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# Ecosystem-based Adaptation and Disaster Risk Reduction: Launch of the EbA Solutions Portal under the PANORAMA Initiative

Side Event  
at Rio Conventions  
Pavilion

## Date, time and venue

6th December; 15.00 to 16.00

Moon Palace

*Food and drinks will be served during an evening reception*

## Contact / Organizers

The Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity (SCBD) & GIZ Global Project Mainstreaming Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA)

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## Speakers

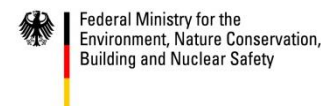
- Dr Elsa Nickel, Director Nature Conservation & Sustainable Use of Nature German Federal Ministry for Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety (BMUB) (tbc)
- Tanja Gönner, CEO Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)
- Trevor Sandwith, Director Global Protected Areas Programme International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)
- Andrew Rhodes, General Director of Institutional Development and Outreach National Protected Area Commission (CONANP) Mexico

**Moderator:** Dr Arno Sckeyde

**Content:** The event will present the new EbA Solution Portal to the public as an open global knowledge exchange hub for practical solutions for ecosystem-based adaptation. The portal highlights success factors of EbA measures and how they contribute to international commitments such as the SDG, Aichi targets, (I)NDCs and Sendai Framework targets. **Selected solution providers will share their success stories with the audience.** The portal being part of the joint web platform PANORAMA will be launched by representatives from BMUB, partner countries GIZ and IUCN. The session intends to create an exchange between solution providers and seekers from different regions from the biodiversity and climate change community.



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