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AGENDA — Room - Berlin, WCCB
WEDNESDAY 18 MAY 2016 | 13:15 — 14:45

PART I	<p>Ms. Shereen D'Souza Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism Ms. Olivia Serdeczny Climate Analytics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Introduction to the Warsaw International Mechanism and its Executive Committee- Overview of non-economic losses
PART II	<p>Mr. Espen Ronneberg Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme Ms. Marina Maiero World Health Organization Mr. Abias Huongo Least Developed Countries Expert Group Mr. Estebancio Castro Diaz International Alliance of Indigenous & Tribal Peoples of Tropical Forests</p>	<p>A range of practical examples on the ground. Each speaker will highlight challenges, risks, and lessons learned from national approaches and approaches at the national level.</p>
PART III	<p>Interactive roundtable discussion with audience participation</p> <p>Question 1: How national governments, international, regional and national organizations and communities could improve or develop integration of non-economic losses in the decision making processes and policies to reduce the risk of NELs? What are the challenges, risks, and approaches to address NELs?</p> <p>Question 2: How can the work of Executive Committee contribute to strengthening efforts to integrate measures to reduce the risk of non-economic losses in comprehensive approaches to address loss and damage associated with the adverse effects of climate change?</p>	



WHAT ARE NON-ECONOMIC LOSSES?

The term economic losses can be understood as the loss of resources, goods and services that are commonly traded in markets. The term non-economic losses can be understood as the remainder of **items that are not economic and are not commonly traded in markets**. The absence of a market price is one of the main reasons why assessing non-economic loss is challenging, but their effect on human welfare is no less important.

WHAT DO NON-ECONOMIC LOSSES MEAN TO YOU?

We welcome you to our photo booth, where we can take a photo of you with your **answer to this question** - individually or with colleagues. We invite you to **share your photo via Instagram or twitter** using [#climateNELs](#), [#SB44](#) and [@UNFCCC](#).

You can also **ask our side event speakers questions**. If your question is popular, it will be read out at our side event (see green box for details ⇨).

The photo booth will be open **16-18 May 2016**.

SIDE EVENT

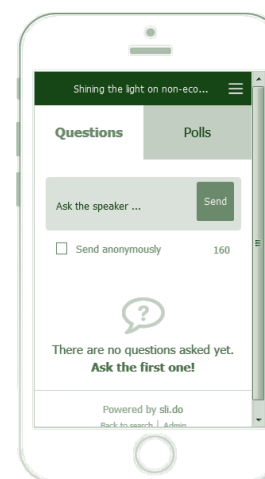
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CHALLENGES, RISKS AND LESSONS LEARNED FOR ADDRESSING THEM

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This is the first side event organized by the [Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism on Loss and Damage](#). The event will showcase some of the challenges, risks and lessons learned with addressing non-economic losses associated with climate change impacts. Find out more about the event here: [<unfccc.int/9546>](#) and about NELs in the Executive Committee here: [<unfccc.int/9431>](#).



ASK A QUESTION

1. Grab your smartphone, laptop, or tablet and connect to the Wi-Fi (PlugNPlay)
2. Open the web browser
3. Go to [<sli.do>](#) and enter the event code: **#NELs**
4. On the event page, you can ask questions and vote for the best ones

