The COVID-19 pandemic has exposed the unsustainability and pre-existing inequalities of current economic and social systems, but it has also created an opportunity to build back better and rethink such systems and, in this way, generate a paradigm shift towards a more sustainable development. This meeting will aim to explore how climate change and environmental health can be considered as an important component of economic recovery plans.

**Welcoming remarks**  
Member of the National Assembly Elizabeth Cabezas (Ecuador), President of Parlamericas  
Diego Paulsen, Speaker of the Chamber of Deputies of Chile, Host of the meeting

**Introduction**  
Member of the National Assembly Ana Belén Marín (Ecuador), President of the Parlamericas  
Parliamentary Network on Climate Change

**Presentation on a green recovery and the importance of the Nationally Determined Contributions**  
Leo Heileman, Director of UNEP – Latin America and the Caribbean Office

**Presentation on disaster risk management to build back better**  
Raúl Salazar, Head of the Regional Office UNDRR the Americas
Presentation on climate policy recommendations for a post-COVID-19 fiscal recovery
Brian O’Callaghan, University of Oxford
Alex Clark, University of Oxford

Discussion period

Closing remarks

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