



Official UNFCCC Side-Event:

**Ecosystem-based adaptation
in the water sector:
when green and grey make blue!"**



Sat. 7th Dec. 13:15-14:45, Room n°2, Hall n°4



Description:

Ecosystem-based Adaptation in the water sector mobilizes “no-regret” Nature-based Solutions incl. resilient land and forest management that best deliver at the scale of the basins of lakes, rivers and aquifers. The session provides case studies from around the world, including the Andean, African and European regions.

Program:

INTRODUCTION (10 min)

- **Mr. Eric Tardieu**, Secretary General, International Network of Basin Organizations (INBO) & Global Alliances for Water and Climate (GAfWaC)

KEYNOTE SPEECH (10 MIN)

- **Ms. Olushola Olayide**, Senior policy officer “Rural Economy and Agriculture Department”, African Union Commission

PANEL (50 min)

Moderator:

- **Ms. Hanna Plotnykova**, Environmental affairs officer, United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE)

Panelists:

1. **Mr. Eugenio Barrios**, Deputy Director General, National Commission for Water (CONAGUA), Mexico
2. **Mr. Jean-Pierre Maugendre**, Deputy Director Sustainable Development of SUEZ, also representing the Business Alliance for Water and Climate (BAfWaC)
3. **Mr. Cyrille Barnerias**, Head of European and International Affairs, French biodiversity agency (AFB)
4. **Mr. Franciso Medina**, Director Programa Bosques Andinos, Helvetas Peru
5. **Mr. Claude Miqueu**, Member of the Adour-Garonne Basin Committee, France
6. **Mr. Wade Crowfoot**, California Secretary for Natural Resources, United States of America

QUESTION & ANSWERS (10 min)

CONCLUSION (10 min)

- **Ms. Marie-Laure Vercambre**, Director General, French Water Partnership (FWP)

HALL 4: GCA / PRC2 / Side Event Rooms 1-6

Room 2

