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Global Landscape Forum (GLF)

Led by the Center of International Forestry Research (CIFOR) alongside founding partners UN Environment and the World Bank, with core funding provided by the German Government, the Global Landscapes Forum (GLF) accelerates action towards the creation of more resilient, equitable, profitable, productive and healthy landscapes and the achievement of the UNFCCC Paris Agreement and Sustainable Development Goals (Agenda 2030).

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Sustainable landscapes are essential for the future we want: for food, livelihoods, health, renewable materials, energy, biodiversity, business development, trade, climate regulation and water.

Recognizing this complexity – the diversity of landscape realities – and the need for holistic approaches, the GLF is founded on four principles, aiming to engage 1 billion people: connecting, sharing, learning and acting.

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GLF aspirations: Accelerator of best practices

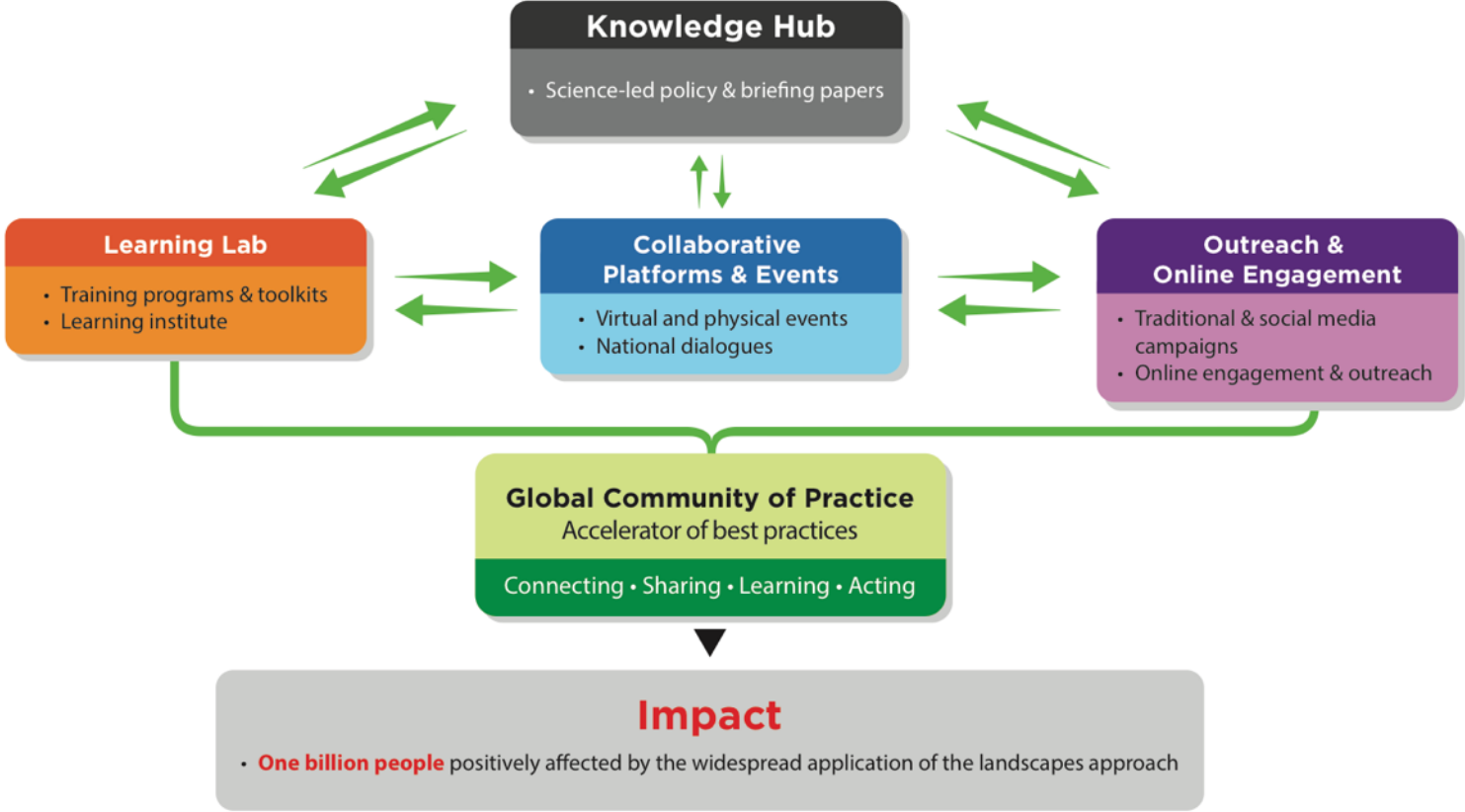
- **Multi-sector, multi-stakeholder**
- **Independent platform**
- **Avoiding duplication**
- **Economy of scale**
- **Accelerated delivery**

A world without hunger can only be achieved if all segments of society work towards that end together.





Food and Livelihoods • Finance • Restoration • Rights • Measuring progress



GLF Bonn - December 2017

Launching a new chapter in global landscapes

- A **5 year** partnership with funding from the German Government (BMU and BMZ)
- **80** Organizations
- Over **1000 people** from **103 countries**
- **200 youth** from **60 countries**
- **20 Indigenous representatives** from **7 regions** of the world



“Our goal is to achieve sustainable landscapes for people and the planet”
(Stefan Schmitz, BMZ)

GLF Nairobi: “Restoring Africa’s Degraded Lands: Prospects and Opportunities”

- **Africa:** 494 million hectares of degraded land.
- 1299 million hectares is degraded by human activities, 200 million hectares by water erosion.
- **INACTION:** Globally, USD 300 billion in losses due to land degradation.
- **ACTION:** For every dollar invested in restoring land, US\$4 would be returned.
- The **cost of action is only 20% of the cost of inaction.**



GLF Nairobi: An Update

- Hosted by CIFOR and UN Environment, August 29-30, 2018, *UN Headquarters, Nairobi, Kenya*
- 800 participants, 15,000-20,000 online
- *Sponsoring Indigenous Leaders and Youth. Local farmers and community leaders* to attend and speak at the conference
- **Plenary speakers:** President of Kenya, Minister of Environment and Forestry of Rwanda, President of IFAD, President of African Development Bank, Erick Solheim (UN Environment), Equity Foundation CEO, Minister Gerd Muller (BMZ), IFAD President, Head of AWF and more.

GLF Nairobi: An Update

- **Discussion Forums** – IWC, ILRI - pastoral landscapes, IUCN, World Bank (Profor), Rainforest Alliance, BMZ with AFR100, BMZ with ELD, UNCCD, GIZ, IFAD, African Wildlife Foundation, CIAT, WRI, CIFOR and more.
- **Media training, Digital Summits and Youth training**
- ***AFR 100 back to back – We will aim to organize a different conference from the AFR100 but will leverage on their participants***

GLF Nairobi: Objectives

- Foster political support to **restore 100+ million ha of degraded landscapes** across Africa
- Coordinate & increase **international & private support** for forest and landscape restoration
- Showcasing **local to regional success stories**.
- Enhancing **human, technical & financial capacities**
- Create **movement across Africa** for scaling-up climate change adapted restored and sustainable landscapes
- Expand the **Youth Movement around Landscapes**
- Focus on local community leaders and stories from the ground.



GLF Nairobi Conference

How to participate?

- **Legal training for NGO representatives** – tenure, land use and beneficiary rights in restoration
- **Community-based monitoring** - technical workshop on maps, freeware Apps and other tools measuring success
- **Marketplace:** restoration project developers meet investors
- Become a **Donor Partner/Sponsor**



The Annual 2018 GLF Global Conference: From Commitments to Action

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