NATURAL CAPITAL **LEADERS PLATFORM**

Second Nature 2014:

Shaping the new Natural Capital Protocol for business

Wednesday 10.00 – 12.00, 15 October 2014

The Royal Society, 6-9 Carlton House Terrace, London SW1Y 5AH (map)



The challenge: In an increasingly resource-constrained world, business needs to account for its natural capital dependencies and impacts in the same way it does for financial capital.

The response: The first ever business-led Natural Capital Protocol will provide a framework for conducting natural capital accounting that will harmonize the multitude of existing methodologies and lay the foundations for a future standard.

The Event: This invitation only, business-to-business event is a unique opportunity for companies to discuss the business drivers, shape the Protocol and be part of an exciting process to transform corporate reporting and make natural capital accounting 'second nature' for business.

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Overview

The capital from nature is already being 'drawn down' by consuming 50 percent more per year than the earth can replenish, and the rate of depletion is accelerating. In financial terms, business is no longer living off the dividends of natural capital, but off the capital itself. This creates significant unmanaged risks in supply chains that threaten the stability of business and future cash flows.

The divergence of approaches that companies are beginning to adopt in valuing and accounting for natural capital, illustrates the need to develop harmonised approaches. This would help companies apply consistent approaches, and disclose information which is comparable, material and robust for an external audience including investors.

The Natural Capital Coalition¹, a multi-stakeholder initiative, is seeking to create a harmonised framework that will help standardise how natural capital is accounted for and valued - the Natural Capital Protocol. It is supported by, among others, the United Nations Environment Programme, the World Bank's International Finance Corporation (IFC), leading global business and the accountancy profession. During 2014 and throughout 2015, the Coalition will work with a group of leading companies to develop and pilot test the Natural Capital Protocol.

The Protocol will draw on emerging work on valuation and link to existing national and international policy and frameworks. It aims to facilitate the mainstream adoption of natural capital accounting and assist with the application and adaptation of these tools and techniques to business decisions. Business applications of this protocol range from strategic decision making, responsible procurement and sourcing, management of an organisation's impacts through its supply chain, internal management reporting and external integrated reporting. An organisation's disclosures about its natural capital dependencies and impacts can be incorporated into investor analysis to determine the risks and opportunities a portfolio presents and inform better decisions about capital allocation. The Natural Capital Protocol will not only help companies to understand, quantify and communicate these risks but will also create positive changes in strategic decision making that generate business value and prosperity whilst enhancing natural capital.

Agenda

9.30	Arrival and refreshments	
10.00	Welcome	Martin Roberts
10.10	Business drivers for natural capital accounting and the role of the Protocol	Michelle Lapinski
10.30	Shaping the Natural Capital Protocol	Chris Brown
	Panel led discussion	Adrian Greet
		Stephanie Maier
11.15	A future in which natural capital accounting is second nature	
11.35	Summary and closing remarks	
11.45	Demystifying natural capital valuation: Launch of E.Valu.A.Te - The Game	Gemma Cranston
12.00	Tea, coffee and networking	

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Confirmed speakers



Chris Brown is the General Manager for Environmental Sustainability at Olam International. Olam International is a leading agri-business operating from seed to shelf in 65 countries, supplying food and industrial raw materials to over 13,600 customers worldwide. Their team of 23,000 employees has built a leadership position in many businesses including

cocoa, coffee, cashew, rice and cotton. Chris has global responsibility for guiding and supporting the business to further develop and integrate the environmental strategies, culture, tools and actions necessary for building end-to-end sustainable agricultural supply chains.



As Global Sustainability Program Director at Mars, Incorporated, Adrian Greet is responsible for managing Mars' sustainability programs across the whole value chain from farmers through to consumers. He works with the business unit's to drive innovation and best practise across all areas of sustainability (social, economic and environmental).



Michelle Lapinski works with companies and organizations to understand the value of nature in order to improve business and conservation outcomes. She is currently developing the natural capital program for the International Finance Corporation. Michelle has worked in corporate sustainability and partnerships for over 15 years, developing the

EH&S supply chain standards program for Gap Inc., co-leading the agriculture, consumer products and transportation advisory practice at Business for Social Responsibility, advising through her own consultancy SustainBiz, serving as deputy director for the Global Health and Safety Initiative healthcare non-profit, and most recently building the corporate practices and natural capital programs for The Nature Conservancy.



Stephanie Maier leads on strategy development for responsible investment. She also undertakes engagement on key environmental, social and governance ('ESG') issues and leads on the corporate responsibility element of Aviva Investors Corporate Governance and Corporate Responsibility Voting policy. She is responsible for the Corporate Responsibility programme at Aviva Investors. In September 2013, Stephanie was elected to

the Board of Directors of the UK Sustainable Investment and Finance Association. She is also the Chair of the Institutional Investors Group on Climate Change (IIGCC) Corporate Programme.



Confirmed attendees to date (including Webinar participants)

Organisation	Title	Name
Aldersgate Group	Policy Officer	Victoria Fleming-Williams
Alliance Boots	Group Head of Corporate Social Responsibility	Richard Ellis
Anglian Water	Climate Change and Biodiversity Manager	Chris Gerrard
Atkins	MD Environmental & Water Management	Mike Woolgar
AVIVA plc	Head of Responsible Investment Strategy & Research	Stephanie Maier
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BP plc	Research Associate, Low Carbon Materials Processing	Liz Curmi
Burberry Group plc	Environmental Assistant	Jocelyn Wilkinson
CEMEX	Sustainability Director	Andy Spencer
China Low-Carbon Business Alliance	Researcher	Han Cheng
Climate Disclosure Standards Board	Managing Director	Mardi McBrien
Coca-Cola Enterprises Inc	Associate Director Environment Health and Safety	Paul Smith
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DSM		Manas Sahoo
Ecodesk	Account Manager	Heather Elgar
EDF Energy	Chief environmental strategy & compliance officer	Jonathan Foot
Ernst & Young	Partner	Steven Lang
Glassolutions	Central Services Director	Richard Walker
GlaxoSmithKline plc	Director of Environmental Strategy	Brett Fulford
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Ingredion Incorporated	Director, Sustainability & Environment	Brian Nash
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Mitsubishi Corporation	CSR Manager	James Gomme
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Natural Capital Coalition	CEO	Pieter van der Gaag
Nestlé UK Ltd	Senior Public Affairs Manager for Sustainability	Betsy Reed
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Thames Water Utilities Ltd	Senior Environmental Advisor	Matt Hart
Trucost	Chief Operating Officer	Alastair MacGregor
Trucost	Head of environmental finance	Neil McIndoe
Trucost	Account Director	Tom Barnett
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