## DRAFT PROGRAMME

Moderator: Giovanni Collot

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| 14:00 – 14:15 | OPENING WORDS – STANDARDS FOR CLIMATE AND NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS   | Welcoming words and setting the scene on the strategic role of European standards in support of the uptake of nature-based solutions to tackle environmental challenges and achieve a successful green transition.  
  ▶ Annika ANDREASEN, CEN Vice-President Technical |
| 14:15 – 14:40 | FIRE-SIDE CHAT – EUROPEAN REGULATORY FRAMEWORK FOR GREEN OBJECTIVES | This discussion will underpin the European Commission’s objectives for a greener and climate neutral European economy, and particularly look at the role of nature-based solutions to support the achievement of the European policy priorities such as the European Green Deal.  
  ▶ Peter LÖFFLER, Policy Officer, DG CLIMA – European Commission  
  ▶ Karin ZAUNBERGER, International Relations Officer, DG ENVI – European Commission  
  Q&A with audience |
| 14:40 – 15:40 | BUILDING ON BEST PRACTICES – THE MULTI-BENEFITS OF NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS | These case studies will provide different perspectives to highlight the multi-benefits of Nature-based solutions for businesses and society in urban and rural areas, as well as underline current or future challenges and the added-value of Standards for their successful uptake.  
  **From Research to Innovation to Market: Nature-based solutions in urban areas**  
  ▶ Bettina WILK, Senior Officer for Nature-based Solutions, Green Infrastructure and Biodiversity, ICLEI Europe  
  **Green windbreaks: Nature-based solutions for green infrastructures and rural development**  
  ▶ Rozalija CVEJIĆ, Assistant Professor - Department of Agronomy, University of Ljubljana |
15:40-16:00 BOOST BREAK

16:00 – 17:15 PANEL DISCUSSION – STANDARDIZATION SOLUTIONS TO BOOST THE UPTAKE OF NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS

This panel will discuss stakeholder needs, challenges and gaps, as well as opportunities for European standards and the role they can play to further support the uptake of Nature-based solutions for a robust green transition of EU industries. Panellists will identify key common obstacles and priorities for cross-sectoral solutions to be addressed by standardization across the identified priority areas of Green & Blue Infrastructure, Construction & Building, and Land-use & Soil.

- Jordi CORTINA-SEGARRA, Professor - Department of Ecology, University of Alicante
- Radhika MURTI, Director - Centre for Society and Governance, IUCN
- Michael NEAVES, Circular Economy Programme Manager, ECOS
- Doris SCHNEPF, Executive Partner, Green4Cities
- Efrén Feliu TORRES, Climate Change Manager, TECNALIA

Q&A with audience

17:15 - 17:30 CLOSING REMARKS

Wrap-up of the day and next steps for CEN and CENELEC

- Ronald BOON, Chair of the CEN-CENELEC Strategic Advisory Body on Environment

17:30 END OF WORKSHOP