

WELCOME

ASEAN cross-learning event 2026

“Beyond the Risks: Strategic Choices for Climate Resilient Societies in ASEAN Countries”



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Opening by:

Hon. Atty. Christian Natividad

Mayor, Malolos City



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GOALS ASEAN CROSS-LEARNING 2026

- How to move from an abstract NAP towards implementation
- Systems thinking & understanding
- Developing adaptation pathways
- Capacity building & institutional knowledge exchange -> developing and governing long-term cross-sectoral adaptation strategies -> translating to short-, mid- and longterm actions on the ground
- Enhancing inclusive, community-based adaptation approaches
- Making use of nature based approaches when possible
- Developing bankable projects



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Results on day 3

- System analysis - interconnected challenges
- Draft various pathways
- Short-medium-long term actions
- Bankability of climate-adaptation approach



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DAY 1 Monday 28 September 2026 Venue: Malolos City Hall

08:30	Registration
9:00	Welcome and opening remarks: Mayor Hon. Christian Natividad
9:30	Introduction to cross-learning event objectives and agenda Liliane Geerling NL Government
9:45	Ice-breaker activity: getting to know each other
10:00	Introduction to climate impacts in relation to subsidence <i>Presenter: Silke Tas</i>
11:00	Coffee Break
11:30	The role of wetland ecosystems in climate change adaptation and the connection with National Adaptation Plans <i>Presenter: Elise Allely</i>
12:30	Lunch



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DAY 1 Monday 28 September 2026 Venue: Malolos City Hall

14:00	Interactive activity: Country sessions
15:15	<i>Coffee Break</i>
15:45	Introduction to Adaptation Pathways <i>Presenter: Andrew Warren NL2120/Deltares online</i>
16:45	Reflections on the day and closing ambassador Mr. H.E. Roderick Wols
17:15	Information on field visit Tuesday morning
17:30	Group photo
18:00	<i>Dinner</i>



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Experts via Government of the Netherlands

Name	Area of Expertise
Elise Allely	Wetlands · Integrated water management · Conservation
Liliane Geerling	Integrated & Community-based Spatial Planning. Climate Adaptation-O&M
Silke Tas	Hydrology · Coastal processes · Mangrove restoration
Geert van der Meulen	Flood resilience · NbS · Spatial planning
Hsoc Mathai	Spatial Planning · Urban water resilience · Urban NbS
Jaïr Smits	IWRM · Nature+ development · Integrated (urban) development
Jasper Leuven	Nature-based solutions · Coastal & river resilience · NbS design
Malte Schlossmacher	Climate adaptation economics · Business cases · Finance
Rien van Zetten	Water infrastructure · Flood protection · Implementation
Thomas van Zonneveld	Water data & monitoring · Water management · Project Structuring



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ICE BREAKER ACTIVITY

- Take one image, example etc. in your mind what **climate adaptation** on the ground entails in **your home town or region**
- Choose someone from the participants **you have not met before!**
- Discuss with each other
 1. What is the picture/example you have in mind?
 2. What does it tell you about the **reality** of **implementing climate adaptation**?
 3. What is one thing you hope **to learn from others** during these three days?
- Discuss with each other one word or **max one sentence** that summarizes your discussion



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Introduction to climate impacts in relation to subsidence

Silke Tas



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COFFEE BREAK

11:00-11:30 hrs.



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The role of wetland ecosystems in climate change adaptation and the connection with NAPs

Elise Allely



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LUNCH BREAK

12:30-14:00 hrs.



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Day 1-After lunch session

Sit with your country delegation

- What is the theme you would like to work on?
- What is the focus area?
- Who is/are the case-owner(s)?
- Objectives?



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COFFEE BREAK

15:15-15:45 hrs.



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Adaptation Pathways

Andrew Warren



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Reflection of Day 1

Ambassador Mr. H.E. Roderick Wols



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