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# Forests and Fire

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Join us for a compelling dialogue that explores intersection of forests, fires, and people. Specifically, the panel will discuss how climate change is affecting efforts to predict, prepare and manage fire; the state of science related to living with smoke and fire impacts; and, strategies to prevent and mitigate the severe impacts of wildland fire.

## OPENING REMARKS

Monica Lear, USDA Forest Service and Erich Schaitza, Embrapa Florestas

## MODERATION

Chief Randy Moore, USDA Forest Service

## PANEL DISCUSSION

- **Yucundo Coutino Estrada**, Chiapas State, Natural Resources and State Parks
- **Aida R. Baldini Urrutia**, Corporación Nacional Forestal (CONAF)
- **Balbina Maria Araujo Soriano**, Embrapa Pantanal
- **Sarah McCaffrey**, USDA Forest Service
- **Dan Thompson**, Natural Resources Canada
- **Frank Lake**, USDA Forest Service
- **Ross Smith**, World Bank
- **Matt Jolly**, USDA Forest Service

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