

## Sub-forum 2

# Mainstreaming Ecological Civilization and Biodiversity Conservation

### 1. Concept note

In this context, the forum invites international and Chinese well-known experts and scholars, international organizations, national ministries and local governments, research institutions, private sectors, civil society and media to explore the integration and top design of ecological civilization and biodiversity conservation for mainstreaming, share best global and domestic practices, and build up the multi-stakeholders collaborative mechanism for mainstreaming biodiversity conservation to cultivate ecological civilization and biodiversity conservation, building a community with shared future for human and nature.

### 2. Organizing Information

Organizers:

- Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, MEE (NIES)
- China Wild Plant Conservation Association (CWPCA)
- World Resources Institute (WRI)

Co-Organizers:

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)
- Endangered Species Scientific Commission, PRC
- Bytedance Public Welfare Foundation
- Inner Mongolia Yili Industrial Group Co.,Ltd

### 3. Anticipated outcomes

A compilation of the forum's research results, and a policy proposal for promoting the mainstreaming of ecological civilization and biodiversity.

## Proposed Agenda

Time: Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> 14:00-18:00 (Beijing Time)

Venue: Conference Room 02, Pavilion 4, 3/F, Kunming Dianchi Convention & Exhibition Center

### Opening Remarks

Moderator: Xu Haigen, Deputy Director-General, Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, MEE (NIES)

14:00-14:20	Zhang Zhili, Vice Governor of Yunnan province
	Cui Shuhong, Director General of Department of Natural Ecological Protection, Ministry of Ecology and Environment
	Huang Jianhua, Counsel, National Forestry and Grassland Administration
	Ahmed Saeed, Vice President of Asian Development Bank (ADB) (video)
	Aniruddha Dasgupta, President and CEO, World Resources Institute (WRI) (video)

### Keynote Speeches

Moderator: Xu Haigen, Deputy Director-General, Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, MEE (NIES)

14:20-15:10	Title: Addressing biodiversity conservation integrated into the system of ecological civilization Speaker: Wei Fuwen, Academician, Institute of Zoology, Chinese Academy of Sciences and Executive Director, Endangered Species Scientific Commission, PRC
	Title: Institutional promotion system of biodiversity conservation Speaker: Ma Keping, Chairman of the Asian Membership Committee of IUCN and Secretary-general of the International Biodiversity Programme (DIVERSITAS) China Committee
	Title: Conserving biodiversity in a world needing more food ambitions Speaker: Craig Hanson, Vice President for Food, Forest, Water & the Ocean, World Resources Institute (WRI) (video)

	<p>Title: Rural ecological civilization construction boosts biodiversity conservation</p> <p>Speaker: Zhao Keqiang, Director-General, Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, MEE (NIES)</p>
	<p>Title: China's Progress in Fulfilling the National Plant Protection Strategy</p> <p>Speaker: Ren Hai, Director-General, South China Botanical Garden, Chinese Academy of Sciences (SCIB)</p>
15:10-15:20	break
<p><b>Dialogue I: Ecological Civilization and Global Biodiversity Conservation</b></p> <p>Moderator: Fang Li, Country Director, World Resources Institute (WRI) China</p> <p>Theme: To exchange strategies and experiences on the concept of ecological civilization and global biodiversity conservation.</p>	
15:20-16:10	<p><b>Guest Speakers (8 in total, 6 mins each)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Christoffer Grønstad, Counsellor, Environment, Royal Norwegian Embassy in Beijing</li> <li>● Carlos Watson, FAO Representative to the People's Republic of China (online)</li> <li>● Li Haidong, Professor and Deputy Director of Ecological Civilization Center, Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences (NIES), Ministry of Ecology and Environment</li> <li>● Li Shuisheng, Director-General of Ecology Environment Bureau of Shenzhen Municipality</li> <li>● Fan Shenggen, Chair Professor and Dean, Academy of Global Food Economics and Policy (AGFEP), China Agricultural University (CAU)</li> <li>● Lei Hongpeng, Director, Climate Change / Chief Representative of China, Children's Investment Fund Foundation (CIFF) (online)</li> <li>● Giovanni Ruta, Lead Environmental Economist, Environment, Natural Resources and Blue Economy Global Practice, World Bank</li> <li>● Zhao Xin, Vice President of Inner Mongolia Yili Industrial Group</li> </ul>

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<b>Dialogue II: Practice and Progress of biodiversity mainstreaming</b> Moderator: Li Runming, Director of China Wild Plant Conservation Association (CWPCA)	
16:10-17:00	<b>Guest Speakers (8 in total, 6 mins each)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Peter Wyse Jackson, Global Partnership for Plant Conservation (GPPC) (video)</li> <li>● Paul Smith, Botanic Gardens Conservation International (BGCI) (video)</li> <li>● Anastasiya Timoshyna, Trade Records Analysis of Fauna &amp; Flora in Commerce (TRAFFIC) (video)</li> <li>● Liu Yan, Researcher, Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, MEE (NIES)</li> <li>● Long Chunlin, Professor, Minzu University of China (MUC)</li> <li>● Dong Guixin, Secretary-general, Guangdong Chimelong Charity Foundation</li> <li>● Yang Jie, Vice Chairman, Bytedance Public Welfare Foundation</li> <li>● Zhang Xincheng, Representative of social activists, Chinese young actor</li> </ul>
<b>Dialogue III: Biodiversity mainstreaming and Livelihoods in wetlands</b> Co-moderator: Bruno Carrasco, Director General of SDCC, Asian Development Bank (ADB) (online) Xu Haigen, Deputy Director-General, Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, MEE (NIES)	
17:10-17:50	<b>Guest Speakers (8 in total, 5 mins each)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Woonchong Um, Director General of Management, Asian Development Bank (video)</li> <li>● Inspirational Launch video: Messages from President of Asian Development Bank (ADB) Masatsugu Asakawa and CEO of GEF Carlos Manuel (video)</li> <li>● Hank Paulson, Founder / Chairman, Paulson Institute (video)</li> <li>● Guo Huijun, President, Southwest Forestry University</li> <li>● Shi Junchao, Researcher, Yunnan Academy of Social Sciences</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Patricia Zurita, CEO, BirdLife International (online)</li> <li>● Robb Kaler, Chair, East Asia-Australia Migration Routes Partnership (EAAFP) (video)</li> </ul>
<b>Closing Remarks</b>	
17:50-18:00	Zhao Keqiang, Director-General, Nanjing Institute of Environmental Sciences, MEE (NIES)