

# SPIA VISITING PRACTITIONER

# DR. VALÉRIO GOMES

## NOVEMBER 13TH-14TH

**Valério Gomes** has three decades of experience working with social movements, multilateral cooperation programs, international conservation organizations, and government agencies to promote sustainable livelihoods and forest conservation in the Brazilian Amazon. Dr. Gomes is currently a professor with the Amazonian Institute of Family Agricultures (INEAF) at the Federal University of Pará in Belém, Brazil, where he is a key partner of UGA's Brazil Natural Resource Governance Initiative.

### **Wednesday, November 13**

**12-1PM Meeting with Grad Students: Environment and Development**  
**Across the Research/Practice Divide, MLC 277, RSVP**  
to [jhalleme@uga.edu](mailto:jhalleme@uga.edu)

**4-5PM Undergraduate Professional Development Coffee Hour,**  
Candler 117

### **Thursday, November 14**

**3-5PM Tupinambá Film Screening & Discussion,** Presented by LACSI,  
Hirsch Hall 220

**Questions?** contact Prof. Gregory Thaler,  
International Affairs, [gthaler@uga.edu](mailto:gthaler@uga.edu)

