



PROGRAMME

Accelerating urban nature-based solutions:

A Latin American-European collaboration

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Tuesday 14th May – Evening reception

17:45

punctually at main entrance of **Barcelona City Council**, Plaza St. Jaume s/n.

Wednesday 15th May (am) – Conference plenary (IEC)

8:30	Doors open, registration & coffee
9:00	Start
9:30	Maria Buhigas i San José (Chief Architect, Barcelona) – Welcome to Barcelona
9:50	Fleur van Oostroom Brummel (EC DG RTD) – European NBS R&I and the EU-LAC policy dialogue
10:05	Tom Wild (University of Sheffield) – Introduction to conference & H2020 Conexus project
10:15	Conexus-City dialogues I Facilitator: Corina Basnou (CREAF)
(15 mins)	Engaging with NBS: growing, extending & marketing, with the Bogota Life-Lab Jon Porter (Oppla), Diana Ruiz-Rios (Instituto Alexander von Humboldt)
(15 mins)	Contextualising, integrating & planning NBS in cities & peri-urban landscapes, with the Santiago Life-Lab Jaime Hernandez Garcia (Pontificia Universidad Javeriana), Isabel Brain (Gobierno Regional Metropolitano Santiago)
(15 mins)	Restoring urban ecosystems: demonstrating place-based NBS, with the Lisbon Life-Lab Geovana Mercado (SLU), Paula Nicolau (Câmara Municipal de Lisboa)
(15 mins)	Analysing, synthesising & guiding NBS knowledge & uptake, with the Torino Life-Lab Martina van Lierop (Technische Universität München), Riccardo Saraco (Città di Torino)
11:15	Break
11:45	Conexus-City dialogues II Facilitator: Denise Duarte (Universidade de São Paulo)
(15 mins)	Values, valorisation & investment in NBS, with the Buenos Aires & San Martin Life-Lab Mariana Giusti (Consejo Nacional Investigaciones Científicas Técnicas – CONICET), Anibal del Olmo (Gobierno de la Ciudad de Buenos Aires) & Demián Rotbart (Municipalidad de General San Martín)
(15 mins)	Hubbing, sharing & clustering experiences & capacities, with the Barcelona Life-Lab Martin Grisel (EUKN), Marc Montlleo (Barcelona Regional team)
(15 mins)	Transdisciplinary urban NBS research & innovations programmes, with the São Paulo Life-Lab Tom Wild (University of Sheffield), Rodrigo Ravena (Prefeitura do Município São Paulo) & Giuliano Locosselli (Universidade de São Paulo)
12:30	Q&A with audience
(30 mins)	Facilitators: Corina Basnou (CREAF) & Denise Duarte (Universidade de São Paulo)
13:00	Lunch

Wednesday 15th May (pm)

14:00	Study Tour to Barcelona city SUDS sites (assemble at IEC) (Marc Montlleo/Barcelona Regional team)
19:30	Conference Dinner: Novotel Barcelona City , Avenida Diagonal 201, Barcelona.

Thursday 16th May – Workshop sessions (see detailed programmes for each workshop)

9:00 – 9:30	Registration
9:30 – 10:00	Coffee
10:00 – 10:30	Keynote speaker
10:30 – 12:00	Session 1
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 14:30	Session 2
14:30 – 15:00	Coffee
15:00 – 16:30	Session 3
16:30 – 17:00	Wrap up

Friday 17th May (am) – Conference plenary

8:30	Coffee
9:00	Start & announcements: Tom Wild (University of Sheffield) & Marc Montlleo (Barcelona Regional team)
9:15 (30 mins)	Keynote: Ophélie Drouault (UNEP): NBS for climate resilient cities: perspectives and experiences from Latin America.
9:45 (30 mins)	Workshop summaries (report back) – Facilitator: Stephan Pauleit (Technische Universität München) Governance, politics & planning: Arjen Buijs (Wageningen University) & Sander van der Jagt (Heriot-Watt University)
(30 mins)	Ecology & Environment: Cynnamon Dobbs (Universidad Mayor/ University of Connecticut) & Kumelachew Yeshitela
10:45	Break
11:15 (30 mins)	Workshop summaries (report back) – Facilitator: Stephan Pauleit (Technische Universität München) Social, cultural & educational priorities: Asa Ode Sang (SLU) & Noor Azlin Binti Yahya
(30 mins)	Economics, values & work: Daniel Kozak (CONICET) & Ophélie Drouault (UNEP)
12:15 (30 mins)	Q&A and sum-up Alexis Vasquez (Universidad de Chile), Federica Risi (EUKN) & Thomas Randrup (SLU)
12:45	Close & thanks Tom Wild (University of Sheffield)
13:00	Lunch
14:00	Conference ends

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