

Morocco Pavilion

# The WEF Nexus: Towards a Resilient and Prosperous Future in the Era of Climate Change

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## Opening (20 min)

- Introduction by the moderator
  - Ms. Aline Bussmann, Co-director, CEWAS
- Opening speeches:
  - H.E. Nizar BARAKA, Minister of Equipment and Water, Morocco
  - Mr. Loïc FAUCHON, President, World Water Council
  - Mr. Almotaz Abadi, Deputy Secretary-General in charge of Water, Environment, and Blue Economy, Union for the Mediterranean

## Panel (45 min)

- Mr. Abdelaziz Zerouali, Director of Water Research and Planning, Ministry of Equipment and Water, Morocco
- Mr. Santi Baran, Director of Strategy and Partnerships, Mekong River Commission Secretariat
- Mr. Nabil Ben Khatra, Secretary General, Sahel and Sahara Observatory (OSS)
- Mrs. Yogita Mumssen, Practice Manager -Global Solutions Water, World Bank
- Mr. Anselm Duchrow, Head of the Water, Environment and Climate Sector, GIZ Morocco
- Mrs. Afire Sever, General Director Of Water Management, Turkey TBC

## Discussions (15 min)

### Conclusion and Call for Engagement (10 min)

- Summary of discussions
- Call to action for increased mobilization in favor of the WEF Nexus for better climate resilience.