





Global webinar on governance issues related to the role of IPLCs in the future DSI Multilateral Benefit-Sharing Mechanism

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State of international DSI governance

CBD COP 15 decision on a multilateral system for DSI benefit-sharing

- Benefits from the use of DSI should be shared fairly and equitably
- They should support conservation and sustainable use of biological diversity and indigenous peoples and local communities
- A multilateral mechanism for benefit-sharing from the use of DSI, including a global fund, has to be established
- Modalities of this system will be drafted until COP 16 in 2024

DSI decisions and negotiations in other international fora

- WIPO standard on DSI in patent applications
- UNCLOS BBNJ agreement on marine GR and DSI benefit-sharing
- WHO Pandemic Treaty (advanced negotiations on pathogene and genomic data benefit-sharing)
- FAO ITPGRFA and CGRFA (studies, proposal for inclusion of DSI in the SMTA of the IT, further work on DSI until the 10th Meeting of the IT Governing Body in 2023)



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CBD COP 15 decision on the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework

Goal C

The monetary and non-monetary benefits from the utilization of genetic resources, and digital sequence information on genetic resources, and of traditional knowledge associated with genetic resources, as applicable, are shared fairly and equitably, including, as appropriate with indigenous peoples and local communities, and substantially increased by 2050, while ensuring traditional knowledge associated with genetic resources is appropriately protected, thereby contributing to the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity, in accordance with internationally agreed access and benefit-sharing instruments.

Target 13

Take effective legal, policy, administrative and capacity-building **measures** at all levels, as appropriate, **to ensure** the fair and equitable **sharing of benefits** that arise from the utilization of genetic resources and from **digital sequence information** on genetic resources, **as well as traditional knowledge** associated with genetic resources, and **facilitating appropriate access to genetic resources**, and by 2030 **facilitating a significant increase of the benefits shared**, in accordance with applicable international access and benefit-sharing instruments.

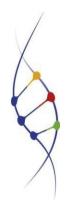


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Welcome



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Participants Poll

- Attendance Regions
- Attendance Stakeholder groups

Why this webinar, why is it timely?



Preston Hardison

Policy analyst / advisor: Tulalip tribes (Washington, USA), Tebtebba Foundation (Philippines)

Panel 1: Governance



- Paul Oldham Director at One World Analytics, Lancaster, UK
 - Data governance
- Pierre du Plessis Advisor to AUC / African Group of Negotiators / Namibia
 - Governance of the MLS
- **Terence Hay-Edie** *Programme Manager, Local Action, Indigenous Peoples Nature* at UNDP Governance "on the ground"

Facilitation:

Timothy Hodges, Mc Gill University, Montreal

Panel 2: Sounding Board



- Ann McCartney University of California, Santa Cruz
- Chidi Oguamanam University of Ottawa
- Ronny Dempers Executive Director of the Namibia Development Trust
 (NDT)

Facilitation:

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Thank you!

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