



JI Photo Contest Judging Panel



Dr. Wolfgang Seidel is the current chairman of the Joint Implementation Supervisory Committee (JISC). Since 2004, he has worked with the German Emissions Trading Authority at the Federal Environment Agency as head of the Unit for Administrative Procedures, Verification and Financing. From 2005 until 2011 he was responsible for the JI, as a designated focal point, and the clean development mechanism (CDM), as a designated national authority. Dr. Seidel is a trained lawyer and holds a doctorate degree in Environmental Law.



Carola Borja is the vice chair of the Joint Implementation Supervisory Committee (JISC) and the Undersecretary of Climate Change for the Ministry of Environment for the government of Ecuador. She is responsible for leading the mainstreaming of climate change at all levels of government, developing policies and setting priorities for the implementation of activities in the context of Ecuador's National Climate Change Strategy.



Doru Iordache was born in Romania and came of age during an era of groundbreaking photojournalism. Working for many years as a press photographer for agencies like Gamma Presse, he was among the first photojournalists to document the atrocities of abandoned children in orphanages under the former Romanian premier Nicolae Ceaucescu. Mr. Iordache later switched to fashion and advertising photography. He has been published in more than 24 countries and in magazines such as Time, Newsweek, Paris Match, Stern, Elle, Maxim and Harper's Bazaar.



Lennard de Klerk is the chair of the JI Action Group, a consortium of JI practitioners developing projects in Ukraine, Russia and other Annex 1 countries under the UNFCCC. He is a director and co-founder of Global Carbon B.V. and was one of the pioneers of the Joint Implementation (JI) mechanism, in particular in developing the use of JI in Ukraine and Russia.



Marcus Richardson is an editor at the UNFCCC secretariat. A keen wildlife and travel photographer, he recently exhibited work at the UNFCCC secretariat in an exhibition entitled "East African Journeys". His work has been displayed at the Hague Museum of Photography and he was the winner of the Netherlands-based Images International Photographer of the Year Competition in 2008 and 2009. His photos have been used in publications around the world, from school textbooks in Argentina to publicity material for the Denver Zoo. He holds a certificate in Professional Photography from the New York Institute of Photography.