# Session IV Co-benefits Approach

**Chair's Introduction** 

### Co-benefits

### <u>Background</u>

- Development is a priority of developing countries---it is important that efforts to address climate change that also promotes national & local sustainable development.
- Future framework discussion already includes cobenefits (e.g. preferential treatment for improved CDM, Nature of SD-PAM etc).
- Not only concept level, but actual projects have been already in place, though national and international initiatives in the AP region.

#### Session's Structure

Needs and Prospects of Co-benefits in Developing Countries (Chaiwat/Thailand)

> Current Practice to promote co-benefits(1) (Wada/MOEJ)

> Current Practice to promote co-benefits(2) Urakami/JICA

> Current Practice to promote co-benefits(3) Kamayana/ADB

Current Status of CDM and its improvement in future Iyadomi/IGES

## **Key Questions**

- What are useful actions to scale up and institutionalize co-benefits in the AP region and a future regime?
- For CDM, what kind of specific steps can be introduced/reduced?
- Technology Transfer through co-benefitsrelated efforts?
- How do we maximize GHG reduction efforts through utilizing co-benefits?