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# JOINING FORCES

Involving Civil Society to Combat Climate Change

Friday, 18 December, 2009, 13.00-15.00,

EU PAVILION, room Schumann

Bella Centre, Copenhagen

*How can the European Union support partnerships between civil society organisations and researchers?*

*How can CSOs and research organisations work better together & engage citizens in the fight against climate change?*

- 13.00 – 13.10 Introduction  
**Nicole Dewandre, Head of Unit,  
Sustainable development, DG RTD**
- 13.10 – 13.30 How can civil society organisations and researchers work better together?  
**Stephane Labranche, Researcher, Sociologist**
- 13.30 – 13.45 Questions and answer
- 13.45 – 14.10 A concrete example – ENCI low carb project  
Low Carbon Societies Network  
**Gunnar Boye Olesen, INFORSE-Europe &  
Jan Burck, GERMANWATCH**
- 13.30 – 13.45 Questions and answer
- 14.20 – 14.40 How can FP7 support partnerships between civil society and researchers?  
**Nicole Dewandre, DG RTD**
- 14.40 – 15.00 Questions and answers

