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AN ASIA-FOCUSED MASTERCLASS BY UNEP FINANCE INITIATIVE ON
MOBILISING SUSTAINABLE FINANCE FOR NATURE

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Fees: S\$500 (in-person)
S\$270 (virtual) (exc. GST)
Fees include lunch and refreshments

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The PRB Nature Target Setting Guidance authored by the UNEP Finance Initiative aims to help the banking industry integrate nature considerations into their core practices to shift away from harmful activities and bridge the biodiversity finance gap.

Deep dive into:

- Key biodiversity policy and regulatory developments in Asia
- Nature target setting: Mapping guidance, tools, and engagement activities
- Nature-related risks and opportunities

This masterclass is suitable for:

- Chief sustainability officers and managers with ESG responsibilities
- Key sectors include finance, agriculture, manufacturing, real estate, natural resources

**11 SEPTEMBER 2024,
WEDNESDAY**

Time: 9am - 6pm (SGT)

Venue: Capital Tower, Level 9

Format: In-person and live online for regional audiences
This event is followed by a panel dialogue and networking from 4.30pm

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DETAILED AGENDA **Note that this agenda is tentative*

INTRODUCTION: THE BUSINESS OF NATURE AND BIODIVERSITY IN ASIA

- An overview of Asia's biodiversity
- The business case for biodiversity in Asia
- Key global policy and regulatory developments

A FRAMEWORK FOR BIODIVERSITY: THE KUNMING-MONTREAL GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK

- Scope and coverage of the framework
- Monitoring and reporting mechanisms
- How to use UNEP FI's nature target-setting tool for mapping and engagement

NATURE-RELATED RISKS AND OPPORTUNITIES

- Perspectives from an asset management lens
- Opportunities in green finance, biodiversity offsets, and nature-based solutions

CLOSING PANEL DISCUSSION

Over half of the global economic value generation, circa USD 58 trillion is moderately or highly dependent on nature.

Home to some of the world's richest biodiversity hotspots, Asia's central banks and financial supervisory bodies can play a critical role to influence financial flows towards incentivising nature gain, rather than nature loss.

This dialogue aims to uncover the existing challenges that connect nature with finance, as well as key signals that would unlock greater capital from Asia's leading financial institutions for critical action on nature.



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