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An aerial photograph of a lush green landscape. The foreground and middle ground are dominated by terraced rice paddies, some of which are filled with water, reflecting the sky. A small village with several buildings is nestled in the valley. The background shows a dense forest covering the hillsides.

**COMMON GROUND:  
Multipurpose land-use planning  
for halting deforestation**

6th World Forest Week Side Event

**18 JULY 2018**

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13:15 - 14:45 | RED ROOM, FAO HQ

**ALL PARTICIPANTS ARE INVITED**

The global agenda for sustainable development, climate action and natural resource management intersect at a landscape scale with local, national and international users trying to meet their own objectives. In forest landscapes, land-use planning can help to find a balance among competing and sometimes contradictory uses.

FAO and UN Environment are convening a technical discussion that aims to:

- Identify the enabling factors for achieving cross-sectoral agreement of landscape objectives;
- Highlight the triggers that support land-use planning to achieve transformational change across forest landscapes;
- Explore the international frameworks that are driving multipurpose land-use planning;
- Extract lessons for scaling-up multipurpose land-use planning best practices;
- Highlight tools for successful implementation of land-use planning to reduce deforestation.