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TROPICAL DEFORESTATION AS A HARMFUL AND CRIMINOLOGIST ISSUE

Tim BOEKHOUT VAN SOLINGE, internationally renowned for his work in international drug control and environmental/ecological crimes, presents his most recent research. He presents his findings on (illegal) tropical deforestation in Indonesia, West and Central Africa (Liberia and DR. Congo) and the Brazilian Amazon. He uses qualitative research methods and applies them to the emerging area of GREEN criminology.

His presentation will include (visual) findings of his visits and ethnographic fieldwork in Borneo dealing with illegal logging and timber smuggling, as well as in the Brazilian Amazon where illegal deforestation for mining and agriculture is widespread.

BOEKHOUT VAN SOLINGE has held numerous positions and is currently lecturing at one of the top ten universities in Europe. In addition to research and publications, he serves as a consultant for NGOs, national ministries, and the United Nations among others.



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