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RETHINKING FOREST TRENDS IN LATIN AMERICA

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Deforestation in Amazonia has declined substantially, and Central America is experiencing rapid forest recovery in places like El Salvador where „nature has been extinguished“. What is actually going on, and how can we explain it? This lecture looks at the dynamics – national and global – that now shape forest ecologies and regional development, and that seem to have shifted forest dynamics away from a tale of endless destruction into something quite different. These include globalization, social movements, new institutional structures, new markets and new kinds of environmentalism.

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