



In-session Workshop on Long-term Climate Finance in 2017

Room Nairobi, World Conference Center Bonn

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15 May 2017, 10:00–18:00

Provisional Programme

Morning session	
10:00 – 10:10	Opening Remarks Patricia Espinosa, Executive Secretary, UNFCCC Ambassador Aziz Mekouar, COP 22 Presidency
10:10 – 10:20	Introductory remarks by the co-facilitators Ambassador Janine Felson, Belize, and Stefan Schwager, Switzerland
10:20 – 13:00	<i>Segment 1: Articulating and translating needs identified in country-driven processes into projects and programmes</i> This segment aims to facilitate the sharing of country experiences with regard to the necessary steps and requirements for identifying and assessing climate finance needs and articulating and translating those needs into projects and programmes. It will showcase country examples and provide government representatives, international financial institutions, multilateral climate funds, technical support providers, and the private sector with the opportunity to reflect on their respective roles and to identify challenges and good practices.
10:20 – 10:30	Part I: Scene-setting presentation on current ways for assessing and articulating needs under the Convention Mariama Williams, South Centre
10:30 – 11:15	Part II: Case-study discussions on identifying and assessing financial needs in the context of NDC and TNA development: Experiences from Mexico and The Gambia <i>A) Experiences in the context of NDC development in Mexico</i> <i>Discussants</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Juan Carlos Arredondo Brun, Ministry for the Environment and Natural Resources, Mexico- Jacob Waslander, NDC Partnership- Amal-Lee Amin, Inter-American Development Bank (pre-recorded video input) <i>B) Experiences in the context of TNA development in The Gambia</i> <i>Discussants</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Bubu Pateh Jallow, The Gambia- Chizuru Aoki, Global Environment Facility Secretariat- Sara Traerup, UNEP-DTU Partnership
11:15 – 12:00	Part III: Breakout group discussions <i>Guiding questions</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- What steps and actions are needed to further improve the identification and assessment of climate finance needs at country level?

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Based on existing lessons learned and best practices, which actions can developing countries and partners take to accelerate the translation of climate finance needs into projects and programmes? - What are countries' respective support needs?
12:00 – 12:30	Part IV: Report back from the breakout groups
12:30 – 13:00	Part V: Open discussion on translating climate finance needs into action
Afternoon session	
15:00 – 17:45	<p>Segment 2: Facilitating enhanced access to climate finance</p> <p>This segment aims to foster dialogue among recipient countries, international financial institutions, multilateral climate funds, the private sector and technical support providers with a view to defining concrete action points to facilitate access to climate finance. The segment will also shed light on best practices and challenges in recipient countries with regard to accessing finance.</p>
15:00 – 15:15	<p>Part I: Scene-setting presentation on key challenges and opportunities to accessing climate finance in developing countries</p> <p>Gaia Larsen, World Resources Institute</p>
15:15 – 16:00	<p>Part II: Case-study discussions on accessing climate finance from multilateral climate funds: Experiences from Morocco and the Pacific</p> <p><i>A) Experiences in Morocco</i></p> <p><i>Discussants</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Meryem Andaloussi, Agency for Agricultural Development of Morocco - Juan Hoffmaister, Green Climate Fund Secretariat - Silke Spohn, GIZ <p><i>B) Experiences in the Pacific region</i></p> <p><i>Discussants</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Espen Ronneberg, Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme - Silvia Mancini, Adaptation Fund Board Secretariat
16:00 – 16:45	<p>Part III: Breakout group discussions</p> <p><i>Guiding questions</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What needs to be improved or simplified both at the recipient country level and the fund level to facilitate enhanced and country-driven access to climate finance? - Which further steps and actions are needed to create enabling policy and regulatory environments that help facilitate private climate investments in developing countries and in which areas do countries require support?
16:45 – 17:15	Part IV: Report back from the breakout groups
17:15 – 17:45	<p>Part V: Public/private sector panel discussion on concrete actions to enhance access to climate finance</p> <p><i>Panelists</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Peter Glynn, International Chamber of Commerce - Zaheer Fakir, Department of Environmental Affairs, South Africa - Chizuru Aoki, Global Environment Facility Secretariat
17:45 – 18:00	<p>Wrap-up and closure</p> <p>Summary of key conclusions and recommendations</p>