

LEADERS EVENT FOR NATURE & PEOPLE

MONDAY 28 SEPTEMBER 2020

09.00 – 10.30 AM EDT



MASTER OF CEREMONY

Ms. Musonda Mumba, Chair of the Global Partnership on Forest and Landscape Restoration

OPENING

H.E Mr Volkan Bozir, President of the UN General Assembly

H.E Mr Antonio Guterres, UN Secretary General

Mr Marco Lambertini, Director General WWF International

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Theme 1: Nature & People

Heads of State & Government pre-recorded statements

H.E. Ms. Ursula von der Leyen, President of the European Commission

H.E. Mr. Iván Duque Márquez, President of the Republic of Colombia

H.E. Mr. Uhuru Kenyatta, President of the Republic of Kenya

H.E. Mr. David Kabua, President of the Republic of the Marshall Islands

H.E. Mr. Alexander van der Bellen, Federal President of the Republic of Austria

H.E. Ms. Jeanine Áñez, Constitutional President of the Plurinational State of Bolivia

H.E. Mr. Danny Faure, President of the Republic of Seychelles

H.E. Mr. Imran Khan, Prime Minister of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan

H.E. Dr János Áder, President of Hungary

H.E. Mr Laurentino Cortizo Cohen, President of the Republic of Panama

H.E. Mr. Martín Vizcarra Cornejo, President of the Republic of Peru

Leaders from across the world and from all sectors of society

Mr. Emmanuel Faber, Chairman and CEO of Danone & Chair of One Planet Business for Biodiversity (OP2B)

Ms. Sofia Sprechmann, Secretary General of CARE International

Prof Martin Palmer, CEO of FaithInvest

Bitaté Uru-Eu-Wau-Wau, coordinator of the Jupaú Indigenous Association

Ms. Maria Neira, Director of Department of Environment, Climate Change and Health, World Health Organization (WHO)

ARTISTS INTERLUDE - *Tatiana Arocha*

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Theme 2: More Nature by 2030

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H.E. Mr. Francisco Guterres Lu Olo, the President of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste
His Serene Highness Prince Albert II of Monaco

H.E. Mr. Borut Pahor, President of the Republic of Slovenia

H.E. Mr. Andrej Babiš, Prime Minister of the Czech Republic

H.E. Rt Hon Boris Johnson MP, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Dr. Lotay Tshering, MBBS, MD, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Bhutan

H.E. Mr. Xavier Bettel, Prime Minister and Minister of State of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

H.E. Mr. K. P. Sharma Oli, Prime Minister of the Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal

H.E. Mr. Ion Chicu, Prime Minister of the Republic of Moldova

A collated video of statements from other governmental leaders:

H.E. Ms. Isabella Lövin, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Environment and Climate of Sweden

H.E. Mr. Wilfred Elrington, Attorney General, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Belize

H.E. Mr. Pekka Haavisto, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Finland

Ms. Barbara Pompili, Minister for the Ecological Transition of the French Republic

Ms. Svenja Schulze, Federal Minister for Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety of the Federal Republic of Germany

Mr. Sergio Costa, Minister of the Environment and of the Protection of the Territory and of the Sea of the Republic of Italy

Ms. Martha Delgado, Viceminister of Multilateral Affairs and Human Rights, Mexico

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Ms. Natalia Greene, President, CEDENMA, Coordinadora Ecuatoriana de Agroecología (CEA)

Ms. Claudia López Hernández, Mayor of the City of Bogota

CEOs from Financial Institutions present a Finance for Biodiversity Pledge

Mr. Johan Rockström, Director of the Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research & Sandrine Dixson-Declève, Co-President of the Club of Rome and Lead of the Planetary Emergency Partnership

Ms. Jennifer Morris, CEO of The Nature Conservancy

LIVE OPEN LEADERS CONVERSATION: What will it take to address the planetary emergency?

Moderator: Mr. Achim Steiner, UNDP Administrator

H.E. Carlos Alvarado Quesada, President of the Republic of Costa Rica

H.E. The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada

H.E. Ms. Erna Solberg, Prime Minister of Norway

Mr. Carlos Manuel Rodriguez, CEO and Chairperson of the Global Environment Facility

LEADERS PLEDGE ENDORSEMENT CEREMONY

Heads of State and Government Endorsement moment

ARTISTS INTERLUDE - *Lina Puerta (Music by Dustin Carlson)*

CLOSING REMARKS

Call to Action: **Ms. Elizabeth Mrema**, Executive Secretary, CBD

Closing Remarks: **Ms. Inger Andersen**, Executive Director, UNEP

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