

"TOWARDS A ROAD TO SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIENT RECOVERY IN MOUNTAINS"

THURSDAY, 8 JULY 2021

13.00 – 14.30 EST (NEW YORK TIME) / 19.00 – 20.30 CEST (ROME TIME)

Moderator: Ms Mette Wilkie, Director, Forestry Division, UN FAO

Opening: 13.00 – 13.10
H.E. Ms Mirgul Moldoisaeva, Permanent Representative of the Kyrgyz Republic to the United Nations

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Keynote address: 13.10 – 13.40
H.E. Ms Elisenda Vives Balmaña, Permanent Representative of **Andorra** to the United Nations

H.E. Mr Amrit Bahadur Rai, Permanent Representative of **Nepal** to the United Nations

H.E. Mr Adonia Ayebare, Permanent Representative of **Uganda** to the United Nations

Mr Andrea Macchioni, Counsellor, Italian Development Cooperation, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, **Italy**

Mr François Pythoud, Special Envoy for International Sustainable Agriculture, Federal Office for Agriculture, **Switzerland**

Mr Barney Dickson, Deputy, Nature for Climate Branch, UNEP

Panel: 13.40 – 14.10
How to promote the role of women for sustainable food systems in mountains
Ms Anita Paul, Founder, Pan Himalayan Grassroots Development Foundation

Engaging mountain producers for building forward better
Ms Yoko Watanabe, Global Manager at the GEF Small Grants Programme, UNDP

Mountain tourism as a mechanism for promoting a resilient recovery
Ms Zoritsa Urosevic, Director of Institutional Relations and Partnerships, UNWTO

Mountain Partnership Secretariat and FAO [Kyrgyzstan video](#) Collaboration between fashion designer Stella Jean and women's artisan group in Barskoon, Kyrgyzstan

Panel discussion: 14.10 – 14.25
Interventions from the floor

Closing: 14.25 – 14.30
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