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Impacts of BioTrade Principles and Criteria

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BioTrade Principles and Criteria



Since 1996

*Biodiversity conservation & poverty
alleviation through trade*

BioTrade : activities of collection,
production, transformation & commercialization
of goods and services **derived from biodiversity**
that adhere to a set of sustainability guidelines

BioTrade Principles (2007, updated 2020)



Principle 1: Conservation of Biodiversity



Principle 2: Sustainable Use of Biodiversity



Principle 3: Fair and Equitable Sharing



Principle 4: Socio- Economic Sustainability



Principle 5: Legal Compliance



Principle 6: Respect for the rights of actors



Principle 7: Clarity on right to use and access
to natural resources

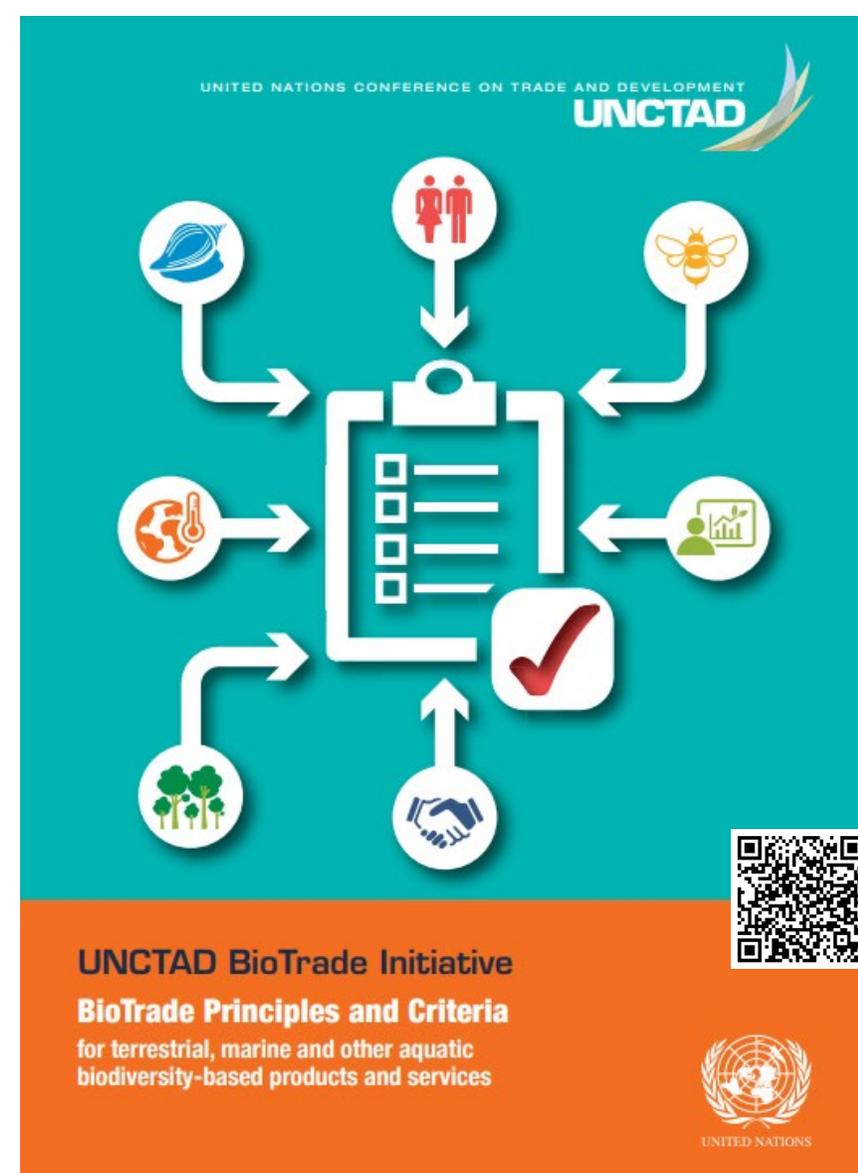


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Panelists

- **Mr. Khorommbi Matibe**, Chief Director, Biodiversity Economy and Sustainable Use, Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environmental (DFFE), South Africa (*video message*)
- **Ms. Hoang Nhan**, General Director Deputy, Nature and Biodiversity Conservation Agency (NBCA), Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment (MONRE), Viet Nam
- **Mr. Alejandro Bañol**, Bioeconomy and Green Business Focal Point, Green Business Office, Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development (MADS), Colombia
- **Mr. Thomas Deleuil**, Legal Officer, Secretariat of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora
- **Ms. Anu Peltola**, Director, Statistics Service, UNCTAD

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