

# How can the Czech Republic contribute to addressing climate change in developing countries?



Online roundtable  
25.11. 14:00–16:00 CET

Moderator: **Šimon Pánek**, CEO, *People in Need*

- **Vladislav Smrž**, Deputy Minister, Ministry of the Environment of the Czech Republic.
- Speaker from **Czech Ministry of Foreign Affairs** (TBC)
- **Gertraud Wollansky**, Senior Advisor, Federal Ministry of Republic of Austria for Climate Action, Environment, Energy, Mobility, Innovation and Technology.
- **Albert Bokkestijn**, Project manager, Dutch Fund for Climate and Development.

Working language: English

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The roundtable will take place via **Zoom** platform.  
The link will be shared with registered participants.



Climate change is one of the biggest challenges of our times. Together with other countries which signed the Paris Agreement and other international instruments, the Czech Republic has committed to support adaptation and mitigation measures in developing countries. In order to support addressing climate change in those countries a number of multilateral funds such as *Green Climate Fund (GCF)* and *Global Environmental Facility (GEF)* were developed. At the same time, developed countries have been seeking ways to find support within bilateral programmes. With the rising urgency of climate change the importance of these financing tools is increasing. How and in what ways does the Czech Republic support adaptation and mitigation in developing countries? What inspiration can be found abroad? How can we enhance the support of Czech companies, NGOs and institutions to carry out projects that would contribute to addressing impacts of climate change in development countries?