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Climate meets biodiversity

A Greens/EFA conference

The conference is hosted by MEPs Sandrine Bélier, Bas Eickhout and Satu Hassi on behalf of the Greens/EFA. DRAFT PROGRAMME

**Tuesday 5 October 2010
14:00-17:00**

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Introduction

Yannick Jadot - Member of the Greens/EFA Group in the EP

14:15-15:30

Session 1 - Global environment diplomacy and the role of the EU: can Europe make a difference at Nagoya and Cancun?

14:15-14:30

Moderator: **Bas Eickhout** - Member of the Greens/EFA Group in the EP

Synergies between climate and biodiversity

Wolfgang Cramer,

Environmental geographer, Plant ecologist and Professor of global ecology at Potsdam University

14:30-14:45

The Japanese Presidency of the Nagoya Summit:

Yoshinori Tanaka,

Environment Attaché, Mission of Japan to the EU

14:45-15:00

What is at stake for climate at Cancun?

Jason Anderson, Head of European Climate and Energy Policy, WWF European Policy

15:00-15:30
15:30-15:45
15:45-17:00

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Debate

Break

**Session 2 - Biodiversity
and climate synergies**

Moderator: **Sandrine Bélier** -
Member of the Greens/EFA
Group in the EP

15:45-16:00

***How climate change is
impacting on biodiversity loss***

Ariel Brunner, Head of EU
Policy, Bird Life

16:00-16:15

***How a protected biodiversity is
mitigating climate change and
how ecosystem-based
approaches can help us to adapt
to climate change***

Karin Zaunberger, Policy
officer , DG ENV Biodiversity
Unit, European Commission

16:15-16:45

Debate

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Conclusions

Sandrine Bélier - Member of
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