



# How can we @WUR influence change in the finance sector?

Spring lunch lecture series | 12.00 – 13.00 hrs

**Financial systems power economic activities that affect our planet – banks lend credit, investors choose what to invest in, and insurers provide cover against risk. Many of these activities harm biodiversity.**

This lecture series dives into WUR research at the interface of Biodiversity, Finance and Food Systems, asking: what is WUR already doing to support changes in the financial sector? And what can it do better? Its purpose is to support interdisciplinary knowledge sharing and collaboration across WUR science groups, and to understand what contribution WUR researchers can make in this change process.

A light lunch is available.

Teams link is available for those online.

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The lecture series builds on a broader process that seeks to bring together WUR researchers and external partners working on nature-positive food systems transformations in the financial sector.

**Tuesday 18 April**

Room: Atlas 1

Introducing biodiversity x  
finance x food @WUR

**Tuesday 25 April**

Room: Lumen 2

Stopping the harm,  
incentivising the good

**Tuesday 23 May**

Room: Gaia 2

Sustainable and just value  
chains

**Tuesday 30 May**

Room: Lumen 1

Incorporating biodiversity in  
finance