UNESCO’s #EES_Webinar_Series Call for Speakers is now open!

UNESCO Regional Bureau for Science in the Arab States in Cairo is organizing Virtual Wildlife Talks 2022 starting on the International Day for Biological Diversity. The Wildlife Talks offer a platform for sharing knowledge, experience, ideas and initiatives with thousands of people across the entire globe on the ecosystems prevailing in the Arab region. The Webinars Series will address the slogan of this year International Day for Biological Diversity “Building a shared future for all life” within the diverse ecosystems and UNESCO Biosphere Reserves in the Arab region.

The Wildlife Talks 2022 main aim is to come up with a set of specific guidelines and actions which can be adopted to protect ecosystems from the threats of climate change and strengthen the conservation pathways towards ecological integrity, healthy ecosystems and societies, and economic prosperity. They shall emphasize on the role of UNESCO Biosphere Reserves – Arab Region in climate adaptation and mitigation.

The Webinars Series Agenda – Topics and Dates

- Webinar 1 – Coral Reefs of the Red Sea  
  - Date: May 22, 2022
- Webinar 2 – Mangroves and coastal ecosystem  
  - Date: June 22, 2022
- Webinar 3 – Oasis ecosystem  
  - Date: August 29, 2022
- Webinar 4 – Desert ecosystem  
  - Date: September 22, 2022
- Webinar 5 – Mountain’s ecosystem  
  - Date: October 22, 2022

If you are interested in being part of the Wildlife Talks 2022 as a guest speaker and provide the below tasks:

- Stocktake available information on one of the webinars topics;
- Conduct a Presentation on the selected ecosystem;
- Share your insights with group of regional participants.

Then reach out to us and send a brief storyline of your presentation on the selected ecosystem with your CV to cairo@unesco.org with a copy to e.sattout@unesco.org by May 22, 2022 and please ensure that you mention in the subject line of the email the selected ecosystem.