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World Bank Group Annual Meetings

The Role of Financiers

in Enabling Remediation for Project-Affected Communities

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2019, 9:00-10:30 AM
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This session will bring together experts from private sector, academia, and civil society to discuss challenges, good practices, and lessons for achieving effective remedy in cases of business-related environmental and social impacts on communities. Panelists will discuss the roles and responsibilities of different institutions with regard to remedy and provide case examples where effective remedies were, or were not, delivered. The session will also explore recent developments in the private sector, including the Dutch Banking Sector paper on enabling remediation, which discusses the practical roles banks could play and actions they could take to enable remedy.

MODERATOR *Sophie Edwards, Senior Reporter, Devex*

FEATURING *David Hunter, Professor of Law, American University*
David Kovick, Senior Advisor, SHIFT
Jamie Fergusson, Acting Senior Director for Environmental Policy & Risk, IFC
Kris Genovese, Senior Researcher, SOMO
Ruben Zandvliet, Environmental, Social & Ethical Risk Advisor, ABN AMRO

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