



## **IPBES- CH Info Meeting: ongoing IPBES work**

## Open review of the Regional Assessment for Europe and Central Asia (and those of the other regions) & the Land Degradation and Restoration Assessment

Friday, 5. May, 13:30 - 17:00

## Institute of Plant Sciences (IPS) and Botanical Garden, Altenbergrain 23, Bern, Switzerland

## Programme:

Institute of Plant Sciences, lecture room on ground floor

13:30 José Romero, Federal Office for the Environment, Bern: Opening

13:40 Markus Fischer, Institute of Plant Sciences, University of Bern, Co-chair: Regional Assessment for Europe and Central Asia

14:10 Antoine Guisan, University of Lausanne: experiences, methods and lessons learned as lead author for the Regional Assessment for Europe and Central Asia

14:25 Amor Torre-Marin Rando, TSU ECA, University of Bern: The external review of IPBES Regional Assessment for Europe and Central Asia and outlook on the finalization of the assessment

14:45 André Mader, TSU ECA, University of Bern: Thematic Assessment on Land Degradation and Restoration

15:00 Hien Ngo, TSU for IPBES Global Assessment, Bonn, Germany: IPBES global assessment

15:25 Eva Spehn, Swiss Biodiversity Forum, SCNAT: Outlook on IPBES products within the first IPBES work programme (2014- 2019) and outcome of the IPBES-5 Plenary.

15:40 Plenary discussion: How to best adress the outcome of the IPBES ECA Assessment in Switzerland in 2018 onwards?

16:00 Apéro in the greenhouse of the Botanical Garden (Café Fleuri).

17:00 End