

Proteus Annual Meeting 2020

DRAFT Agenda

Reflections on the Partnership to date and looking towards the next phase of Proteus

Agenda

Dates

Day 1	Mon 21 st Sep 2020	13:30 to 15:30 BST	Proteus Finances and the 2021-2025 Strategy
Day 2	Tues 22 nd Sept 2020	13:30 to 15:30 BST	Proteus in Context
Day 3	Wed 23 rd Sept 2020	13:30 to 15:30 BST	Building Back Better
Day 4	Thurs 24 th Sept 2020	13:30 to 15:30 BST	New Datasets and Tools for Biodiversity Management
Day 5	Fri 25 th Sept 2020	13:30 to 15:30 BST	Global Context for Business and Biodiversity: 2021 and Beyond

Meeting Details

The meeting will be held via Zoom. Links and further details will be provided on registration [here](#).

Introduction

This year's Proteus Annual Meeting will be the last in the current phase (2016-2020) of the Partnership, and will be held remotely due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic. The meeting provides an opportunity to review the achievements of Proteus over the last five years, as well discuss current biodiversity topics and the emerging (yet somewhat postponed) policy horizon. After several months of the devastating impacts of the Covid-19 pandemic, there is a lot to consider as we look forward to the next phase of the Partnership. Great uncertainty still exists about the magnitude and duration of the pandemic, and what the economic consequences will be. We hope this year's annual meeting will be an opportunity both to reflect and to look to the future during these challenging times.

Objectives

- To agree the Proteus strategy for 2021-2025.
- To take stock of the Partnership's progress to date, and review its achievements over the last five years.
- To explore the impact of Proteus and determine, with Partners, how that impact can be enhanced and the membership of Proteus broadened in the next phase.
- To share information on post-Covid recovery plans and priorities.
- To highlight and discuss emerging issues and trends in biodiversity conservation, science and policy of strategic relevance to Proteus members.

Pre-read

- Proteus 2021 - 2025 Strategy
- Technical Briefing Note: Natural and Modified Habitat (available [here](#))

Monday 21st September 2020

Proteus Annual Meeting Day 1

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
12:30 BST	Lobby open	
13:00 – 13:30 BST	Virtual Lobby: Participants are encouraged to join the meeting early to talk with peers before the session starts. Virtual meeting rooms will be available.	

Proteus Finances and the 2021-2025 Strategy [CLOSED SESSION]		
13:30 – 15:30 BST	Welcome	
	Remarks: Welcome and Setting the Scene	Corli Pretorius Deputy Director UNEP-WCMC
	Proteus Finances	
	Presentation: Overview of Proteus Finances	Sebastian Bekker Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
	Proteus Strategy 2021-2025	
	Presentation: Overview and Agreement of updated Proteus Strategy 2021-2025	Jonty Knox Senior Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
	Breakout Groups: Starting the Next Phase of Proteus	Breakout group 1: Corli Pretorius Breakout group 2: Neville Ash Breakout group 3: Naomi Kingston Breakout group 4: Matt Jones
	Close	
Thanks and Close	Corli Pretorius Deputy Director UNEP-WCMC	

Tuesday 22nd September 2020

Proteus Annual Meeting Day 2

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
12:30 BST	Lobby open	
13:00 – 13:30 BST	Virtual Lobby: Participants are encouraged to join the meeting early to talk with peers before the session starts. Virtual meeting rooms will be available.	
Proteus in Context [OPEN SESSION]		
13:30 – 15:30 BST	Welcome	
	Remarks: Welcome and Introduction	Neville Ash Director UNEP-WCMC
	Proteus 2016 – 2020	
	Presentation: Proteus in Context	Corli Pretorius Deputy Director UNEP-WCMC
	Presentation: Successes and Impacts of the Current Phase	Jonty Knox Senior Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
	Panel: Reflections on Proteus 2016 - 2020	<u>Facilitator</u> Matt Jones Head of Programme Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
	Close	
	Remarks: Thanks and Close	Neville Ash Director UNEP-WCMC

Wednesday 23rd September 2020

Proteus Annual Meeting Day 3

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
12:30 BST	Lobby open	
13:00 – 13:30 BST	Virtual Lobby: Participants are encouraged to join the meeting early to talk with peers before the session starts. Virtual meeting rooms will be available.	
Building Back Better [OPEN SESSION]		
13:30 – 15:30 BST	Welcome	
	Remarks: Welcome	Jonny Hughes WCMC CEO UNEP-WCMC
	Building Back Better	
	Presentation: TBC	Steven Stone Chief, Resources and Markets Branch Economy Division, UNEP
	Presentation: Nature Risk Rising and Building Back Better	Akanksha Khatri Head, Nature Action Agenda World Economic Forum
	Presentation: Climate Smart Mining	Daniele La Porta Senior Mining Specialist World Bank
	Peer-to-Peer Presentations	
	Partner Presentation(s): Green recovery and building back better / Post-Covid Recovery Plans and Priorities	Theresia Ott Chief advisor: Environment Rio Tinto
		Steven Dickinson Senior Environment Adviser TOTAL
	Discussion: Building back better	Jonty Knox Senior Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
Close		
Remarks: Thanks and Close	Jonny Hughes WCMC CEO UNEP-WCMC	

Thursday 24th September 2020

Proteus Annual Meeting Day 4

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
12:30 BST	Lobby open	
13:00 – 13:30 BST	Virtual Lobby: Participants are encouraged to join the meeting early to talk with peers before the session starts. Virtual meeting rooms will be available.	

New Datasets and Tools for Biodiversity Management [OPEN SESSION]

13:30 – 15:00 BST	Welcome		
	Remarks: Welcome and Introduction	Corli Pretorius Deputy Director, UNEP-WCMC	
	New Datasets and Tools		
	Presentation: Microsoft's AI for Earth program	Bruno Sánchez-Andrade Nuño Principal Scientist Microsoft 'AI for Earth'	
	Presentation: A Global Layer for Restoration Potential	Bernardo Strassburg Founder and Executive Director International Institute for Sustainability	
	Presentation: MiCO Update	Daniel Dunn Senior Lecturer, School of Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of Queensland, Australia	
	Presentation: Mapping Environmentally Sensitive Assets	Leo Murphy Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC	Ragnvald Larsen Chief Engineer Norwegian Environment Agency
	Data Forum: Natural and Modified Habitat layer	Andrea Baquero Programme Officer Science, UNEP-WCMC	Theresia Ott Chief advisor: Environment Rio Tinto
	Breakout Groups: Deeper Dive into Datasets and Tools	<u>Facilitator</u> Lauren Weatherdon Senior Programme Officer Conserving Land and Seascapes, UNEP-WCMC	
	Close		
Remarks: Thanks and Close	Corli Pretorius Deputy Director, UNEP-WCMC		

Friday 25th September 2020

Proteus Annual Meeting Day 5

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker	
13:00 BST	Lobby open		
Global Context for Business and Biodiversity: 2021 and Beyond [OPEN SESSION]			
13:30 – 15:30 BST	Welcome		
	Remarks: Welcome and Global Policy Context for Biodiversity in 2021	Neville Ash Director, UNEP-WCMC	
	Global Context for Biodiversity in 2021		
	Presentation: Business for Nature	Peter White Ambassador, COP-15/Biodiversity WBCSD	
	Presentation: Metrics, Targets and Indicators	Speaker TBC Science Based Targets Network	
	Presentation: The Future of ENCORE	Katie Leach Senior Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC	Jessica Smith Ecosystems Lead UNEP-FI
	Business and Biodiversity in 2021 and Beyond		
	Panel: Business and Biodiversity in 2021 and beyond	<u>Facilitator</u> Neville Ash Director UNEP-WCMC	
	Close		
	Remarks: Summary and Close	Neville Ash Director UNEP-WCMC	
15:30 – 16:30 BST	Participant Social Session – hosted by UNEP-WCMC on Zoom		