HOW TO DEAL WITH BIODIVERSITY-RELATED FINANCIAL RISKS IN INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENTS?

The lack of consideration of biodiversity risks within lending and investment decisions for infrastructure exposes financial institutions to material financial risks. This session will explore practical ways forward on how to identify, measure and manage biodiversity-related financial risks in the infrastructure sector.

Welcome remarks:
- Kate Newman, Vice President – Sustainable Infrastructure and Public Sector Initiatives, WWF US

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- Nigel Beck, Executive & Head, Sustainable Finance, Standard Bank Group
- Nick Butcher, Vice Chairman, Infrastructure & Energy Group, Macquarie Capital
- Eva Mayerhofer, Lead Biodiversity & Environmental Specialist, European Investment Bank
- Christian Wertli, Head of Infrastructure, Public Sector Solutions, Swiss Re
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