

Press release

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# Championing resilient climate action: join UNOPS at COP28


The UNOPS Pavilion will host more than 20 events over the course of the climate conference in Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

UNOPS - the United Nations' operations experts focused on infrastructure and procurement- are pleased to announce our [programme for the upcoming 28th Conference of the Parties \(COP28\)](#), reinforcing our commitment to advancing global climate action and building resilience against climate change.



## Why UNOPS is at COP28

UNOPS, provides operational support to the UN and its partners, implementing sustainable development projects worldwide. We are heading to COP28 with a clear mission: to showcase our impactful strategies and collaborative efforts in combating climate change.

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UNOPS will highlight its expertise in infrastructure, procurement, project management, and financial management services, which have been instrumental in aiding countries to adapt and become resilient against the escalating threats of climate change.

### **Engaging Dialogue and Expert Insights**

At COP28, UNOPS will host discussions and panels featuring its experts and partners, delving into crucial topics such as sustainable infrastructure, climate finance, and innovative approaches to resilience. These sessions aim to foster dialogue, share best practices, and catalyse actions that align with the Paris Agreement and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

### **Invitation to Journalists**

[We invite journalists and media representatives to attend these discussions.](#) It's an opportunity to engage with UNOPS leaders and experts who are at the forefront of implementing climate resilience projects globally.

### **Interview Opportunities with Panel Members**

Our panel members, comprising seasoned professionals and thought leaders in climate action, are available for interviews. UNOPS spokespeople include: [Jorge Moreira da Silva](#), UNOPS Executive Director, Samantha Stratton-Short, Head of UNOPS Strategic Initiatives, and Anne-Claire Howard, UNOPS Director of Procurement. They will provide valuable insights into how UNOPS works with our partners to drive change and contribute to a more sustainable, climate-resilient world.

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### **Notes to the editors:**

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### **About UNOPS**

UNOPS mission is to help people build better lives and countries achieve peace and sustainable development. We help the United Nations, governments and other partners to manage projects, and deliver sustainable infrastructure and procurement in an efficient way. Read more: [www.unops.org](http://www.unops.org)