**Track 2**

**Session 3 – i-Tree Canopy: Estimating tree cover and**

**understanding land cover**

Wednesday, 8th January 2025

Time: 10:00 AM to 12:00PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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**Session 3 Learning Objectives:**

* Be able to conduct your own tree canopy survey using i-Tree Canopy
* Understand how i-Tree Canopy can be used to estimate change in canopy over time
* Explore the advantages and challenges of using i-Tree Canopy

**Overview**

This session is designed to provide participants with an outline for the hands-on sessions ahead, and a live demonstration of how to use the i-Tree Canopy online tool to conduct tree canopy surveys. Participants will learn how to configure the application for their location and interpret the reported land cover results and benefits estimates. We will also look at the options for conducting a Change Survey to compare land use over time, as well as exporting these results for custom presentation and analysis.

Schedule

1. Welcome to Track 2
   1. Overview of weeks ahead
   2. How International Partners Are Advancing Urban Forestry Management Concepts
   3. Introduce homework submission procedures and action plan concept
2. i-Tree Canopy
   1. What an online land cover survey can do
   2. How it works: putting the user in the driver’s seat

* ***BREAK -***

1. Using Canopy internationally
2. Putting canopy estimates to work for planning, advocacy, and funding
   1. Examples of International Canopy work
3. Using Google historic imagery for a change survey
4. Homework and preparation for next session