introduction of the session.

Facilitators: Laura Kmoch, Chalmers, Olof Drakenberg, GMV, Anders Ekbohm, GMV

Table themes and hosts

Avoiding tropical deforestation | Room 3

Martin Persson, Chalmers and Maria Rydlund, Swedish Society for Nature Conservation

Forest and landscape restoration | Room 3

Anna Tengberg and Malin Gustafsson SIWI

Agroforestry and multifunctional land-use | Room 3

Maria Schultz, Agroforestry Network and Madeleine Fogde, SIANI

The art of translating science into policy and practice | Room 2

Madelene Ostwald and Linda Hansson, GMV & AgriFoSe2030

Biodiversity in a time of crisis - don't panic, cooperate! | Room 2

Ulrika Palme & Allison Perrigo, GGBC

Better governance - How do we effectively divert from business as usual? | Room 2

Mairon G. Bastos Lima, Chalmers and Trase-Earth at SEI

What counts as transformative change? | Room 2

Andrea Nightingale, University of Oslo and SLU and Stephen Woroniecki, Lund University

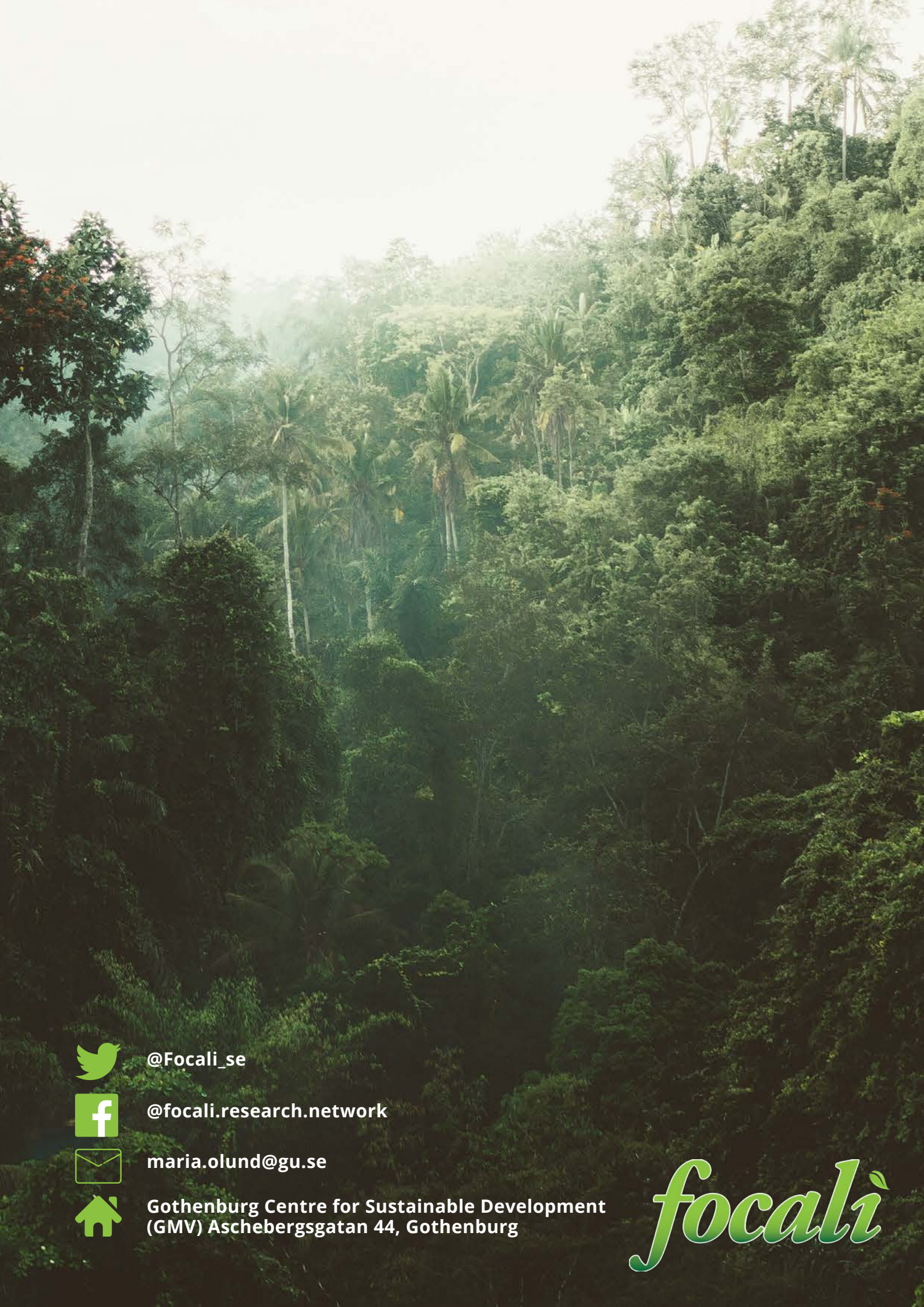
PROGRAM DAY 2

At the Gothenburg Centre for Sustainable Development (GMV) | Open to members | Informal and optional

- 08:30** Drop-in and welcome to Focali secretariat
- 09:00** Updates on ongoing research and ideas for future projects
- 09:45** Reflections Day 1 - improvements and new insights
- 10:15** Walk-talk-write - active coffee break for new ideas
- 10:50** Follow-up and ways forward
- 12:00** Lunch at Wijkanders restaurant

Photo: members of the Focali secretariat, from left: Torsten Krause, Maria Ölund, Johan Uddling, Laura Kmoch, Linda Hansson and Allison Perrigo. **Not present in the photo:** Anders Ekbohm, Jenny Friman, Harry Fischer and Aida Bargués Tobella





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