

Striking the Right Balance: Aligning Climate Mitigation and Nature-Based Adaptation Financing

Webinar hosted by DNA Economics, the French Development Agency (Agence Française de Développement) and the South African Institute of International Affairs (SAIIA)

LOCATION, TIME AND DATE:

09:00-10:30 SAST, Virtual event, Thursday, February 12, 2026

Format and speakers

Item	Speaker	Time
Introduction and welcome	Shirley Robinson, DNA Economics	9:00 – 9:10
Bridging the gap between mitigation and adaptation investment	Dominic Ramos, DNA Economics	9:10 – 9:25
Scaling Financing for Ecosystem-based Adaptation	Kirsten Pearson, SAIIA	9:25 - 9:40
ESG and Capital Finance Mobilisation from a Private Sector Investment Platform	Dr Jeremy Gorelick, Green Finance Institute	9:40 – 9:55
Panel Discussion and Q&A	Dr Ohio Omiunu, SAIIA (moderator) Jeremy Gorelick, Kirsten Pearson, Dominic Ramos	9:55 – 10:20
Closure and thanks	Shirley Robinson, DNA Economics	10:20 - 10:30