



Conservation and Development in Cameroon

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Andrew Noss grew up in Cameroon, and conducted doctoral research in the Central African Republic. He completed his PhD in Geography and African Studies with a TCD concentration in 1994. He worked for Wildlife Conservation Society supporting indigenous organizations in Bolivia and Ecuador from 1996-2011. Since 2014, he has coordinated the Master of Sustainable Development Practice (MDP) with the Center for African Studies and the Center for Latin American Studies.

SUMMARY



In 2023 and 2025, Andy made three family trips to Cameroon to reconnect. He will talk about visits to three forest and savannah protected areas there: Dja Reserve / UNESCO World Heritage Site, Pangar Djerem Reserve, and Bénoué National Park / UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. He will also talk about the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Cameroon's work related to literacy, education and health. Finally, he will talk about beekeeping and honey production in the Adamaoua region.



Tuesday - February 17, 2026

12:45 - 1:45 pm



**Grinter Hall 376 or
Zoom link**

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