

RADBOUD centre for
sustainability challenges

To:
IPBES Secretariat

Date: 4 February 2022

Topic: Request for focal point appointment Radboud Centre for Sustainability Challenges

Dear Madam/Sir,

With this letter, I am happy to nominate Dr. Cristina Y. A. Inoue as the IPBES focal point representing the Radboud Centre for Sustainability Challenges.

The Radboud Centre for Sustainability Challenges is the hub and network for education and research on sustainability themes at Radboud University in Nijmegen (the Netherlands), biodiversity very prominently among them. Dr. Cristina Inoue's research is closely related to the IPBES work, most notably on the relations between the global biodiversity goals and the role of indigenous peoples and traditional communities knowledge (ILCK) as well biodiversity conservation in the Amazon.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



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