



Cooperation for the Convention on Biological Diversity

## Training session on SBSTTA 26 substantive agenda items

(April 2nd 2024, online)

### Programme

14:00 – 14:15	Introduction of the session
14:15 – 17:15	4 thematic (consecutive) sessions
	<p><b>14:15 – 15:00 Monitoring framework for the Kunming-Montreal GBF</b> (item 3), presented by  <b>Joachim Paul Töpper</b>, Senior Research Scientist at Norwegian Institute for Nature Research (NINA), and  <b>Han de Koeijer</b>, Belgian CHM NFP at Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences (RBINS)</p>
	<p><b>15:00 – 15:55 SynBio</b> (items 5, 6 and 7)  Risk assessment/management and Detection of LMOs from a policy perspective by <b>Jens Warrie</b>, Expert on Genetically Modified Organisms &amp; Sustainable Food Transition, at FPS Health, Food chain safety &amp; Environment,  A summary of the Technical Series 100 document of the CBD Secretariat on synthetic biology by <b>Fanny Coppens</b>, NFP for the Biosafety Clearing-House of the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety, at Sciensano, and  Current scales of biotechnology applications relevant to the CBD, by <b>Felix Gabriel Moronta Barrios</b>, Senior Programme Specialist at the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB)</p>
	<p><b>15:55 – 16:40 Marine and coastal biodiversity</b> (items 8a and 8b), presented by  <b>Elina Virtanen</b>, Senior Research Scientist at Finnish Environment Institute, and  <b>Marie Baeckelandt</b>, Biodiversity Expert at Belgian office of the CBD NFP, RBINS</p>
	<p><b>16:40 – 17:15 Biodiversity and health</b> (item 9), presented by  <b>Richard Kock</b>, (ret.) Professor of Royal Veterinary College, University of London</p>
17:15 – 17:30	Closing

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