

# Proteus Annual Meeting 2020

## Agenda

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

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### Dates

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

### Meeting Details

Day 1	<a href="https://zoom.us/j/98047040249?pwd=KzBPY0JCUG10dm9Va0tERTRKL0hIU09">https://zoom.us/j/98047040249?pwd=KzBPY0JCUG10dm9Va0tERTRKL0hIU09</a>	[Closed Session]
Day 2-5	<a href="https://zoom.us/j/96493490455?pwd=T3B3T1o2VWISRWo4S0o1RFNLMVV4QT09">https://zoom.us/j/96493490455?pwd=T3B3T1o2VWISRWo4S0o1RFNLMVV4QT09</a> Meeting ID: 964 9349 0455 Passcode: 825683	[Open Session]

### 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 21<sup>st</sup> September 2020

## Proteus Annual Meeting Day 1

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
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12:30 BST	Lobby open	
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13:00 – 13:30 BST	<b>Virtual Lobby:</b> Participants are encouraged to join the meeting early to talk with peers before the session starts. Virtual meeting rooms will be available.	
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### Proteus Finances and the 2021-2025 Strategy [CLOSED SESSION]

13:30 – 15:30 BST	<b>Welcome</b>	
	Remarks: <b>Welcome and Setting the Scene</b>	<b>Corli Pretorius</b> Deputy Director UNEP-WCMC
	<b>Proteus Finances</b>	
	Presentation: <b>Overview of Proteus Finances</b>	<b>Sebastian Bekker</b> Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
	<b>Proteus Strategy 2021-2025</b>	
	Presentation: <b>Overview and Agreement of updated Proteus Strategy 2021-2025</b>	<b>Jonty Knox</b> Senior Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
	Breakout Groups: <b>Starting the Next Phase of Proteus</b> These discussions will help inform the Proteus work plan for 2021 and could cover:	<u>Facilitator</u> <b>Jonty Knox</b> Senior Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC  Breakout group 1: <b>Corli Pretorius</b> Breakout group 2: <b>Neville Ash</b> Breakout group 3: <b>Naomi Kingston</b> Breakout group 4: <b>Matt Jones</b>
	<b>Close</b>	
	Thanks and Close	<b>Corli Pretorius</b> Deputy Director UNEP-WCMC



# Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2020

## Proteus Annual Meeting Day 2

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
12:30 BST	Lobby open	

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

# Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2020

## Proteus Annual Meeting Day 3

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
12:30 BST	Lobby open	

13:00 – 13:30 BST	<b>Virtual Lobby:</b> Participants are encouraged to join the meeting early to talk with peers before the session starts. Virtual meeting rooms will be available.	
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Building Back Better [OPEN SESSION]		
13:30 – 15:30 BST	Welcome	
	Remarks: <b>Welcome</b>	<b>Jonny Hughes</b> WCMC CEO UNEP-WCMC
	<b>Building Back Better</b>	
	Presentation: <b>Why should business care about building back better?</b>	<b>Steven Stone</b> Chief, Resources and Markets Branch Economy Division, UNEP
	Presentation: <b>Nature Risk Rising</b>	<b>Akanksha Khatri</b> Head, Nature Action Agenda World Economic Forum
	Presentation: <b>Climate Smart Mining</b>	<b>Daniele La Porta</b> Senior Mining Specialist World Bank
	<b>Peer-to-Peer Presentations</b>	
	Partner Presentation: <b>Enabling a green recovery: an industry perspective</b>	<b>Theresia Ott</b> Chief advisor: Environment Rio Tinto
	Partner Presentation: <b>TOTAL 2030 Biodiversity Ambition &amp; Commitments</b>	<b>Steven Dickinson</b> Senior Environment Adviser TOTAL
	Discussion: <b>Building back better</b>	<b>Jonty Knox</b> Senior Programme Officer Business and Biodiversity, UNEP-WCMC
	<b>Close</b>	
	Remarks: <b>Thanks and Close</b>	<b>Jonny Hughes</b> WCMC CEO UNEP-WCMC

# Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2020

## Proteus Annual Meeting Day 4

Time	Activity/Presentation	Speaker
12:30 BST	Lobby open	

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



# Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2020

## Proteus Annual Meeting Day 5

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