

Miriam May Introduction

Ladies and gentlemen, it is now my privilege to introduce you to a woman who works to solve some of today's most pressing environmental challenges...

She is a seasoned nonprofit leader, who is executive director of the Arava Institute: a leading environmental studies and research program in Israel that houses academic programs, research centers, and international cooperation initiatives focusing on a range of environmental concerns and challenges...

She is a trusted adviser, who founded and led SMART Consulting, a firm which provided marketing and outreach services to major institutions such as Fleet Bank, Deutsche Bank, Hadassah, United Way of America, and Oxfam America.....

And she is a veteran of the government sector, who worked as a World Bank consultant to Brazil's Ministry of Labor, and as the area advisor for Latin America and the Caribbean for the U.S. Department of Labor...

Ladies and gentlemen, please welcome a trailblazer of environmental awareness and Middle East partnerships, Miriam May.