REDD+ Offset Working Group:

Social and Environmental Safeguards and the needs of Indigenous Peoples, Forest-Dwelling Communities, and Smallholders

March 26th, 2013 8:30am – 5:00pm UC Davis Policy Institute for Energy, Environment and the Economy

8:30 - 9:00	Coffee and Registration
9:00 – 9:15	 Introduction Anthony Eggert, UC Davis Policy Institute for the Energy, Environment, and the Economy Tony Brunello, Green Technology Leadership Group – Introduction and Objectives Steve Schwartzman, Environmental Defense Fund – REDD+, Safeguards and Rights
9:15 – 9:30	The Role of California in Driving Global Innovation on Climate Policy Anthony Eggert, UC Davis Policy Institute for the Energy, Environment, and the Economy
9:30 - 10:00	 Presentation of the ROW Safeguards Recommendations 1. Jill Blockhus, The Nature Conservancy, Washington, DC 2. Monica Julissa, Acre Climate Change Institute, Acre, Brazil
10:00 - 10:45	 Panel 1 – Jurisdictional REDD+ and Indigenous Peoples' Rights A discussion on land rights and working with indigenous communities in building jurisdictional REDD programs 1. Tashka Yawanawa, Chief of the Yawanawa People – Indigenous Peoples and Acre's State System for Incentives for Ecosystem Services (SISA) 2. Felicia Line, Director of Climate Change and Energy Department, Chiapas Ministry of Environment, Chiapas, MX – Chiapas Stakeholder Process and Indigenous Communities 3. Valentino Shal – Indigenous Social Development Consultant, Maya Mopan Community, Belize
10:45 - 11:00	Break
11:00 –12:30	Facilitated Discussion & Questions (Facilitated by Rosa Maria Vidal, Pronatura Sur, Chiapas, Mexico)
12:30 – 1:30	Lunch

1:30 - 3:00	 Panel 2 – Under what circumstances can indigenous and forest peoples benefit from REDD+? Panelists share experiences and perspectives from forest communities and conditions for to REDD+ to bring local benefits Almir Surui, Chief of the Surui People – Paiter People's Development Plan Elsa Esquivel, Director of Cooperativa AMBIO and David Hernández Pérez, – Cooperativa AMBIO Juan Reategui, Technical Coordinator, Coordination of the Indigenous Organizations of the Amazon Basin (COICA) – REDD+ Safeguards in the UN and AB-32; Conditions for ecological integrity and indigenous benefits in jurisdictional REDD+
3:00 - 4:00	Facilitated Discussion & Questions (Facilitated by Rosa Maria Vidal, Pronatura Sur, Chiapas, Mexico)
4:00 - 4:15	Break
4:15 – 4:45	Facilitated Discussion (Facilitated by Antony Eggert, UC Davis Policy Institute for the Energy, Environment, and the Economy)
4:45 - 5:00	Closing