When land is degraded, its people and their prospects are degraded too

At a meeting held in Benin last week, policy makers from several least developed countries (LDC) identified areas that could boost their political, economic and climatic resilience. Amongst the topics discussed included the potential investment in agriculture that centres on sustainable land management. The benefits cited include economic security in addition to ecosystems based mitigation of natural disasters such as landslides, droughts and erosion.

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The third international Conference on Small Island Developing Sates, being held in Apia, Samoa will focus the world’s attention on a group of countries that remain a special case for sustainable development in view of their unique and particular vulnerabilities. The Conference will seek to identify priorities for the sustainable development of SIDS to be considered in the elaboration of the post-2015 UN development agenda.

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