

## Invitation

## Towards a new Compact on Peatlands for Climate Protection

German Pavilion, UNFCCC CoP 23, Bonn (Bonn Zone)

Monday, 6 November 2017 10:00 – 11:30

Peatlands cover only 3% of the global terrestrial area, but store as much carbon as the entire terrestrial biomass. Loosing peatlands' capacity for carbon sequestration means forfeiting tremendous opportunities for climate change mitigation and adaptation. Joint efforts to conserve and restore peatlands will be introduced and discussed.

## **Speakers**

Beate Jessel President of German Federal Agency for Nature Conservation (BfN)

Olaf Tschimpke President of NABU

Budi Wardhana Deputy Head of National Peatland Restoration Agency of Indonesian

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Franziska Tanneberger Head of Greifswald Mire Centre

## Moderator

Bettina Hedden-Dunkhorst Head of Division International Nature Conservation, BfN



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