

United Nations 2023 Water Conference Side Event

Resilient Rivers to Healthy Coasts for People and the Planet: an Integrated River Basin Management Approach

Date: 23 March 2023, 15:30-17:00 (New York Time)

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Time	Segment Title	Speakers/Panelists
15:30	Convening and Welcome	Mr. Tom Panella (Moderator) , Director Environment, Agriculture, Natural Resources, Asian Development Bank
15:31	Opening Remarks	Mr. Guoying Li , H. E. Minister of Water Resources, the People's Republic of China
15:37	Opening Remarks	Mr. Jaime de Bourbon de Parme , Climate Envoy for the Government of the Netherlands
15:43	Opening Remarks	Mr. Woonchong Um , Managing Director General, Asian Development Bank
15:48	Introduction to Technical Sessions	Mr. Tom Panella
15:50	Impact of Climate Change on Dutch River Basin Management	Ms. Jasmin Schous , Senior Advisor International Water Affairs, Ministry of Infrastructure and Water Management, Government of the Netherlands
15:55	Promoting Innovation for Integrated River Basin Management	Mr. Yuanyuan Li , Vice President, General Institute of Water Resources and Hydropower Planning and Design, China; President, International Water Resources Association
16:00	Technical Presentation	Ms. Annemieke Nijhof , Managing Director, Deltares
16:05	IWRM Approach in Agriculture for Resilient Rivers	Mr. Lifeng Li , Director, Land and Water Division, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
16:10	Strengthening Basin-Scale IWRM to Promote Restoration of River-Lake Environments	Ms. Liqun Huang , Director, the Ministry of Water Resources, the People's Republic of China
16:15	Thoughts on Managing River Basins as Systems	Ms. Amy Newsock , Global Associate Director of Freshwater Outcomes, The Nature Conservancy
16:20	Evolution and Regulation of the Yellow River Estuary for the River and Sea (pre-recorded)	Mr. Xin Yu , President of Yellow River Institute of Hydraulic Research of the Yellow River Conservancy Commission
16:25	Yellow River Ecological Corridor Program	Ms. Silvia Cardascia , Water Resources Specialist, Asian Development Bank
16:30	The Special Policy Study on High-Quality Development of River Basins and Adaptation to Climate Change of CCICED (pre-recorded)	Mr. Xiaojiang Li , Special Advisor of the Secretariat of China Council for International Cooperation on Environment and Development (CCICED)
16:35	Transition to Questions and Answer and Discussion	Mr. Tom Panella
16:36	Q&A	Moderator, audience, speakers
16:58	Closing remarks	Mr. Tom Panella