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Before joining WWF, Gina led on energy and climate research for the Institute of International and European Affairs, Ireland's leading think tank. She has also worked for the Irish Parliament and European Commission Representation in Ireland. Gina holds a Masters in Environmental Policy from Oxford University and in European Affairs from University College Dublin.

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