



Global Biodiversity Outlook 3 Launch

Monday, 10 May 2010, 10h00 – 12h00
International Environment House II

The Global Biodiversity Outlook is the flagship publication of the Convention on Biological Diversity and the 3rd Global Biodiversity Outlook (GBO-3) will be formally launched during the International Year of Biodiversity, in all regions, on 10 May 2010. This publication is an important vehicle for informing a variety of audiences of the importance of biodiversity and the progress made in meeting the 2010 Biodiversity Target.

You are cordially invited to attend the Geneva launch of GBO-3.

Provisional Agenda

- 9h45 Coffee and drinks
- 10h00 **Welcome and introduction**
Gaetano Leone, Regional Office for Europe, UNEP
- 10h10 **GBO-3 Film projection**
- 10h15 **The 2010 biodiversity target and the international trade in species of flora and fauna**
John Scanlon, Secretary-General, CITES
- 10h30 **The 2010 biodiversity target and the status of Inland Water Ecosystems**
Anada Tiéga, Secretary-General, Ramsar Convention
- 10h45 **Species populations and extinction risks**
Jean-Christophe Vié, Species Programme, IUCN
- 11h00 **The 2010 pan European biodiversity target: current pressures on biodiversity and responses**
Ivonne Higuero, Regional Office for Europe, UNEP
- 11h15 Question-and-answer session
- 12h00 End

