



9th session of the
**MEETING OF THE PARTIES
TO THE WATER CONVENTION**
29 September – 1 October 2021 Geneva & Hybrid

Side Event

“WATER FLOWS REGULATIONS IN A FRAGMENTED WORLD”

MONDAY, 27 September | 10:00 - 11:30 | Virtual meeting on Zoom



UPON REGISTRATION AT
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Closing Sunday 26, midnight



This event will present and assess the wide array of rules and frameworks applicable to water infrastructure such as large dams in transboundary basins. It will also discuss how legal and institutional mechanisms may help to achieve an acceptable balance among the various interests of those who may benefit from, or be impacted by large water infrastructure.

Programme

Moderator

Ms. Maria Güell i Pons, Dam Specialist, Water Global Practice, The World Bank .

Introductory remarks on the initiative “Dams: water flows regulations in a fragmented world”

Mr Alejandro Iza, Director, IUCN Environmental Law Centre and Head of the IUCN Environmental Law Programme.

Mr Christian Bréthaut, Professor, University of Geneva and Scientific Director of the Geneva Water Hub.

Review of legal tools applicable to planning, development and monitoring of dams

Ms Mara Tignino, Lead Legal Specialist, Geneva Water Hub.

Mr Diego Jara, Legal Officer, Environmental Law Center, IUCN.

Panelists

Ms Angelica Bonfanti, Professor, University of Milano.

Mr Owen McIntyre, Professor, University College Cork.

Mr Alistair Rieu-Clarke, Professor, Northumbria University.

Questions and answers

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