

# IPCC CROSS-CHAPTER 5: MOUNTAINS — SHARING KNOWLEDGE TO PROMOTE ADAPTATION INITIATIVES IN MOUNTAINS

11 NOVEMBER 2022 | 11.30 — 13.00 EET

## 11.30 OPENING REMARKS

**Carolina Adler** Executive Director,  
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## 11.35 PANEL DISCUSSION

**Mirella Gallardo** Co-Director, The  
Mountain Institute (TMI)

**Sam Kanyamibwa** Chief Executive  
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## 12.30 Q&A SESSION

## 12.50 CLOSING REMARKS

The recent publication of the IPCC Sixth Assessment Report and its Cross-Chapter Paper 5 provides an opportunity to discuss how scientific evidence can be used to strengthen participation of mountain people in national and international policy processes.

Understanding the need for adequate and coordinated support in mountain regions, this session will focus on how to use science based information to promote the inclusion of mountains in the UNFCCC texts and how to promote pro- mountain policies within frameworks such as the Rio Conventions. It will discuss the necessity of international stewardship, reinforced by a transdisciplinary approach, which includes all of these components to promote the science/policy nexus and support sustainable mountain development through a science and policy lens.



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