An unprecedented transformation of existing infrastructure systems is needed to reach the goals of the Paris Agreement and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. Infrastructure is responsible for 60% of global greenhouse gas emissions. At the same time, it has suffered from chronic underinvestment for decades, and this investment gap offers a unique opportunity to develop better infrastructure services and avoid locking in high levels of pollution. Governments, public finance institutions, banks, institutional investors, corporations and capital markets have a crucial role to play to ensure the right incentives and frameworks are in place.

To help align financial flows towards a low-emission, resilient future, the OECD, UN Environment and World Bank Group have laid out a transformative agenda to drive systemic change in their Financing Climate Futures initiative. This event will provide an opportunity to bring together key actors to discuss this transformative agenda and how we can invest in a low-emission, resilient development pathway.

07.30  Networking breakfast

08:00  Welcome
Mr Rodolfo Lacy, Director, Environment Directorate, OECD

08:10  Video Presentation of Financing Climate Futures: Rethinking Infrastructure

08:15  Panel discussion
- Dr Pacifica Achieng, Director, Climate Change, State Department of Environment, Kenya
- Mr Norbert Gorißen, Deputy Director General International Policy, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety, Germany
- Mr Satya S. Tripathi, UN Assistant Secretary-General, UN Environment
- Mr John Roome, Senior Director for Climate Change, World Bank Group
- Ms Nuru Mugambi, Director of Communications and Public Affairs, Kenyan Banking Association

09:15  Closing remarks

Please register by 12th March by registering: here

More information on the Financing Climate Futures initiative, including the report, can be found here.