

An event hosted by the ICCA Consortium
at WILD10

***Indigenous peoples, traditional communities,
“wilderness” and nature –
Exploring a revealing paradox***

**A series of short presentations and a panel discussion (2 hours)
Tuesday Oct 8 11:30-1:10 -- Indigenous & Community Lands and Sea Forum**

In this panel discussion representatives of indigenous peoples and traditional communities from various continents will illustrate - with *words, pictures, presence and sounds* - their notion and experience of “nature”. A few discussants will play devil’s advocate and challenge them, advocating for the conservation of “wilderness” in the purest sense of the term. In a constructive spirit, the workshop participants will find ground for mutual understanding and respectful alliances to defend nature/ wilderness from the forces and phenomena that undermine them today.

Co-chairs: Vololona Rasoarimanana (Madagascar) and Taghi Farvar (Iran).

Presenters (each presentation will have 4 minutes, please):

Giovanni Reyes	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Igorot?
Raul Petsain	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Shuar Arutam?
Jorge Nahuel	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Mapuche?
Eli Enns and Gisele Maria Martin	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Tla-o-qui-aht first nations?
Joseph Itongwa	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Batwa Walikale?
Gathuro Mburo	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for many traditional communities of Kenya?
Felipe Gomez	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Maya Kit’che?
Sergio Couto	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for many traditional communities in Spain?
Aboubakar Albachir	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Tuareg?
Sutej Hugu	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Tao of Pongso no Tao?
Vololona Rasoarimanana	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for many traditional communities of Madagascar?
M. Taghi Farvar	“Wilderness” and “nature”: what do they mean for us Shahsavan?

Discussants: Trevor Sandwith, Vance Martin, Dave de Vera, Stan Stevens, Carmen Miranda, Tilman Jaeger.