

Side Event

# Water Governance Integrity and Land Degradation Neutrality

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 COP16 Blue zone, UNDP Pavilion  
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

## Opening



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## Objectives

- Highlight the strategic importance of water governance integrity for combatting desertification and achieving land degradation neutrality.
- Promote collective action on linkages between the UN Convention against Corruption (UNCAC) and the UN Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD).