



**ADAPTATION FUND**

## **COP 24 Climate Change Conference, Katowice, Poland**

### **UNFCCC Press Event**

***Adaptation Fund: 'Launching New Innovation Grants While Pioneering Scalable Concrete Adaptation Actions in Vulnerable Countries'***

**Date:** Monday, December 10, 2018      **Time:** 3 pm – 3:30 pm

**Location:** Press Conference Room Warszawa, Area B-Theatre

[Archived Webcast](#)

### **AGENDA**

**Mr. Victor Viñas**, Dominican Republic, Chair, Adaptation Fund Board, *Opening Remarks*

**Mr. Mikko Ollikainen**, Manager, Adaptation Fund Board Secretariat

*Mr. Ollikainen provides an update on the Fund's Medium-Term Strategy and progress to date*

**Mr. Déthié Soumaré Ndiaye**, Centre de Suivi Ecologique, national implementing entity, Senegal

*Mr. Ndiaye discusses [concrete impacts of an AF-funded project in Senegal on vulnerable coastal communities that were affected by sea level rise and storm surges](#)*

**Mr. Jean-Paul Gaudechoux**, Senior Programme Manager, Office of Development Partnerships, Cabinet and External Relations Department, World Meteorological Organization

*Mr. Gaudechoux provides [an innovative example of an AF-funded regional project that is helping small farmers build resilience to drought in Ethiopia, Kenya and Uganda](#)*