

GENEVA **BEAT PLASTIC POLLUTION** DIALOGUES

**STAKEHOLDER PERSPECTIVES ON  
A GLOBAL TREATY ON PLASTIC POLLUTION:**

Priorities for Transforming the Global Plastics Economy

**MONDAY 30 AUGUST 2021  
13:00 - 14:00 CEST**

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## INVITATION

You are cordially invited to attend a Policy Roundtable organized within the framework of the [Geneva Beat Plastic Pollution Dialogues](#) on Monday 30 August 2021, from 13.00 to 14.00 CEST, opening the two-day virtual conference “[Global Governance of Plastic Pollution: Transforming the Global Plastics Economy](#)” hosted by the Global Governance Centre at the Graduate Institute Geneva, the UN Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), and supporting partners.

With over 100 countries now calling for the launch of negotiations for a new global treaty on plastic pollution in 2022, this policy roundtable will bring together a range of stakeholders to share views on the state of play and how a new treaty could help to: address gaps in international environmental cooperation on plastic pollution; tackle pollution across the entire life-cycle of plastics; and spur the economic transformation needed to shift the plastics economy – both upstream and downstream – toward more sustainable consumption and production.

Leading experts speaking at this session will highlight the importance of tackling the strong economic and political forces driving the expanding global plastics economy and associated pollution; the need for multi-stakeholder approaches; and the benefits of strengthened cooperation among the range of international organizations and multilateral processes that have a role to play in reducing plastic pollution.

## SPEAKERS

**Leticia CARVALHO** | Head, Marine and Freshwater Branch, UN Environment Programme

**Eirik LINDEBJERG** | Global Plastics Policy Manager, WWF Norway

**Karen RAUBENHEIMER** | Lecturer, Australian National Centre for Ocean Resources and Security, University of Wollongong

**Jodie ROUSSELL** | Senior Public Affairs Manager on Packaging and Environment, Nestlé

**Nils SIMON** | Senior Adviser, Adelphi Consulting

**Carsten WACHHOLZ** | Senior Policy Manager, Institutions, Governments, and Cities, Ellen MacArthur Foundation

**Erin McCLUSKEY** | Managing Director, Ocean Plastics Leadership Network

**Tom GAMMAGE** | Ocean Campaigner, Environmental Investigation Agency

**Carolyn DEERE BIRKBECK** | Director of the Forum on Trade, Environment & the SDGs (TESS) & Senior Researcher, Global Governance Centre, Graduate Institute Geneva | Moderator

## REGISTRATION

The event will take place online. Kindly register directly on the zoom platform: [tiny.cc/plastics30Aug](https://tiny.cc/plastics30Aug)

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