

The Secretariat For International Forestry Issues

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**Seminar on Forestry Development,
towards Bio-based Economy**

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Certification of Forest Products for the international market, based on Principles and Criteria set up by the Forest Stewardship Council
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SIFI - A think tank on international forestry issues

Global trend analysis, e.g. the global need for food, fibre and fuel – is there enough land to satisfy the demands?



Structure



SIFI

- **Host:** the Royal Swedish Academy of Forestry (KSLA)
- **Budget support:** the Government Offices, KSLA, WWF and the Swedish University of Agriculture Sciences
- **Steering Committee:** representatives of the involved instances



The information distribution:

1. The homepage at www.sifi.se
2. Newsletter four times per year e.g. land acquisition and mega trends
3. Seminars, projects and reports about forest policy and demographic developments globally



Ongoing SIFI Activities

- Review of 40 years of forestry development experience in Vietnam – what have we (Swedish and Vietnamese partners) learnt?
- Collaboration with Canada re transformation process – 60 years of modernisation of the forest sector, forestry in rural development



“Examples of points observed by a Swedish visitor concerned with forestry”

- Large population living in forest areas, and with low living standard
- Low forest productivity - when seen over the total forest estate
- Large areas of grassland (alang-alang) with little or no production, prone to fires each year



Kvarnäng



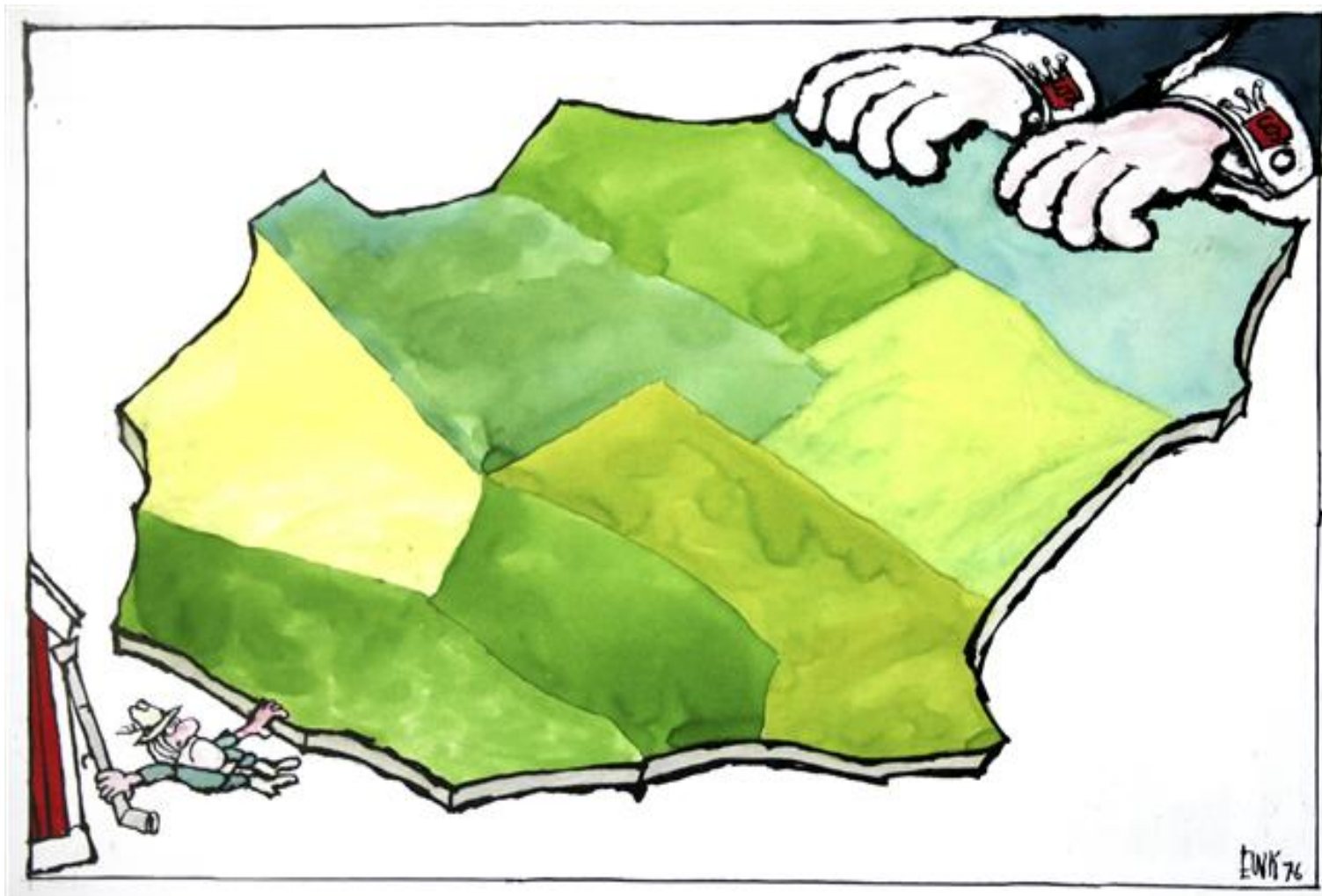
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330 000 forest farmers





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