



30/10/2025

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## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE THE AMAZON AND NEW ECONOMIES OPENING

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## DIALOGUE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE THE AMAZON AND NEW ECONOMIES



**Izabella Teixeira** - Former Minister of Environment, Co-Chair IRP-UNEP and Member of the UN Economic and Social Council; Advisor Emeritus of CEBRI, Co-Chair of IRP-UN

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**Joaquim Levy** - Director of Economic Strategy and Market Relations of Banco Safra

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**Rohitesh Dhawan** - President and Chief Executive Officer - International Council on Mining and Metals (ICMM)

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**Speech inspired by Txai Suruí**

**Indigenous member of the Paiter Suruí people, appointed by UN Secretary-General, António Guterres, to the youth advisory group on climate change.**



**Txai Suruí** - Brazilian indigenous activist leader of the Suruí ethnic group, coordinator of the Indigenous Youth Movement

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## PANEL 1 - THE CURRENT STATE OF MINING IN BRAZIL

Summary: The mining and metals industry is undergoing a transformation to take on a strategic role in the clean, decarbonized economy of the future. Mining as part of development, integrated with other industries such as energy - electrification, agriculture, food production. What is needed for this qualitative leap?



**Maria Amélia Rodrigues da Silva Enriquez** - Professor and Researcher at the Faculty of Economics of the Federal University of Pará - UFPA

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**Adriano Viana Espeschit** - President at Belo Sun Mineração & Executive Director and Partner at J.Mendo Consultoria Empresarial

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**Ana Maria Ferreira da Cunha** - Director of Corporate Affairs and Sustainability at Anglo American & ESG Coordinator for Mining of IBRAM

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**Anderson Baranov** - CEO of Norsk Hydro Brasil

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**Anderson Dourado Rodrigues da Silva** - Advisor of the Director - Geological Survey of Brazil

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**Mônica Pires Sodré** - Senior Fellow and Political Scientist at CEBRI

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## PANEL 2: FINANCIAL INNOVATIONS FOR THE AMAZONS AND THE MANY BRAZILS

Summary: The challenge is: how to transform economic assets into new production models, in a safe, decarbonized way, generating benefits, RESPECTING nature, native and traditional peoples, THEIR KNOWLEDGE AND THEIR territories? Panel 2 aims to address this ecosystem of new economies and the financial innovations needed to make them viable, such as subsidy reallocation, developing markets, financial instruments (carbon credit, payment for environmental services (PES), biodiversity credits), financial contribution from mining (CFEM), blended finance instruments and others.



**André Guimarães** - Executive Director of the Amazon Environmental Research Institute - IPAM

Moderador(a)



**Francisco de Assis Costa** - Full Professor at the Federal University of Pará, at the Center for Advanced Amazonian Studies (NAEA) and at the Postgraduate Program in Economics at UFPA

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**Luana Maia** - Lead, Global Brazil - Nature Finance

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**Pedro Paulo Dias Mesquita** - Market Intelligence Manager of Mining and Mineral Processing at BNDES

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**Tatiana Botelho** - Senior Advisor at the International Institute for Sustainability (IIS) and Founder of Guayí Ventures Institute

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### PANEL 3 - CLIMATE SOLUTIONS HUB

Summary: COP30 offers opportunities for Brazil to assert itself as a global leader in sustainability, driving the transition to a low-carbon economy and strengthening international alliances. COP30 can be a catalyst for partnerships and innovation in various sectors, driving the creation of new sustainable business models. Panel 3 aims to present and discuss what is already underway and the potential that the country has in terms of climate solutions. What are the challenges? How to realize opportunities?



**Maria Netto** - Chief Executive Officer of the Institute for Climate and Society - ICS

Moderador(a)



**Emilio Lebre La Rovere** - Professor and Head of the Environmental Sciences Laboratory, Centro Clima - COPPE UFRJ

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**Geraldo Aleandro** - LATAM Sustainability Strategy Lead at Natura

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**Marcello Silva do Amaral Brito** - Executive Secretary of the Consortium Amazônia Legal

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**Vivian Mac Knight** - General Manager of Climate Change and Decarbonization at Vale

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## PANEL 4 - ECONOMY, SOVEREIGNTY AND ILLEGAL ACTIONS: STRATEGIC CHALLENGES FOR NATIONAL SECURITY

Summary: Today, the country is facing a scenario of organized crime that is frightening and increasingly taking over territories and economic sectors. Fighting the crime economy in the Amazon and other regions of Brazil requires a solid alliance between the government, civil society and the private sector, where each plays a strategic role. In panel 4, the different aspects and facets of this reality that jeopardize public security, the economy, the environment and even national sovereignty will be addressed and ways will be indicated to help build a prosperous amazon and Brazil, where environmental justice and economic security coexist.



**Sergio Fausto** - General Director of the Fernando Henrique Cardoso Foundation - FFHC

Moderador(a)



**General do Exército José Ricardo Vendramin Nunes** - Army General & Military Commander of the North

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**Leandro Piquet Carneiro** - Professor at the University of São Paulo & Coordinator of the School of Multidimensional Security Studies - Institute of International Relations

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**Melina Risso** - Research Director at the Igarapé Institute

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**Renato Sérgio de Lima** - President Director of the Brazilian Public Security Forum and Professor of the Department of Public Management at FGV EAESP

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## PANEL 5 - THE FUTURE AND MINERALS: STRATEGIC CHALLENGES

Summary: The world is moving towards electrification. the decarbonization of the economy and the energy addition demand the imperative need for critical and strategic minerals. Green technologies and a decarbonized economy will not be possible without the participation of minerals and metals in this transition process. What challenges lie ahead? How to overcome them? What are the opportunities for Brazil?



**Ricardo Sennes** - Executive Director at Prospectiva Public Affairs

Moderador(a)



**João Marcos Pires Camargo** - Director of Mineral Planning and Policy, Ministry of Mines and Energy (MME)

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**René Muga Escobar** - Vice President Corporate Affairs Latin America at BHP

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**Samuel Chrysostomo** - Sales Director Lifecycle Services for BDH, Americas - Metso

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**Sílvia Cristina Alves França** - Director of the Mineral Technology Center - CETEM

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**Vladimir Senra Moreira** - Director of Sustainability at Mineração Rio do Norte & member of IBRAM Board of Directors

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## PANEL 6 - WHAT´S ALREADY HAPPENING

Summary: It is important to showcase initiatives and projects that are already taking place across the country, which combine production, job creation and income with sustainable economic activities. Panel 6 is intended to be a space for talks, presenting the various experiences that are already taking place in Brazil, in which productive restructuring incorporates and integrates the value of biodiversity and natural products.



**Livia Menezes Pagotto** - Institutional Director of Instituto Arapyaú & Executive Secretary of Uma Concertação pela Amazônia

Moderador(a)



**Hugo Barreto** - Director of Climate, Nature and Cultural Investment at Vale

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**Joanna de Oliveira Leal Martins** - Founder and Director of Operations at Manioca

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**Thiago Falda Leite** - Executive President of the Brazilian Bioinnovation Association

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**Valmir Ortega** - Executive Director at Belterra Agroflorestas

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## PANEL 7 - THE PRIVATE SECTOR'S CONTRIBUTION TO TACKLING THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY

Summary: The leading role of the Brazilian private sector in an action agenda that dialogues with the decarbonized future and demonstrates the contribution of companies to the Brazilian NDC and to the commitments made by Brazil as a provider of solutions for decarbonization and energy transformation. This is the approach of this panel, which aims to present the commitment and progress of the private sector towards the country's climate agenda.



**Clarissa Lins** - Founding partner of Catavento Consultoria

Moderador(a)



**Davi Bomtempo** - Environment and Sustainability Superintendent of CNI

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**Elbia Gannoum** - Executive President of AbEEólica - Brazilian Wind Energy Association

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**Liège Vergili Correia** - Sustainability Director of JBS Brazil

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**Rodrigo Lauria** - Diretor de Mudanças Climáticas e Descarbonização

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## PANEL 8 - INFRASTRUCTURE AND LOGISTICS

Summary: The Amazon is notable for the lack or even non-existence of essential items for communication, mobility, development and quality of life. There needs to be quality internet, decentralized renewable energy, intelligent use of rivers, road mobility, information systems and basic sanitation, so that the region can connect and integrate, which are indispensable for economic and social development. Panel 8 will focus on the demands for infrastructure and logistics, the difficulties in making them viable, and how to place them in a larger context: the design of a long-term development model for the Amazon, taking into account regional peculiarities and the broad debate between the various players involved.



**David Zylbersztajn** - Professor at the Energy Institute at PUC Rio & Senior Partner of DZ Negócios com Energia

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**Ana Cristina Barros** - Independent Consultant

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**Davi Barreto** - CEO of the National Association of Rail Transporters - ANTF

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**Josiani Napolitano** - Director of Institutional Relations at the Brazilian Association of Independent Electricity Producers - APINE & Vice President of the Electricity Sector Environment and Sustainability Forum - FMASE

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**Wandenberg Pitaluga** - CEO of the Economic Development Agency of Amapá

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## PANEL 9 - BUILDING CONCRETE SOLUTIONS TO MINING CHALLENGES

Summary: What is already working in mining in the future: learn about experiences and initiatives. Sustainable projects, initiatives and experiences by mining companies aim to balance the extraction of mineral resources with the preservation of the environment and the well-being of local communities, promoting more responsible and innovative practices. They can cover a range of areas, from reducing environmental impacts and adopting clean technologies, to waste management and social development.



**Gonzalo Enriquez** - Full Professor in Economics and Postgraduate Program in Biodiversity and Biotechnology, BIONORTE (PPG-BIONORTE), Federal University of Pará – UFPA

Moderador(a)



**Bruno Farah** - General Manager of Mining Technical Transformation at Vale

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**Fabio Abdala** - Senior Manager, Social Performance & Human Rights at Alcoa

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**Fernanda Guabiroba** - Environmental Management of Mine Closure and Legacy Mines at AngloGold Ashanti Brazil

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**Jessica Naime** - General Manager of Relationship and Corporate Social Responsibility at MRN

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## PANEL 10 - NEW ECONOMIES AND THE FUTURE WE WANT

Summary: The times we are living in pose the challenge of learning to deal with an ever-increasing and more dynamic complexity for which it is important to be able to rely on a variety of "economies". This new economic paradigm is redefining the form of production and consumption, with an emphasis on technology, innovation, flexibility, sustainability, collaboration and sharing. Is it possible to reconcile the "traditional economy" with the "new economies"? What do we need to do to make progress in the new economies? The purpose of Panel 10 is to discuss and present ways of working towards this new form of coexistence.



**Marcelo de Camargo Furtado** - Head of Sustainability at Itaúsa & Executive Director of Instituto Itaúsa

Moderador(a)



**Caio Luiz Carneiro Magri** - CEO at Ethos Institute

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**Carolina Graça** - Director of Operations at the Green Bridge Facility, Igarapé Institute

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**Ricardo Gravina** - Co-CEO at Instituto Climate Ventures

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**Sergio Leitão** - Executive Director at Escolhas Institute

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## PANEL 11 - EFFICIENT USE OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE CLIMATE AGENDA

Summary: The scarcity of natural resources is one of the most pressing challenges of the 21st century. In a world where the global population exceeds 8 billion, the demand for resources such as water, energy and minerals is growing exponentially. Thus, the combination of population growth, economic development and climate change is putting unprecedented pressure on the planet's natural resources. In this Panel we will explore the causes and dimensions of this crisis, its challenges and strategies for dealing with it.



**Rafaela Guedes** - Independent Consultant & Senior Fellow at Cebri

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**Cláudia Salles** -

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**Eduardo Farias Topázio** -

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**Roberto S. Waack** - President of the Board of the Arapyáú Institute

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**Tasso Azevedo** - General Coordinator of MapBlomas

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## **PANEL 12 - EDUCATION, CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION**

Summary: In order to implement a development agenda, it is essential to take care of people and give due importance to social development. Dealing with issues of inequality and poverty, for example, implies generating basic conditions of quality of life in the different dimensions of sanitation, housing, culture, education, health and communication for the Amazonian population. Panel 12 is precisely in line with the social agenda, discussing issues such as education, culture and communication and the challenges they present.



**Paulo Nassar** - President of Aberje

Moderador(a)



**Leticia Zamperlini Jacintho** - Presidente da Associação De Olho no Material Escolar

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**Neidinha Surui - Ivaneide Bandeira Cardozo** - Founder of Kanindé Ethnoenvironmental Defense Association

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**Neliton Marques da Silva** - Full Professor at the Faculty of Agricultural Sciences of the Federal University of Amazonas - UFAM

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## DIALOGUES: THE CHALLENGES OF ILLEGAL MINING IN THE AMAZON

Summary: The advance of illegal mining into the forest, indigenous territories and environmentally protected areas is a priority issue in Brazil. In the Amazon, illegal small scale gold mining is already taking place on an industrial scale and has left a trail of destruction of biodiversity and violation of the lives and rights of indigenous populations. After control measures were adopted in 2023, the Brazilian gold market went into shock, with significant falls in the production and export of the metal. Important steps to control the gold trade have been taken, with significant effects on the market. Others, however, are still needed to complete the journey to the effective transformation of the sector. To this end, combating illegal gold mining must be a priority, because it causes severe environmental and social impacts, as well as establishing unfair competition in the market. It is also essential to improve the rules governing small scale gold mining operations, so that they adhere to reality. The Amazon and New Economies International Conference Dialogues aim to discuss the issue of illegal small-scale gold mining, its impacts, the related regulatory and legal issues, as well as pointing out the necessary command and control measures and strategies to regulate the activity.



**Larissa Rodrigues** - Research Director at Instituto Escolhas

Moderador(a)



**General de Exército Luiz Gonzaga Viana Filho** - Military Commander of the Amazon

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**Georges Humbert** - President of Ibrades. Vice-President of ACB. Lawyer, post-doctorate, doctorate, and master's degree in Law, founder of a Georges Humbert Advocacia & Consultoria

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**Gilson Gomes Camboim** - National Coordinator of Mineral Cooperativism at OCB & President of the Federation of Mining Cooperatives of the State of Mato Grosso - FECOMIN

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**Giorgio De Tomi** - Full Professor at the University of São Paulo and Director of NAP.Mineração/USP (USP Center for Responsible Mining at USP).

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## DIALOGUES: THE CHALLENGES OF INVESTMENTS IN INFRASTRUCTURE AND LOGISTICS IN THE AMAZON AND THE SUSTAINABILITY OF THE TERRITORY.

Summary: The Amazon is the main frontier for major infrastructure investment projects in Brazil over the next few years. Among the initiatives planned are a set of logistics integration projects between land and water transportation, which aim to connect the production of the North and Central-West regions with the ports of the Amazon basin. The installation of infrastructure services to provide local water, sanitation, health, mobility and energy has an immense capacity to attract capital to the region's economy and generate benefits for the population. However, in order to produce the desired results, it is essential that the implementation of infrastructure in the Amazon takes into account the heterogeneity and complexity of the region, promoting development based on the social, economic and environmental peculiarities of each territory. Discussing the relationship between infrastructure X planning X sustainability is the aim of this Dialogue, as well as pointing out possible ways forward.



**Bruno Patrini Menna Barreto Gomes** - Sociologist, Founding Partner of HUMANA

Moderador(a)



**Beto Verissimo** - Co-founder at Imazon; Director at Centro de Empreendedorismo da Amazonia; Director at Amazonia 2030 initiative; Director of Brazil's Social Progress & Special Forest Envoy at COP30 - Imazon | IPS

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**Daniel Santana Lorenzo Raíces** -

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**Grazielle Parenti** - EVP Sustainability at Vale

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**Joana Chiavari Denadai** - Research Director, Climate Policy Initiative (CPI/PUC-Rio)

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## DIALOGUES - ECOLOGICAL RESTORATION AND NATURAL CAPITAL

Summary: Ecological restoration aims to re-establish and improve the capacity of ecosystems to generate essential services, such as drinking water, fertile soil, climate and habitat regulation, components of the natural capital that sustain life and the economy, and is crucial to ensuring human health and well-being, food and water security, climate change mitigation and economic prosperity. crucial to ensuring human health and well-being, food and water security, climate change mitigation and economic prosperity, as well as supporting biodiversity conservation and helping endangered species.



**Rosa Lemos de Sá** - Secretary General of Funbio - Brazilian Biodiversity Fund

Moderador(a)



**Rubens Benini** - Forest Director at The Nature Conservancy Brasil National Coordinator at Atlantic Forest Restoration Pact

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**Taiguara Alencar** -

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**Tasso Azevedo** - General Coordinator of MapBlomas

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**Valmir Ortega** - Executive Director at Belterra Agroflorestas

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## DIALOGUES: TERRITORIALITY, SUSTAINABILITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS

Summary: Native and traditional peoples and communities play a crucial role in Brazil, both in environmental preservation and in maintaining cultural diversity. They have a deep knowledge of local ecosystems and sustainable practices that contribute to the conservation of biodiversity and the protection of territories. In addition, the preservation of their cultures and traditions enriches the country's cultural heritage. It is important to have this space to address initiatives and strategies aimed at valuing and recognizing indigenous and traditional peoples and communities and how they are essential for environmental protection, the maintenance of cultural diversity and sustainable development in Brazil. And also to talk about the challenges and threats they face in their valorization.



**Cláudio C. Maretti** - Researcher (post-doctorate), consultant and volunteer; Leader of the Research Group on Collaborative Conservation and Protected and Conserved Areas, based at the Department of Geography at FFLCH USP (officialized with CNPq)

Moderador(a)



**Carlos Alberto Pinto dos Santos** - Representative of the National Commission for Strengthening Extractive Reserves and Traditional Coastal and Marine Extractive Peoples and Communities (Confrem)

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**Claudinete dos Santos Colé** - Black Movement Activist and Partner at Arqmo

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**Lissette Hidalgo Bacián** - President, Quechua Indigenous Community of Quipisca - Chile

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**Rutian Pataxó** - Indigenous woman of the Pataxó people (Bahia), member of the Indigenous Women of Bahia network - Filhas da Ancestralidade. Executive Coordinator of the National Association for Indigenous Action (ANAI). Co-founder of the Indigenous Students' Group of the Federal University of Bahia (NEI/UFBA) and Advisor to the Interinstitutional Commission for Environmental Education of Bahia (CIEA-BA) for the 2024-2025 biennium.

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## CONCLUSION AND CLOSING



**Izabella Teixeira** - Former Minister of Environment, Co-Chair IRP-UNEP and Member of the UN Economic and Social Council; Advisor Emeritus of CEBRI, Co-Chair of IRP-UN

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