

DEVELOPING A NEW ACCOUNTABILITY AND DISPUTE SETTLEMENT MECHANISM ON INVESTMENT: LESSONS FROM INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISMS (IAMS)

Expert Meeting hosted by the International Institute for Sustainable
Development (IISD) and the American University Washington College of
Law's Program on International and Comparative Environmental Law

The American University Washington College of Law
4300 Nebraska Ave., NW, Room YT16
April 11, 2017 – 12 noon to 5 pm

AGENDA

12:00 – 1:00	Registration and Lunch	
1:00 – 1:15	Welcome and Framing	David Hunter
1:15 – 1.30	Background	Nathalie Bernasconi
1:30 – 2:00	Different Contexts between Investment Arbitration and IAMS: What problems are they trying to fix? What are the challenges in each system?	Group
2:00 – 2:45	Principles/Lessons from IAMS for a New Accountability and Dispute Settlement Mechanism on Investment	Group
2:45 – 3.00	Break	
3:00 – 4:30	Structuring a New Mechanism: What types of disputes/situations should it cover? Who are the stakeholders? What law/norms apply? What should be the institutional structure? Etc.	Group
4:30 – 4:45	Other General Reflections	Group
4:45 – 5:00	Wrap Up and Next Steps	Nathalie Bernasconi