Greening Finance, Financing Green, Bridging the Gap

The Government of The Netherlands in cooperation with The Landscapes for People, Food and Nature Initiative invite you to the Side Events at CBD Cancun on the 7th and 8th of December 2016.

Trillions of dollars are available in funds to stop deforestation, reverse degradation, and integrate agriculture in the landscape. But these are underspent due to a mismatch between the world of finance and the one of biodiversity. At the same time, innovative solutions are being developed in a diverse range of projects around the world today. What do they teach us about bridging the gap and making the match?

You are invited to learn more about this intriguing subject in the sessions: Greening Finance, Financing Green, Bridging the Gap.
Greening Finance

When: Wednesday December 7
Time: 6:15pm
Where: Sunrise Building, second floor
Room: Asia and the Pacific Regional Group Meeting Room
Drinks afterwards

Financing Green

When: Thursday December 8
Time: 1:15pm
Where: Sunrise Building, second floor
Room: IGO’s Meeting Room

The Provisional Programme:

- Keynote speakers from the financial world discuss innovations in finance and how they fit in with biodiversity;
- Keynote speakers from the biodiversity world discuss bankable biodiversity models, ecoagriculture and natural capital accounting;
- Cases from Colombia, Spain, the Netherlands and more;
- Interactive discussions with the audience.

“The sessions have helped me to understand how much private funding potentially is available for biodiversity programming and how landscape approaches and Natural Capital Accounting can be used to mobilize it.”