

Valuing the forest

REDD in Chile

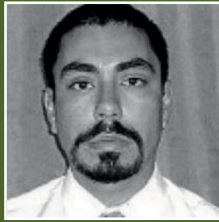
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- 7:00** Arrival
- 7:30** Introduction
- 8:05** **Angelo Sartori**, Chief of climate change unit of the Chilean Government's National Forestry Service. *"Chile's National Strategy on Forests and Climate Change"*
- 8:20** **Francisco Solis**, Country Representative of The Nature Conservancy in Chile. *"Chile's first REDD Project in the Valdivian Coastal Reserve"*
- 8:35** **Naomi Swickard**, Agriculture, Forestry and Other Land Use Manager for VCS. *"What we can learn --at global scale-- from this initiatives"*
- 8:50** Cocktail

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Angelo Sartori

Engineer of Santo Tomas University of Chile, Masters in Business Administration (MBA) in Sustainable Management at the University of Lüneburg, Germany. Since 2010 to date serves as National Chief of the Climate Change Unit CONAF. In parallel, has been assessor of forestry projects in the Fund for the Promotion of Scientific and Technological Development (FONDEF) of the National Scientific and Technological Research (CONICYT), Ministry of Education, and professor of the chair of "Forests and Climate Change" of Forestry Engineering of the Universidad Mayor de Chile.



Francisco Solis

Country Representative of The Nature Conservancy in Chile. He started working for the Conservancy in 2003 helping to create the 147,000-acre Valdivian Coastal Reserve, in southern Chile's temperate rainforest. He later became project manager. In 2008, moved to Santiago to take up his current post as representative of the Conservancy in Chile. He's in charge of advancing legislation and enabling conditions for innovative solutions aiming both conservation at scale and to reduce human vulnerability. In early 2003, he was awarded a Paul Getty Wildlife Conservation Prize while working for a conservation coalition in southern Chile.

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Naomi Swickard

AFOLU (Agriculture, Forestry and Other Land Use) Manager for VCS. With prior experience in biodiversity conservation and carbon project development, Naomi leads VCS work in the Agriculture, Forestry and Other Land Use sector, coordinating closely with the AFOLU Steering Committee. Naomi led the development of the Jurisdictional and Nested REDD+ (JNR) requirements and continues to oversee the piloting of JNR with a number of countries as well as managing the ongoing development of the AFOLU program.

