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## Capacity Building Based International Forestry Education Programs at Southwest Forestry University (SWFU), China

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## Southwest Forestry University (SWFU)

- The only independent forestry undergraduate university in western China.
- 85 years' running history for higher forestry education.
- Up to date, more than 140,000 graduates has educated as well-known experts and scholars for all walks of life.
- Currently, it consists of 21 faculties with enrolled approximately 30,000 full time students.
- A forestry talent training system from undergraduate, master's to doctoral and postdoctoral research was built completely.





## SWFU Location in Yunnan, China

- Situated in Kunming City, Yunnan Province of southwest China.
- Province is recognized as a one of hot spot of global biodiversity with the reputation of Kingdom of Animals and Plants.
- Sharing borders with Myanmar, Laos PDR and Vietnam, connecting South Asia and Southeast Asia as an international gateway.



Due to the unique advantages of geographic location and talent resources, SWFU has devoted itself to **Capacity Building Based International Forestry Education since 2009.**

--- As the contribution to the sustainable forest management in the Asia-Pacific region.

--- Promoting the cooperation and exchange of forestry education, talent training and scientific research among the regional economies.





## With the supports of APFNet:

- A regional international Forestry Training Institution was established at Southwest Forestry University since 2012, it serve as an outreach for APFNet to communicate and collaborate with economies in the Asia-Pacific Region.
- Training workshops, needs assessment, regional forestry development research, exchange visits and other forms of international activities have been conducted and continue to be stable.





## Main actives conducted by SWFU as following:

- Thematic training workshops
- Needs assessment and research
- Exchanging activities
- Operation of Pu'er demonstration and training Base



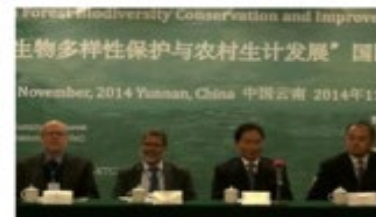


# 1. Thematic Training Workshops

- **Targets**  
Forestry policy makers, planners and managers working on forest rehabilitation and management from the economies in the Asia and Pacific Region.
- Workshop themes annually
  - (1) “Forest Rehabilitation and Management”,
  - (2) “Forestry and Rural livelihoods Development”.
- Workshop venue:
  - (1) Yunnan Province, China.
  - (2) Regional member economies.



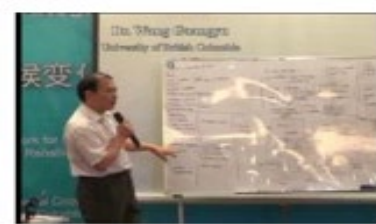
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## 1. Thematic Training Workshops (Since 2009 up to date)

- [23 training workshops](#) have been organized since 2009.
- [355 officials from 21 economics](#) in the Asia and Pacific Region.

Participated Member Economies in A&P Region				
Bangladesh	Bhutan	Brunei	Cambodia	China
Fiji	India		Indonesia	Lao PDR
Malaysia	Mexico		Mongolia	Myanmar
Nepal	Chile		Peru	Philippines
PNG	Sri Lanka		Thailand	Vietnam





No.	经济体 Economy	参训官员数 participants No.	No.	经济体/ Economy	参训官员数 Participants No.
1	孟加拉/Bangladesh	21	12	墨西哥/Mexico	3
2	文莱/Brunei	10	13	蒙古/Mongolia	13
3	不丹/Bhutan	2	14	缅甸/Myanmar	26
4	柬埔寨/Cambodia	30	15	尼泊尔/Nepal	20
5	智利/Chile	1	16	秘鲁/Peru	9
6	中国/China	24	17	菲律宾/Philippines	20
7	斐济/Fiji	15	18	巴比亚新几内亚/PNG	16
8	印度/India	4	19	斯里兰卡/Sri Lanka	22
9	印度尼西亚 /Indonesia	19	20	泰国/Thailand	30
10	老挝/Lao PDR	24	21	越南/Viet Nam	23
11	马来西亚/Malaysia	23	合计/Total: 355 (女性/Female: 97人)		



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## Series of Thematic Training workshops conducted by SWFU





## Workshop on Biodiversity Conservation Challenges in the Asia-Pacific --The Trans-Boundary and Livelihood Dimensions

(Chiang Mai, Thailand 1-13 November 2015)





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## Training Workshop on Forestry and Rural Livelihood Development

(Negombo , Sri-Lank, Nov. 01-14, 2016)





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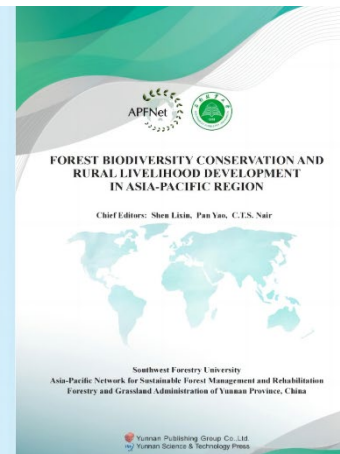
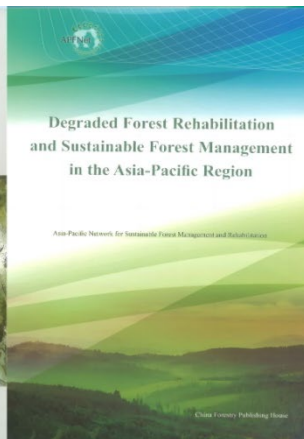
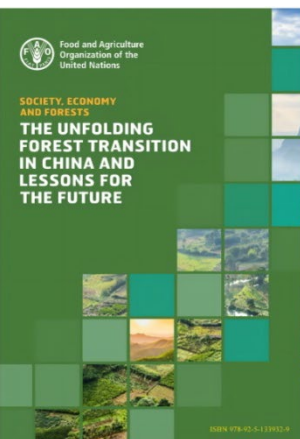
## 2. Cooperative research

- Needs assessment of forestry development among member economies.
- Study on regional challenges of Forestry Development.
- Effective practice of degraded forest rehabilitation and management.





- SWFU has conducted more than 30 research projects in cooperation with member economies since 2010.
- Series research outputs has published as publications , which mainly focus on:
  - forest rehabilitation, forestry-based solution on rural livelihood improvement, biodiversity conservation, forest policy analysis, timber trading, forestland tenure reform and forestry education etc.





### 3. Exchanging activities

- Delegates visit/study tours from member economies and relevant organizations.
- Attending international conferences, trainings, workshops and other exchange activity.
- Staff/ scholars visit and exchange.







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- Set up by APFNet in collaborated with Forest and Grassland Administration of Yunnan Province and Southwest Forestry University .
- As an integrated international platform of multi-function for Sustainable Forest Management Demonstration and Trainings .
- Starting out in operation in July 2021 after one year's construction.



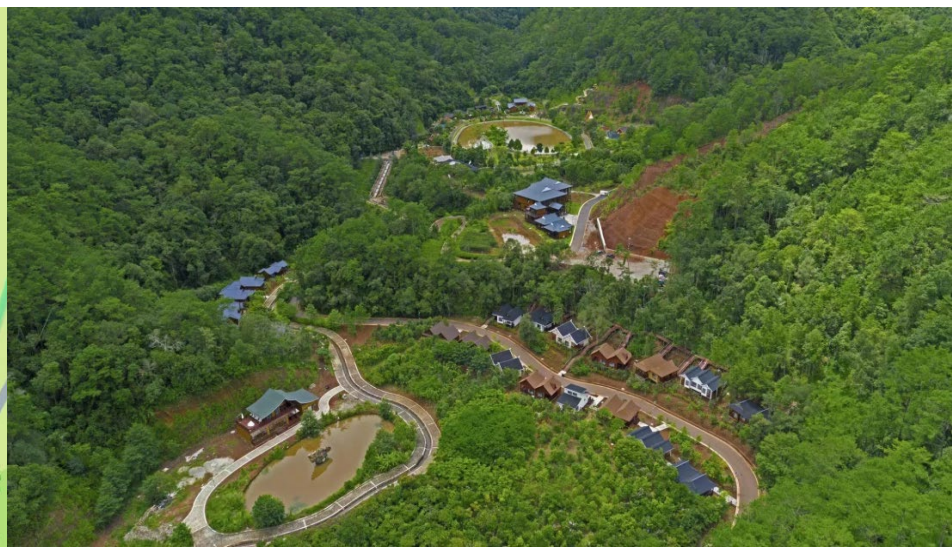


# Pu'er Sustainable Forest Management Demonstration and Training Base

Pu'er base consists of four functional zones from low land up to top:

- Eco-culture Creation Houses, Minority Buildings and Wooden Cultural Exhibition Building.
- Training and conference Center
- Field Camping Site
- Forest and Nature Experience Center

Total capacity of guest reception: 150 persons maximum





Eco-culture Creation Houses



Wooden Cultural Exhibition Building



Minority Wooden Buildings



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## Training and Conference Center





Field Camping Site



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Forest and Nature Experience Center



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Thanks for attention !  
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