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## About TIST

TIST is an agricultural, tree-planting, sustainable development and carbon credit program to help subsistence farmers improve their livelihoods and food security by planting trees on degraded lands. Today, TIST works with more than 75,000 farmers and has supported the planting of more than 16 million trees around the world. Tree planting, absorbs CO<sub>2</sub> from the atmosphere, is one of the simplest and most cost effective means of mitigating climate change.

# A Conversation with Tree Farmers

Farmers from The International Small Group and Tree Planting Program (TIST) farmers will join AU students, faculty and guests to discuss their experiences and discuss their challenges such as drought, climate change, biodiversity loss, water quality and quantity, as well as gender issues.

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