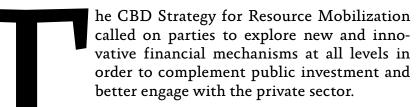


WEDNESDAY 14 DECEMBER 2016 @ 13:15 (ID # 2227)
SIDE-EVENT 2 ROOM, UNIVERSAL BUILDING

Food and drinks will be served



Experience has been gained on how these innovative financial mechanisms really work on the ground, especially for funding and in-

centivizing biodiversity conservation in and around protected areas. We can thus draw lessons on what are the needed pre-conditions, success factors and risks of such mechanisms as well as on how they can be combined synergistically to leverage financial resources and foster efficient management.

This side event invites Parties and other stakeholders to share lessons learnt on innovative financial mechanisms and their role in sustainable financing strategies for protected areas at national and site-level. It will showcase practical examples and present highlights of a review of experiences from international cooperation (including French and German).

Results on impacts, critical conditions, limitations and recommendations for scaling-up will be commented by country representatives and thoroughly discussed with those attending.



## Facilitation:

Ms. Marianne Alker (GIZ) and Mr Renaud Lapeyre (IDDRI)

## Speakers:

Mr. Yann Laurans, IDDRI: Innovating for biodiversity conservation in African protected areas: funding and incentives. Insights from 3 countries.

Mr. Augustin Berghöfer, UFZ: Enhancing the financial sustainability of biodiversity conservation Conclusions from a review of experience in German development cooperation.

Ms. **Katia Karousakis**, OECD: Sustainable financing of marine protected areas













