



TOOL 9 TALK SHOW

FROM THE TREE OF PRACTICES TO THE FOREST OF KNOWLEDGE

A guide to identifying, capturing, sharing and communicating REDD+ Inspiring Practices



PURPOSE

The presentation of ideas through an organized debate format helps participants reflect on a REDD+ issue in-depth.

DESCRIPTION

This activity promotes dialogue among several “talk show guests” who present their ideas to an audience based on questions asked by “interviewers.”

- The moderator welcomes attendees, explains the purpose of the meeting and its dynamics and presents the “interviewers” of the talk show, the “talk show guests” and the reporter who will take notes.
- The interviewers drive the exchange of ideas through leading questions that aim to draw out personal opinions and opposing viewpoints on the subject. The questions should relate to project participation, participant feelings and experiences, the effects it has had on their lives, in their family and social environment, in their community. The interviewers should not be content with the first responses and should inquire with critical attitude to deepen the opinions and bring out thoughts and opinions that are usually not expressed.
- Once all the discussions are finished, the moderator invites the audience to talk about what they heard.

- Throughout the activity, the reporter has been taking notes on the discussions. The activity concludes with a reading of these notes for the whole group to hear and reflect upon. This document is a very important record of the activity.

PARTICIPANTS

- Group of people involved in a project
- Moderator
- “Interviewer”
- Reporter
- Audience

WHEN TO USE IT

To reflect upon and draw conclusions about a problem or an experience

REQUIRED MATERIALS

- Space for participants to sit in a semicircle
- Whiteboard or paper for note-taking
- Markers