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Ocean-Climate-Society: *Multisector approach for mitigation, adaptation, finance & capacity building*

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ABOUT: Ocean ecosystems & coastal communities are being impacted by climate change, but the ocean also offers adaptation & mitigation actions. We will show examples of adaptation, governance and finance framework opportunities, incl. the global south, collaboration and ocean integration in the UNFCCC

Moderator: Matt Frost, Head of the International Office, Plymouth Marine Laboratory, Chair UK National (Ocean) Decade Committee, Chair UK Marine Climate Change Impacts Partnership & its Overseas Working Group

High Level Address:

- **Niall O'Dea**, Co-Facilitator of the UNFCCC Ocean and Climate Change Dialogue, Senior Assistant Deputy Minister of Strategic Policy at Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) - **Integration of the ocean across the UNFCCC processes and summary of the mandated UN Ocean & Climate Change Dialogue**
- **Regina Rodrigues**, representing Brazil's Ministry of Environment, Associate Professor of Physical Oceanography Federal University of Santa Catarina and Chair of the Climate Disasters Section of the Brazilian Network for Climate Change Research - **The Brazilian Agenda for the Oceans**

Panel:

- **Liva Kaugure**, Natural Resources Officer in the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Office of Climate Change, Biodiversity and Environment - **Capacity building in support of climate resilient fisheries and aquaculture**
- **Constance Chalcate**, BNP Paribas Corporate and Institutional Banking Chief Sustainability Officer - **Opportunities for the financial sector to scale up innovations for a sustainable ocean and develop the blue economy**
- **Torsten Thiele**, Founder, Global Ocean Trust - **How to mobilise finance for capacity building**
- **Deborah Greaves**, Director, Centre for Decarbonisation and Offshore Renewable Energy, University of Plymouth - **Offshore Renewable Energy: 2040 Outlook**
- **Maddie Millington-Drake**, Senior Climate Project Manager, Blue Marine Foundation - **Blue Thread: Aligning Climate and Biodiversity National Strategies**

Followed by a Q&A with the audience