

# Web-course outline and learning objectives

E-course	Activity	Learning Objectives, After participating in this activity, you will be able to:
1. Forest and Landscape Restoration (FLR) – local solutions for global challenges		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describe the role of Forest Landscape Restoration (FLR) in the Sustainable Development Goals.</li> <li>• Explain challenges with scaling FLR programs and why progress is slow.</li> <li>• Identify the rationale for this ITP program and describe its' outline.</li> <li>• Include relevant parts of succeeding classes in your change project idea.</li> </ul>
	1.1. Locally Controlled Forest Restoration (LoCoFoRest) – A Governance and Market Oriented Approach to Resilient Landscapes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discuss how the objectives, outline and components of the LoCoFoRest program relate to your Change Project (CP) idea.</li> </ul>
	1.2 Forest and Landscape Restoration (FLR) definitions, constraints, and possibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reflect on the drivers for FLR in your CP area, and how policies for local participatory forest management could be improved accordingly.</li> </ul>
	1.3 FLR in two billion hectares have many faces.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explain basic features of a forest, drivers for deforestation and how FLR depend on the local contexts.</li> </ul>
	1.4. The market as a driver for sustainable and resilient FLR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explain the relation between producing competitive products/services and sustainable FLR.</li> <li>• Reflect on how consideration to social aspects and ecosystem can be included from the start in FLR in your CP.</li> </ul>

	1.5 The Change Project (CP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand the purpose and structure of the ITP Change Project enough to include relevant parts of course 2-4 in your CP idea.</li> </ul>
<b>2. LoCoFoRest in a new bio-based economy</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explain the need for economic sustainability in FLR and reflect on how the entrepreneurial environment in your country/change project area can be improved.</li> <li>• Analyze possible sustainable forest-based value chains in your Change Project (CP) area, and technical innovations/solutions needed to realize them.</li> </ul>
	2.1 Creating an environment that sustains entrepreneurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reflect on how your CP idea is related to and depending on a positive entrepreneurial environment.</li> </ul>
	2.2 The new market system – Strategies for making products and services from FLR competitive and LoCoFoRest scalable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describe a forest-based market system and its value chain – from smallholder and forest management to the final product/services and the final customers.</li> <li>• Describe possible market systems in your change project.</li> </ul>
	2.3. Lean Start-Up and the Integrated Approach – Strategies for making products and services from FLR competitive and LoCoFoRest scalable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explain the concepts of “Lean Start-up” and “the Integrated Approach” and discuss how these concepts can support scalable business in locally controlled forest restoration.</li> </ul>
	2.4 Can a booming wood building sector become a driver for LoCoFoRest?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discuss how a major market opportunity for forest-based products can be a driver for restoration of degraded forests.</li> </ul>
<b>3. Ecosystem services and multifunctional landscape</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Define ecosystem services (ES) related to the forest landscape in your proposed Change Project (CP).</li> <li>• Explain why support to ES is important in your CP and how they</li> </ul>

values with LoCoFoRest		contribute to improved livelihoods and economies.
	3.1 Ecosystem Services (ES)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Define ES important in your CP area and explain how they rely on trees and forests in your project area.</li> </ul>
	3.2 The role of restored landscapes for water resource management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe the interactions between water, trees, forest and landscapes, and reflect on how FLR affect water in your CP area.</li> </ul>
	3.3 Tools and methodologies that support restoration of forests to multifunctional landscapes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explain the benefits of restoring the multiple functions of landscapes and reflect on methodologies which could be used in your CP area.</li> </ul>
4. Social and governance aspects of LoCoFoRest		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reflect on what social and governance aspects need to be acknowledge in your proposed Change Project (CP) to create a positive entrepreneurial environment and successful and scalable FLR which support ES.</li> <li>Discuss relevant governance tools and strategies that support restoration of your CP area to a multifunctional landscape.</li> </ul>
	4.1 The social spectrum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reflect on the relevant stakeholders in your CP, their role, how they contribute to FLR and what conflicting interests they may have related to FLR.</li> </ul>
	4.2 Multistakeholder processes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe the benefits and challenges with multistakeholder processes and start considering a stakeholder process which would benefit your CP.</li> </ul>

	4.3 Policy, legislation, and extension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Start considering what policies, legislation and extension needs to be changed, improved or developed in your CP area or country, to support your CP.</li> </ul>
<b>5. LoCoFoRest Change Projects</b>	5.1 Method and Structure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Draft your CP-plan by identifying and including relevant learnings from E-course 1-4 in your CP idea.</li> </ul>