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Doing Business with the World Bank: Creating a Better World

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Meet the World Bank: Sophie Peeters

In our new topic 'Meet the World Bank' we interview interesting people with interesting jobs at the World Bank. In this edition we met with Sophie Peeters from the Blockchain Lab, a new and innovative initiative within the World Bank.

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Land and Poverty Conference 2018: Land Governance in an Interconnected World

The Land and Poverty conference will present the latest research and practice on the diversity of reforms,



interventions, and innovations in the land sector around the world. Use the links to find more information on [Themes](#), [Agenda](#) or [Masterclasses](#). On Monday March 19th at 13:30 the World Bank will be hosting a pre-event BBL on the potential of blockchains for strengthening tenure security and facilitating service delivery. That evening the Embassy of the Netherlands will be hosting a reception at 6pm, please let [us](#) know if you would like to attend.

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Save the Date: Water & Sanitation Fact Finding Mission to Washington, DC in June

The Private Sector Liaisons of Spain, Germany, Austria, and the Netherlands invite you to mark your calendar for June 4-6, 2018 for a joint mission focusing on the Water sector opportunities at the International Financial Institutions: World Bank Group (WBG), Inter-American Development Bank (IADB), and the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC).

Save the Date in [Dutch](#) & [English](#).

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Global Guidelines for Unsolicited Proposals

The World Bank has warned about the challenges of unsolicited proposals for the past decade. However, no guidelines existed to

POLICY GUIDELINES FOR MANAGING
UNSOLICITED PROPOSALS
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help governments manage them.

This report provides the World Bank, client countries, and the private sector guidelines on how to manage unsolicited proposals in infrastructure projects.

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Latest Tenders

Hydraulic Study and Environmental Flows (EFLOWS) Assessment

Deadline: March 22nd.

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GIS-Based Electrification Study for the ECOWAS Regional Access Project

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March 19-23, 2018

**Land & Poverty Conference 2018:
Land Governance in an
Interconnected World**
Washington, D.C.

April 19-20, 2018

**Third Annual UHC Financing Forum:
Greater Equity for Better Health and
Financial Protection**
Washington, D.C.

April 20-22, 2018

World Bank Group Spring Meetings
Washington, D.C.

May 14-17, 2018

**PSLO Agriculture Mission to Côte
d'Ivoire**
Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire



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Learn more on doing business with the World Bank Group: guidebook **Zakendoen met de Wereldbank.**



Learn more on the new **procurement framework** of the World Bank, effective July 1st, 2016.

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