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 30 September

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# The Proposed Agenda

**08:00 - 8:10 (CET)**

## **Opening Remarks**

Mr. Stephen Joyce, UNITAR

**08:10 – 8:25**

## **PCBs goals under the scope of the Stockholm Convention and the BRS programme of work**

Mr. Agustín Harte, Secretariat of the Basel, Stockholm and Rotterdam (BRS) Conventions.

**08:25 - 08:40**

## **Global and regional experiences and best practices for the Environmental Sound Management (ESM) of PCBs**

Dr. Rio Deswandi, PCBs Expert, UNITAR

**08:55 - 09:10**

## **Developing effective national PCB strategies: Practical insights**

Mr. Edwin Camelo Martinez , PCBs Expert, UNITAR

**09:10 – 09:25**

## **National Case Study and Example - Japan**

Dr. Yo Osada, Technical Advisor for PCB Management,  
Japan Industrial Waste Management Foundation

**09:25 - 09:45**

## **Exploring innovative financing pathways for PCBs elimination**

Ms. Marijana Todorovic, Secretariat of the BRS Conventions



## Mr. Agustín Harte

Programme Management Officer  
Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam  
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