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Independent Evaluation Perspectives on Climate Finance, Policy, and Programs: How Evidence Can Shape Action

Join us for an engaging session on the pivotal role of independent evaluations in shaping impactful climate finance and policy-based lending. Organized by AIIB’s Evaluation Function, this event will offer deep insights on how evaluations drive accountability and learning, influence climate policy and programs, and advance national reforms aligned with the Paris Agreement. Opening remarks by Carmen Nonay, Director of Private Sector Evaluation at the World Bank Group’s Independent Evaluation Group, will set the stage for an insightful panel discussion featuring senior representatives from multilateral development banks (MDBs) (including ADB, EIB, EBRD, and DEval). The conversation will feature recent evidence on climate finance and focus on how independent evaluations can best support evidence-based climate action.

Discover how independent evaluations can bridge evidence gaps, support transformative climate action, and maximize the impact of climate finance strategies. This session offers a unique platform to connect with global climate finance stakeholders, share critical lessons, and promote an evidence-driven approach to climate solutions.

Let’s power up climate action through evidence—together!

SPEAKERS

Opening Remarks	Carmen Nonay	Director, Finance, Private Sector, Infrastructure, & Sustainable Development Department, Independent Evaluation Group, World Bank Group
Moderator	Eskender Zeleke	Senior Evaluation Specialist leading the AIIB Learning and Evaluation Function, AIIB
Panelists	Kevin Moull	Evaluator, German Institute for Development Evaluation (DEval)
	Nancy Saich	Chief Climate Change Expert/Member of EU Platform on Sustainable Finance, European Investment Bank (EIB)
	Theo Sands	Principal Evaluation Manager, Independent Evaluation Department, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
	Shimako Takahashi	Senior Evaluation Specialist, Independent Evaluation Department, Asian Development Bank (ADB)

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