



Convention on  
Biological Diversity



## DRAFT AGENDA

### Seventh Meeting of the Global Partnership for Business and Biodiversity 23-24 November 2017

#### 23 November: Meeting of the Global Partnership and Official Observers

*Natural History Museum 57 Rue Cuvier, 75005 Paris, France*

- 8:00 Executive Committee Breakfast** *location tbc*
- 9:00 Welcome**
- Global Partnership on Business and Biodiversity, *Elisa Dezolt, Chair of Global Partnership for Business and Biodiversity*
  - Orée - French Business and Biodiversity Initiative, *Claude Fromageot*
  - Natural History Museum, *Director*
  - SCBD, *Amy Fraenkel, Director, Division, Mainstreaming, Cooperation & Outreach*
- 9:20 Opening remarks and explanation of agenda**  
Global Partnership, *Chair*
- 9:30 Update from Secretariat**  
SCBD, *Amy Fraenkel and Tamara Richards*
- 10:00 Open Plenary**  
Updates and perspectives from Partnership Initiatives, *Global Partnership Members*
- 10:45 Health Break**
- 11:00 Open Plenary Continued**
- 12:00 Lunch**



**13:00 Private session (for Global Partners only)**

Voting on new Executive Committee, Chair and suggested Observers and any other internal issues

**13:15 Global Partnership Status, Activities and Looking Ahead**

*(Chair and SCBD Secretariat)*

- Review current governance documents, structure and roles of Executive Committee and Observers
- Status on partnership, activities, potential tools, communications and looking ahead
- Business and Biodiversity pledge
- Business reporting on Biodiversity/typology and Annual Reporting

**15:30 Health Break**

**15:45 Planning for next COP 14 and the Business Forum**

*(Chair and SCBD Secretariat)*

**16:45 Closing comments, remarks and what needs to be fed into Day 2**

**17:15 Close**

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#### 8:30 Registration

#### 9:00 Welcome

- Global Partnership for Business and Biodiversity, *Elisa Dezolt, Chair of the Global Partnership*
- Orée, *Patricia Savin*
- Platform of the French Business and Biodiversity Initiative, *Claude Fromageot*
- Natural History Museum, *Bruno David, President*
- Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity, SCBD, *Amy Fraenkel, Director, Division, Mainstreaming, Cooperation & Outreach*

#### 9:30 Recap from Day 1 Meeting of the Global Partnership

- Global Partnership, *Global Partnership Executive Committee Member*

#### 9:45 Engagement on Business and Biodiversity in France

- Minister for Ecological and Inclusive Transition
- Minister of Foreign Affairs

#### 10:05 The Road to 2020 and Beyond

*Amy Fraenkel from the CBD Secretariat will give an update on current developments and preparations leading up to the post 2020 global framework for biodiversity.*

#### 10:25 Health Break

#### 10:40 Business Reporting on Biodiversity

*Speakers will discuss the challenges of biodiversity reporting including attempts at harmonization, as well as offer concrete examples from businesses on biodiversity reporting.*

- SCBD, *Tamara Richards, Consultant on Business and Biodiversity*
- MEDEF, *Olivier Sutterlin*
- EDF, *Claire Varret*
- ORÉE, *Hélène Leriche*
- Indian Business and Biodiversity initiative (IBBI), *Arnab Deb*

#### 11:50 Business and Biodiversity Pledge

*The SCBD will give an update on the pledge, its signatories and recommended reporting.*

**12:00 LUNCH**

**13:00 Business and Biodiversity and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)**

*Speakers will discuss the SDGs and their connection to biodiversity as well as the integration of the SDGs into businesses strategy, planning and operations.*

- United Nations Global Compact (UNGC), *Angus Rennie, Senior Manager, Partnerships and UN Relations*
- Yves Rocher, *Claude Fromageot*
- SNCF, *Christian Dubost*
- Boticário Group Foundation for the Protection of Nature, *Bianca Brasil, Institutional Relations*

**14:00 Mainstreaming Biodiversity in specific sectors for the next Conference of the Parties (COP14) of the Convention on Biological Diversity**

*With the focus on mainstreaming in key sectors related to business planned for COP 14, speakers will give examples of mainstreaming and address the challenges and opportunities ahead.*

- Overview and preparations for COP 14, SCBD, *Amy Fraenkel*
- Agence Française pour la Biodiversité (AFB), *Audrey Coreau*
- Energy and mining, UNEP- WCMC *Ruth Fletcher, Senior Programme Officer, Marine*
- Manufacturing and processing, Kering, *Dr. Helen Crowley, Head of Sustainable Sourcing Innovation*
- Infrastructure, Bouygues, *Olivier Lemoine*

**15:15 Health Break**

**15:30 Highlights from Related Projects and Initiatives**

- Natural Capital Coalition, *Marta Santamaria, Technical Director*
- Netherlands Ministry of Economic Affairs - *Martin Lok, Program Manager*
- UN Environment, *Kristina Bowers, Programme Officer, Economy Division*
- CDC Biodiversité, *Laurent Piermont*
- IISD, *Vivek Voora*

**16:00 COP 14 and Next Business and Biodiversity Forum**

*COP 14 will take place in Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt 10-22 November, 2018. Speakers will give an update on themes and planning for the Business Forum.*

- SCBD, *Amy Fraenkel*
- Global Partnership, *Elisa Romano Dezolt, Chair of Global Partnership for Business and Biodiversity*

**16:30 Global Partnership: Strengthening the Network**

**16:45 Closing Remarks**

**17:00 Cocktail Reception**