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Pedro Brancalion is a professor of forest restoration at the University of São Paulo, Brazil. In this presentation, he discusses the results of his research conducted in the Atlantic Forest in Brazil. He applies these results to other tropical forests across the globe, stressing the importance of implementing global restoration. Brancalion promotes a methodology for effective restoration programs based on defining restorable areas and assessing the benefits and feasibility of restoration. His final remarks focus on local analysis, and how to concentrate investments in areas with higher potentials for the return of benefits.

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