



The impact of climate change in mountain areas. A priority for a global action

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Vulnerable mountain ecosystems are critical for global fresh water. Covering 22% of all land, mountains are home to over 900 million people, many impoverished, food insecure and lacking resilience. This event will review needs and mechanisms for addressing climate change in mountains under the UNFCCC.

Time	Affiliation	Name and title	Title of intervention
13.15-13.25	The Mountain Institute	Andrew Taber Executive Director	Opening remarks and moderation
13.25-13.40	World Meteorological Organization	Petteri Taalas Secretary-General	Climate change in mountain areas, projections and impact
13.40-13.55	Andorra	Carles Miquel IPCC/UNFCCC Focal point Head of the Office of Energy and Climate Change, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainability Idoia Arauzo Coordinator of the Pyrenees Climate Change Observatory	The peculiarities of European massifs in a context of climate change: Andorra and the Pyrenees Climate Change Observatory in the name of the Pyrenees, the Alps and the Carpathians
13.55-14.05	Pakistan	Syed Rizwan Mahboob, Prime Minister's Focal Person on Climate Change	Climate change impacts on mountain ecosystems in Pakistan
14.05-14.15	Colombia	Camila Rodriguez Vargas Advisor Directorate Climate Change Ministry of Environment	Adaptation to Climate Impacts in water regulation and supply for the area Chingaza, Sumapaz, Guerrero
14.15-14.25	Italy	Grammenos Mastrojeni Ministry of Foreign Affairs	Mountains, climate and security: a global stake
14.25-14.35	FAO	Martin Frick Director Climate Change	Promoting Mountains in the Climate Change Agenda
14.35-14.45	Discussion		