



## ANNOUNCEMENT

### Working with Nature for Climate-Resilient Ports and Waterways

Online Workshop Sponsored by:  
PIANC and Navigating a Changing Climate

14 and 15 September 2021

PIANC's Environment Commission (EnviCom) and the Navigating a Changing Climate partners are collaborating to run a workshop entitled *Working with Nature for Climate-Resilient Ports and Waterways*. This workshop builds on a 2021 workshop run by Navigating a Changing Climate with SedNet (<https://sednet.org/>) focused on sediment management and climate change.

Two sessions are planned on consecutive days, each 2 hours long, allowing for keynote presentations, case studies, and facilitated round-table discussions.

The workshop *Working with Nature for Climate-Resilient Ports and Waterways* is designed to facilitate knowledge exchange, disseminate good practice, highlight opportunities, and identify gaps in understanding or research needs in relation to the following sessions:

1. Session 1: 14<sup>th</sup> September. Scaling Up and Changing Entrenched Current Practices
  - o **Transitioning** nature-based solutions to full-scale
  - o **Persuading** those who prefer business as usual to explore nature-based alternatives
2. Session 2: 15<sup>th</sup> September. Making a Business Case and Securing Finance
  - o Preparing the case for **investment in nature-based solutions**
  - o Facilitating **public and private sector funding** for nature-based solutions

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The email title line should be marked with "PIANC-NavClimate Working with Nature Workshop."

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