Session 2-2 summary

(1) Land use change– of which drivers and mechanisms

(2) Human-biodiversity interaction– search for ways to learn from past

Urban growth enhances intensification of croplands and labor shift from rural to urban areas, which brings about reforestation.

•Facilitated separation of society from ecosystem services may cause the failure of social-ecological feedback.

•Local/regional-scale multiple ways for avoiding land degradation.