



Connecting Nature Impact Summit Programme Outline February 2022



Thursday 28th April

Time (CET)	Streamed sessions		On-site session
	Auditorium	Location 1	Location 2-5
9:00-9:10	Welcome & Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wim Dries, Mayor of Genk Siobhan McQuaid, CN Coordinator 	/	/
9:10 - 9:45	Thinking with Nature: Keynote: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leen Gorissen, Centre4NI 	/	/
9:45 - 10:45	Thinking with Nature <i>The Connecting Nature Framework for achieving Impact from NBS</i>	/	/
10:45-11:00	Coffee break		
11:00-12:15	Thinking with Nature <i>Policy for upscaling NbS</i>	/	
12:15-13:00	Thinking with Nature Jan Rotmans , Erasmus University	/	
13:00-14:15	Lunch		
14:15-14:30	Reflexive Monitoring exercise for participants	/	
14:30-16:00	Thinking with Nature: <i>Launch of the EC Nature-Based Economy expert publication followed by panel discussion on experience of NBS economic impact from four H2020 demonstrators</i>	Thinking with Nature: Sharing experiences on NbS to achieve impact globally	Thinking with Nature <i>Reflexive Monitoring Workshop Learning</i> Building with Nature <i>Co-production Learning Workshop with citizens</i>
16:00-16:15	Coffee break		
16:15-17:30	Living with Nature <i>"Drinkable rivers"</i> Li An Phoa	Building with Nature <i>Economic impact of NBS: Leveraging NbS to stimulate entrepreneurship and job creation</i>	Launch UrbanByNature Hub Flanders
17:30-18:00	Reflexive Monitoring exercise for participants		
Evening	Partner Dinner @Labiomista		

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9:00 - 9:30	Welcome Alderman Toon Vandeurzen Marcus Collier, Chair HLAB	/	/
9:30 - 10:00	Thinking with Nature "Climate without Borders" Key note: Jill Peeters	Building with Nature "Wetopia" Keynote: Joke Q	Living with Nature <i>Sarajevo Process Workshop with citizens</i> 9.30 - 13.00
10:00 - 11:00	Building with Nature <i>Novel forms of financing NBS and role of technology</i>	Living with Nature: <i>From co-production to new forms of multi-actor NBS governance</i>	
11:00 - 11:15	Coffee break		
11:15 - 12:00	Keynote: Social Impact of NBS	Keynote: Environmental impact of NBS	Keynote: Economic Impact of a National Park
12:00- 13:15	Living with nature: <i>Social impact through sharing experiences in allotment gardening</i>	Building with Nature: Measuring impact on biodiversity	Thinking with Nature: Co-impact session Building with Nature: StiemerDeals workshop Building with Nature Desealing in practice in Flanders
13:15- 14:30	Lunch		
14:30- 15:00	Reflexive Monitoring exercise for participants	/	
15:00- 15:30	Conclusions: Future directions for research and innovation to increase impact and uptake	/	
15.30- 16.00	Closing remarks	/	
16:00- 17:00	Reception		
Evening	Campfire Schansbroek		



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