13 October 2017
Albert Borschette Congress Center, Brussels
9.30am – 1.30pm
Upscaling ecosystem-based disaster risk reduction (eco-DRR) investments to reduce disaster risks

DRAFT AGENDA

9.00 - 9.30  Registration

9.30 – 9.35  Welcoming - Felice Zaccheo, Head of Unit Sustainable Energy, Climate Change, DG DEVCO

9.35 – 9.45  Opening - Mr. Abhilash Panda, UNISDR, Deputy Chief, Regional Office of Europe and Central Asia

9.45 – 11.00  First Panel Discussion
Setting the stage: Moderator, Elena Visnar Malinovska, Head of Unit Adaptation, DG CLIMA

Panellists:
Laura Schmidt, Policy Officer, Disaster Risk Reduction Unit, DG ECHO
Soichiro Yasukawa, Coordinator for Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience, UNESCO
Ibrahima Sadio Fofana, Wetlands International Mali
Magali Mourlon, Programme Coordinator, VOICE
Karin Zaunberger, Policy Officer Biodiversity, DG ENVI

Q&A
Wrap up – Moderator

11.00 – 11.30  Coffee break

11.30 – 13.00  Second Panel discussion
Introduction 2nd session by the moderator Laure Ledoux, Deputy Head of Unit Biodiversity, DG ENVI

Panellists:
Etienne Coyette, Head of Sector Climate Change Unit C6 DG DEVCO
ACP Representative
Representative of RISC-KIT project
Denis Haveaux, Director Red Cross EU Office
Elena Visnar Malinovska, Head of Unit Adaptation, DG CLIMA

Q&A

13.00 – 13.20  Key note speech by Paul V. Desanker, UNFCCC

13.20 – 13.30  Closing remarks by Laure Ledoux, DG ENVI

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