

Presidency-led Xingu Finance Talks Engagement Webinar

Background:

CMA 7 requested the COP30 Presidency to convene the Xingu Finance Talks under the Veredas Dialogue, and in consultation with the co-chairs thereof, as an annual high-level round table with a view to facilitating a cooperative exchange of views among all interested Parties and non-Party stakeholders, in particular academia, international financial institutions and the private sector, on practical solutions that address the challenges and opportunities in the implementation of Article 2, paragraph 1(c) and its complementarity with Article 9 of the Paris Agreement.

The COP 30 Presidency is organizing the Xingu Finance Talks annual high-level roundtable alongside the 2026 Annual Meetings of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank Group. A preparatory session, the 'Xingu Finance Talks: Workshop on Practical Solutions', will be organized in conjunction with the Bangkok Climate Action Week ahead of the Xingu Finance Talks.

The CMA 7 Presidency, in consultation with the co-chairs of the Veredas Dialogue, will organize an engagement webinar with interested Parties, observers and other non-Party stakeholders to:

- inform preparations for the Xingu Finance Talks, and
- explore the technical dimensions of the topics proposed for the Xingu Finance Talks with a focus on refining key themes and shaping the substantive agenda.

Date and Time:

Thursday, 3 September 2026

9:00 - 10:00 CEST (GMT+2) and 15:00 - 16:00 CEST (GMT+2)

Programme:

Opening	COP 30 Presidency/Co-chairs	3 minutes
Presentation on proposed topics for the first edition of the Xingu Finance Talks	COP 30 Presidency	10 minutes
I. Expanding fiscal space for climate investment		
II. Reducing the cost of capital through risk sharing and guarantees.		
Participants will be invited to share their views on the guiding questions:	Moderated by COP 30 Presidency	45 minutes
• <i>What are your expectations for the Xingu Finance Talks under the Veredas Dialogue?</i>		
• <i>How can the outcome of the Talks contribute to making progress on the proposed topics?</i>		
Closing	COP 30 Presidency	2 minutes