

# Avoiding loss of high-carbon soils through peatland mapping and monitoring for climate action

Side event UN Climate Change Conference 2019 (COP 25/CMP 15/CMA 2)

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16:45-18:15 (UTC+01:00)

Room 1

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16:45	Opening remarks	Mr Takahiro MORITA, Senior Deputy Director, Global Environment Department, Japan International Cooperation Agency
16:50	Presentation	Mr. Gabriel Quijandría Acosta, Vice Minister of Strategic Development of Natural Resources, Ministry of Environment
17:00	Presentation	Mr Hans Joosten, Professor, Greifswald Mire Centre
17:07	Keynote lecture	Mr. Osaki, Professor, Hokkaido University
17:14	Peatland mapping and monitoring: Priorities for climate action	Ms Liva Kaugure, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations - FAO
17:21	Discussion Panel Research and technical issues	Moderator
	Questions & Answers	Ms Dianna Kopansky, Global Peatlands Coordinator, UN Environment Programme
17:35	Presentations (4min each)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Democratic Republic of the Congo</li> </ul>	Professor Corneille EWANGO EKOKINYA, University of Kisangani
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ministry of Environment and Forestry Indonesia</li> </ul>	Ms Sri Parwati Murwani Budi Susanti, Director Peatland Degradation Control
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ASEAN experience</li> </ul>	Mr Faizal Parish, Director, Global Environment Centre
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ministry of Environment of Peru</li> </ul>	Ms. Christina Rodriguez is Director of Adaptation to Climate Change and Desertification - Ministry of Environment
17:57	Discussion	Moderator UN Environment
		Ms Dianna Kopansky, Global Peatlands Coordinator, UN Environment Programme
18:10	Wrap up and closing remarks	Mr Faizal Parish, Director, Global Environment Centre and Professor Joosten, Greifswald Mire Centre