

INNOVATIVE FINANCE FOR CLIMATE RESILIENCE

Managing climate risks in infrastructure, water-related and agribusiness sectors

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This Dialogue on Innovative Finance for Climate Resilience brings together investors, policymakers and practitioners involved in **climate risk management** to discuss **innovative instruments and strategies to stimulate greater private and public investments in climate-resilient infrastructure, water-related and agribusiness sectors.**

7:30 - 8:00 *Arrival and registration*

8:00 - 8:15 **Welcome to the Innovative Finance for Climate Resilience Dialogue**

Introductory remarks revisit the purpose and objectives of the Dialogue and introduce focal themes and questions to guide the discussions. A tour de table will introduce all participants and identify priority areas of interest of the group.

- **Barbara Buchner**, Senior Director, Climate Policy Initiative
- **Thymen Kouwenaar**, Senior Policy Maker, Dutch Ministry of Infrastructure and the Environment
- **Philip Kucharski**, Chief Operating Officer, International Chamber of Commerce

8:15 - 9:30 **Roundtable discussion on public sector instruments for stimulating private sector action on climate resilience**

An overview presentation will introduce early findings from an analysis of how Development Finance Institutions are driving and enabling private investments in climate resilience. Financiers, business representatives and experts from other areas are then invited to participate in a roundtable discussion to provide feedback, and explore options on how to stimulate and enable further investments.

Chair: **Barbara Buchner**, Senior Director, Climate Policy Initiative

- **Opening presentation** by **Chiara Trabacchi**, Senior Analyst, and **Federico Mazza**, Analyst, Climate Policy Initiative
- **Roundtable discussion** (including invited opening comments on key questions)

9:30 - 9:45 **Stocktaking and next steps**

- **Thymen Kouwenaar**, Senior Policy Maker, Dutch Ministry of Infrastructure and the Environment
- **Barbara Buchner**, Senior Director, Climate Policy Initiative