

Webinar Series

# Nature-Based Solutions

## Implications on design, planning, governance and economics.

Fundación Torcuato Di Tella and Delta Alliance Argentinean Wing, Delft University of Technology (TUDelft) and the International Forum on Urbanism (IFOU) are organising a series of three webinars on nature-based solutions (NBS) which will be developed in a weekly sequence during November 2020. This initiative was selected in the Call “DA Wing Activities Fund 2020” of Delta Alliance International (NL) and is also sponsored by the Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Buenos Aires.

November 11<sup>th</sup> 2020

**Webinar #1**  
Nature-Based  
Solutions.

November 18<sup>th</sup> 2020

**Webinar #2**  
NBS: Design,  
planning and  
governance.

November 25<sup>th</sup> 2020

**Webinar #3**  
NBS: Circular  
economy and  
financing.

Language of the presentations: English. There will be English-Spanish interpretation.  
Language of the discussion groups: English, Spanish, Portuguese and Chinese.

TIME | 11 hs Argentina (ART)



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## Webinar 1 General concept of NbS

Nov.11th, 2020, 11 hs. Argentina (ART)

**Institutional opening:** (Fundación Torcuato Di Tella - Delta Alliance Arg. Wing | Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Buenos Aires | IFOU | TUDelft | Secretaría de Cambio Climático, Desarrollo Sostenible e Innovación, Ministerio de Ambiente y Desarrollo Sostenible -tbc-).

**Introduction:** Dr Verónica Zagare (FTDT-DA-TUDelft).

**Presentation #1:** Dr Emmanuelle Cohen-Shacham (IUCN)

**Presentation #2:** Dr Niki Frantzeskaki (DRIFT, Erasmus University, NL).

**Presentation of Cases:** Room for the River & Room for the living Rivers, NL (Em.prof.dr.ir. Han Meyer) | Tianjin Eco-Valley, Singapur/China (Attila Katona, Naturvation)

**Discussion groups:** The audience will be divided into virtual rooms to reflect about lessons learnt and future challenges of NbS. The groups will be guided by moderators in Spanish, English, Portuguese and Chinese.

**Closure.** The audience will join the main virtual room again and the moderators will share the conclusions with the rest of the groups.

Estimated duration: 120 minutes

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## Webinar 2

## NbS: Design, Planning and Governance

Nov.18th, 2020, 11 hs. Argentina (ART)

**Institutional opening:** Fundación Torcuato Di Tella | Kim van Nieuwaal (Delta Alliance International)

**Introduction:** Dr. Diego Sepulveda Carmona (TUDelft Delta Urbanism Research group)

**Presentation #1:** Dr. Mark Scott (Univ. of Dublin)

**Presentation #2:** Dr. Chirs Zevenbergen (IHE).

**Presentation of Cases:** Water Funds in Latin America (The Nature Conservancy; Jaime Camacho – Ana Beccar Varela) | Ecological and participatory restoration in wetlands of Laguna de Guanacache, Cuyo Argentina (prof. Heber Sosa, Fundación Humedales).

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## Webinar 3

## NbS: Circular economy and financing.

Nov.25th, 2020, 11 hs. Argentina (ART)

**Institutional opening:** Dr Cynthia Goytía (UTDT-CIPUV)

**Introduction:** Lic. Hernan Carlino (FTDT).

**Presentation #1:** Dr Helen Toxopeus (University of Utrecht)

**Presentation #2:** MSc David Álvarez García (Ecoacsa, Universidad Politécnica de Madrid)

**Presentation of Cases:** Resilience by design Metropolitan region Amsterdam (Anne Loes Nillesen, Defacto) | Cascading Semarang, Water as Leverage (Monica Altamirano, Deltares)

**Discussion groups:** The audience will be divided into virtual rooms to reflect about lessons learnt and future challenges of NbS. The groups will be guided by moderators in Spanish, English, Portuguese and Chinese.

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