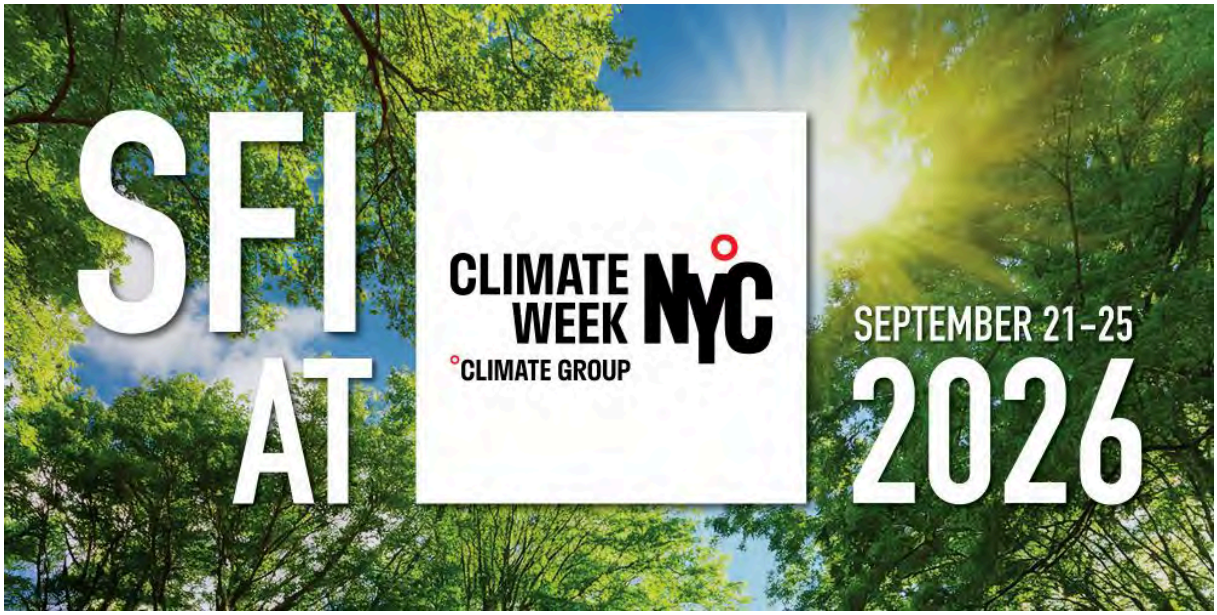
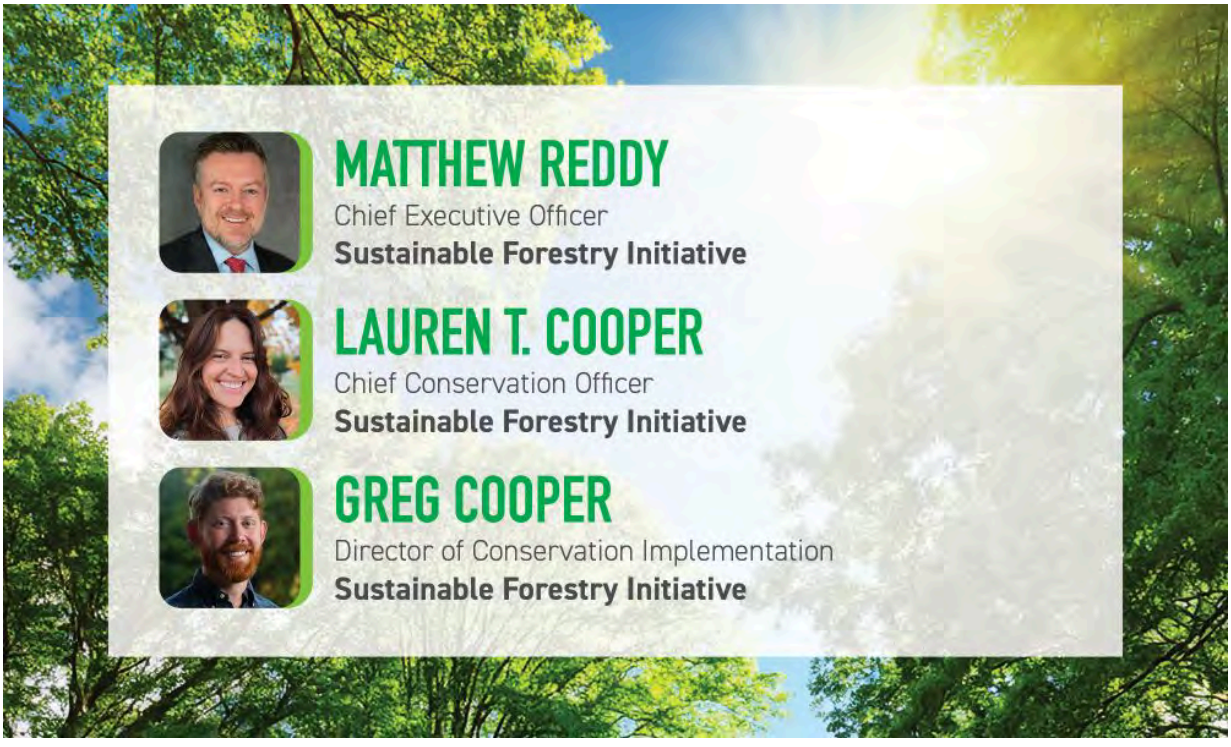


Climate Week NYC returns September 21-25, bringing together leaders from business, government, conservation, and finance to advance climate solutions. This year, recently announced SFI CEO Matthew Reddy, Chief Conservation Officer Lauren T. Cooper, and Director of Conservation Implementation Greg Cooper will play a leading role in key conversations on Climate Smart Forestry, sustainable investment, nature-based solutions, and forest resilience.

This programming will build on the momentum of the 2025 American Forest Congress Resolutions and the Markets Matter National Action Plan, highlighting pathways to scale investment in forests and forest-based climate solutions.



Meet the SFI Team at Climate Week NYC

September 22, 2026 Sessions

- SFI-led panel, *Certification as the Bridge to Investment and Nature Disclosure*, at the International Sustainable Forestry Coalition (ISFC) Symposium.
- American Forests-led panel, *From Assessment to Action: Launching the Forest Innovation Platform,* at the Treehouse at Doris Duke Center.



September 22, 2026 Happy Hour

- SFI, FSC, AFF, and ACR Forests for Climate Happy Hour at the Midtown South location, PID Floors.
- See photos from last year's Forests for Climate Happy Hour here.



September 24, 2026

- CTrees- & Earth Fire Alliance-led panel, *Managing Wildfire Risk for the World's Investable Forests: A Living Map of Forest Risk,* at the Treehouse at Doris Duke Center.
- SFI-led panel, *Making Nature Market-Ready through US Forestry*, at the Treehouse at Doris Duke Center.



The Nature Hub

SFI supports the 2026 Nature Hub, which aims to showcase nature not only as a solution to climate change but also as a driver of economic development and a means of reversing biodiversity loss by 2030.

We look forward to connecting with our partners and leaders across the sector as we work together to advance resilient forests and nature-based climate solutions. For more information about SFI's Climate Week activities, please contact Greg Cooper. Plus, stay tuned for more SFI events and conversations happening throughout the week!

EXPLORE SFI AT CLIMATE WEEK