

## **Jeffrey Chatellier**

## Chief Executive Officer Forest Carbon

Mr. Chatellier is a conservation scientist and the CEO of Forest Carbon, a forest restoration and conservation company with offices in Jakarta and Singapore. Mr. Chatellier has advised major corporations, multi-lateral institutions, and governments on conservation finance, forestry, and sustainability for over 15 years in Southeast Asia. As the Director for Forest Carbon's Sumatra Merang Peatland Project, Mr. Chatellier has established a proven business model for large-scale tropical forest restoration. Launched with a \$6 million investment from the Althelia Climate Fund, the project has now secured long term sales contracts totalling over 25,000,000 to major global brands to fund project operations across more than 22,000 hectares.

Mr. Chatellier designed the project, which reduces the risk of fire, restores a habitat for endangered species, strengthens local communities and delivers returns for investors and partners. Since 2020, Mr. Chatellier has raised 24 million USD in equity and debt financing for Forest Carbon from AXA Investment Managers and Saratoga Investama. Mr. Chatellier is now focused on building a portfolio of forestry assets to accommodate rising demand in the natural climate solutions sector, with the objective of protecting 1,000,000 hectares of mangrove, peatland and tropical forest areas by 2026.

Mr. Chatellier holds a BA in International Affairs from George Washington University and a Master of Environmental Science (MESc) from Yale University and is a former Fulbright Research Scholar at the Institute of Technology Bandung in Indonesia.