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www.fao.org/forestry/site/6367/en

Advancing the application of assisted natural regeneration (ANR) for effective low-cost forest restoration

A new Web portal has been launched by FAO to highlight the importance of restoring degraded forests through simple, cost-effective interventions to assist natural regeneration.

www.fao.org/forestry/59218/en/

Cane and Bamboo Technology Centre www.caneandbamboo.org; www.bamboobazar.com

Carbon, biodiversity and ecosystem services: exploring co-benefits www.carbon-biodiversity.net

Cropwatch

Cropwatch is an independent watchdog for natural aromatic products used in the aroma (fragrance/cosmetics, flavour, aromatherapy), traditional herbal medicine and phytochemical industries. www.cropwatch.org

Journals

Free access to Earthscan journals for developing countries

Earthscan has made a selection of their development journals free to access for researchers and academics in developing countries through the Online Access to Research in the Environment (OARE) and the Access to Global Online Research in Agriculture (AGORA) databases.

The Earthscan journals included in the initiative are:

- Climate and Development (www.earthscan.co.uk/?tabid=29957)
- Climate Policy (www.earthscan.co.uk/?tabid=480)
- International Journal of Agricultural Sustainability

(www.earthscan.co.uk/JournalsHome //JAS/tabid/503/Default.aspx)

 Environmental Hazards: Human and Policy Dimensions
 www.earthscan.co.uk/JournalsHome/ EHAZ/tabid/37213/Default.aspx)

www.earthscan.co.uk/journals

Newsletters/e-zines

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To subscribe to this monthly e-newsletter produced by the Shea West Africa Trade Hub, please visit:

www.watradehub.com/activities/tradewinds/ apr10/shea-2010-tremendous-potentialwest-africa

Southern forests for the future

The World Resources Institute has launched a Web site that maps forests in the southern United States of America. Using satellite imagery, GoogleEarth technology and decades of forest data, the site depicts threats to the region's forests, including pest and pathogen outbreaks, wildfire, logging and human development, the leading cause of deforestation in the South.

www.seesouthernforests.org

The British Wildlife Wiki

Launched by The Woodlands Wildlife Council, the aim of this Wiki is to make a concise British Wildlife Encyclopaedia that includes all the species of the British Isles that anyone can edit. http://thewwcbritishwildlife.wikia.com/wiki/British Wildlife Wiki

The Field Museum, the Philippines http://fieldmuseum.org

The Latin-American Forum on REDD www.forumredd.org

The National Biodiversity Indicators Portal www.bipnational.net/

The North American Truffle Society www.natruffling.org/

Torah flora

Torahflora.org is a Web site devoted to

Biblical and Talmudic botany, the study of plants and nature in Torah and Jewish tradition. To receive announcements of new articles on Torahflora.org and related events such as botanical garden tours and public speaking events by Biblical and Talmudic botanist Dr Jon Greenberg, please send an e-mail to jon@torahflora.org/

Video links

Edible insects in the Lao People's Democratic Republic

www.youtube.com/ watch?v=ZkBpN_Boxhk

◆ Guatemala's Tree of Life

http://english.aljazeera.net/ news/americas/2010/ 06/201062815449882349.html

◆ Moringa oleifera seeds

www.ialmandir.com/moringa

www.jalmandir.com/moringa/ moringa-seeds.htmla

UN data

Users can now search and download a variety of statistical resources of the UN system. http://data.un.org/

World Bamboo Organization

www.worldbamboo.net

NWFP-DIGEST-L

The Digest is a free monthly e-bulletin produced by FAO's NWFP Programme and covers all aspects of non-wood forest products. Past issues can be found on FAO's NWFP home page at www.fao.org/forestry/site/12980/en

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