



Overview of Technology related Side Events and Exhibits.

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I. General information

In this brochure you will find information and contact details for all official Side Events and Exhibits to be held during the conference.

Meeting schedule: For details on individual meetings, venues and other activities please consult the [UNFCCC website](#), the [Daily Programme](#), the CCTV monitors or the notice boards located throughout the conference venue. Last-minute changes can be shown only on the CCTV monitors.

Daily Programme: The Daily Programme is available at the Documents Counter located on the ICC Conference Center and on the UNFCCC website. The Daily Programme provides detailed information on all scheduled meetings of the Convention bodies, meetings of other groups, Side Events and announcements relevant to the conference.

In addition to the Daily Programme, all official documents and the list of participants are available at the Documents Counter. UNFCCC documents are also available in the "[Documents](#)" section of the UNFCCC website.

II.

Overview of Technology related Side Events

The Technology related Side Event programme for the United Nations Climate Change Conference of Parties 2011 contains 16 events. For a breakdown of all COP-17 Side Events, please see our [web schedule](#) which allows events to be sorted by category as well as by organizer group.

Scheduled	Time/room	Organizer	Title / theme / speakers
Wednesday, 30 Nov 2011	15:00— 16:30 Levubu River	<p>Practical Action Ms. Rachel Berger rachel.berger@practicalaction.org.uk +44 7966 542181</p> <hr/> <p>African Centre for Technology Studies (ACTS) Mr. Adwera Andrew a.adwera@acts.or.ke +254 20 7235142687</p>	<p>Balancing priorities, creating synergies? pro-poor action for food security, adaptation, mitigation How can developing countries adapt to climate change and feed their growing populations, on a low carbon development path? We look at how pro-poor technologies can help meet these challenges, and how far Kenya and Bangladesh are considering such an approach in their own national climate strategies.</p> <p>Speakers: Rachel Berger</p>
Wednesday, 30 Nov, 2011	17:00 – 19:00 Durban Country Club	<p>UNEP/GEF Technology Needs Assessment</p>	<p>From TNAs to nationally appropriate actions. In addition to country experiences, the main topics to be covered by invited speakers include: potential funding sources and mechanisms for technology transfer projects, GEF's role in financing technology</p>

			transfer and way-forward for country-driven TNAs based on lessons learned.
Friday 02 Dec 2011	13:00-14:30 The US Center	Climate Technology Initiative - Private Financing Advisory Network	Public-Private Model for Climate Change Finance Introduces a financing model elaborated to enhance development of ESTs projects in developing countries, and explain how CTI PFAN facilitates access to private capital markets. Representatives from African countries will present their experiences with CTI PFAN.
Saturday, 03 Dec 2011	18:30— 20:00 Indwe River	Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) Ms. Rita Roy Choudhury rita@ficci.com +91 11 23325110	Indian Industry Perspective on Market Based Mechanisms, Technology Transfer, Trade & Climate Change This Side Event will deliberate on the expectations of Indian businesses on market mechanisms post 2012 as well as engagement of businesses in domestic market mechanisms. Discussions will also include technology transfer and concerns on global developments in the context of trade & climate change.
Monday, 05 Dec 2011	13:15— 14:45 Hex River	Global Environment Facility (GEF) Ms. Sara Nielsen snielsen@thegef.org +1 202 4734840	"Adaptation in Practice: Evaluating Innovative Approaches" This event will present lessons learned from first generation adaptation interventions in the GEF (SCCF, LDCF, SPA), incl. ongoing work on RBM, indicators and M&E frameworks (Adaptation Fund). It will also showcase the Climate-Eval interface: a fast-growing global community of adaptation evaluators. Speakers: Global Environment Facility Evaluation Office; LDCF/SCCF Secretariat; Adaptation Fund Board Secretariat; World Bank Independent Evaluation Group (IEG)
Monday, 05 Dec 2011	18:30— 20:00 Orange River	Federation of German Industries (BDI) Ms. Tara Nitz t.nitz@bdi.eu +49 30 20281424	Greening the value chain: Ways forward through private sector cooperation & low carbon technologies The event aims to discuss what is needed to foster private sector cooperation that can lead to emission reductions within the whole value chain. Different

			<p>solutions will be presented, e.g. incorporating renewable energies, improving efficiency as well as the chances arising from e-mobility.</p> <p>Speakers: Prof. Dr. H.-P. Keitel, President, Federation of German Industries (tbc); Dr. Thomas Becker, BMW, Manager Political Affairs (confirmed) or CEO BMW South Africa (tbc); Representative from TIA South Africa (tbc); Representative from South African and Mexican company (tbc).</p>
Monday, 05 Dec 2011	18:30— 20:00 Hex River	<p>World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Mr. Joe Bradley joe.bradley@wipo.int +41 79 2480133</p>	<p>Technology transfer in the context of shifting towards a green economy Innovation and technology are vital instruments to support climate change mitigation and adaptation. UN agencies join hands under the UN High Level Committee on Programs Working Group on Climate Change to address this issue and present examples of their actions to support developing countries</p>
Monday, 05 Dec 2011	20:15— 21:45 Orange River	<p>World Coal Association (WCA) Mr. Benjamin Sporton bsporton@worldcoal.org +44 20 78510052</p>	<p>The role of coal in the context of action on climate change and sustainable development With the world facing major challenges on climate change and energy poverty, we explore the role of coal in addressing these integrated priorities. Questions include - how can coal support clean development, how can finance be leveraged to support deployment of CCS and other clean coal technologies?</p> <p>Speakers: Norman Mbazima, Chief Executive, Thermal Coal, Anglo American; Fatih Birol, Chief Economist, IEA; Morgan Bazilian, Energy Advisor, UNIDO; Asian Development Bank, World Resources Institute; Milton Catelin, Chief Executive, World Coal Association.</p>
Tuesday, 06 Dec 2011	13:15— 14:45 Indwe River	<p>Global Environment Facility (GEF) Ms. Sara Nielsen snielsen@thegef.org +1 202 4734840</p>	<p>"Evaluative evidence on the overlooked opportunities of energy efficiency" This event presents evaluative findings from evaluation units of International Financial Institutions</p>

			<p>(IFIs) and the GEF on reducing GHG emissions through support to energy efficiency. Policy implications of evaluative lessons will be discussed with Thomas C. Heller of the Policy Climate Initiative.</p> <p>Speakers: Global Environment Facility Evaluation Office; World Bank Independent Evaluation Group</p>
<p>Wednesday, 07 Dec 2011</p>	<p>15:00— 16:30 Indwe River</p>	<p>World Wind Energy Association (WWEA) Mr. Stefan Gsaenger sg@wwindea.org +49 228 3694080</p> <hr/> <p>International Solar Energy Society (ISES) Ms. Jennifer McIntosh mcintosh@ises.org +49 79115 7614590645</p> <hr/> <p>World Bioenergy Association (WBA) Ms. Karin Haara karin.haara@worldbioenergy.org +46 8 4417080</p> <hr/> <p>World Future Council (WFC) Mr. Stefan Schurig Stefan.Schurig@worldfuturecouncil.org +4 40 307091427</p>	<p>Renewables working together: New Financing Schemes in Developing Countries - the Green Climate Fund</p> <p>The REN Alliance position on the Green Climate Fund will be discussed. GCF should provide funds to developing countries by: – A Global Feed-in Tariff Programme for Grid-connected Technologies – A Micro-Credit Programme for Decentralised Off-Grid Applications – New Models for Further Applications</p> <p>Speakers: Speakers will represent the REN Alliance partners and international climate finance experts.</p>
<p>Wednesday, 07 Dec 2011</p>	<p>16:45— 18:15 Hex River</p>	<p>Energy Research Centre of the Netherlands (ECN) Ms. Heleen de Coninck deconinck@ecn.nl +31 224 564316</p> <hr/> <p>University of Sussex - Sussex Energy Group Mr. Jim Watson w.j.watson@sussex.ac.uk +44 1273 873539</p>	<p>Innovation and technology transfer for sustainable energy systems in developing countries</p> <p>The event discusses pathways to sustainable energy in developing countries. It considers, based on work by the Sussex Energy Group, STEPS Centre and ECN, policy initiatives like Climate Innovation Centres and the UNFCCC Technology Mechanism, and concrete tools like the UNDP/UNEP-led ClimateTechWiki.</p> <p>Speakers: Laura Wuertenberger (ECN) Subash Dhar (UNEP/Risoe) Hilary McMahon (UNDP) Heleen de Coninck (ECN) Rob Byrne (University of Sussex)</p>
<p>Wednesday, 07 Dec 2011</p>	<p>16:45— 18:15 Apies River</p>	<p>ECOWAS Regional Centre for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency* (ECREEE) Mr. Martin Lugmayr info@ecreee.org</p>	<p>Promoting renewable energy and energy efficiency investments for GHG mitigation in West Africa</p> <p>Presentation of a study on renewable energy and energy</p>

		+238 26 4630	<p>efficiency investment policies in Senegal, Ghana, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde and Benin. Discussion of recommendations in the context of Nationally Appropriate Mitigation Actions and possibilities for regional cooperation and technology transfer.</p> <p>Speakers: - H.E. James Victor Gbeho, President of the ECOWAS Commission - H.E. Mohamed Ibn Chambas, Secretary-General of the ACP Group of States - H.E. Olusegun Obasanjo, Former President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria - Mr. Mahama Kappiah, Executive Director of ECREEE - ECOWAS Directors of Energy (Senegal, Ghana, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Benin) - Mr. Pradeep Monga, UNIDO Director of Energy and Climate Change Branch - Ms. Irene Freudenschuss-Reichl, Director General for Development Cooperation, Austrian Ministry for European and International Affairs - Mr. Francisco Moza Zapatero, Managing Director of the Spanish Agency for International Development Cooperation - Ms. Alicia Montalvo Santamaria, Managing Director of Spanish Office for Climate Change - Ms. Elfriede-Anna More, Director for International Environmental Affairs, Austrian Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management - USAID - German Government</p>
Thursday, 08 Dec 2011	11:30— 13:00 Hex River	<p>Industrial Technology Research Institute (ITRI) Mr. Wen-Cheng Hu vincenthu@itri.org.tw +886 3 5913770</p>	<p>Mobilizing Business for the Low Carbon Economy Growing green businesses is a central consideration for Taiwan's energy and climate policies. We regard having strong green businesses as a prerequisite for us to attain our greenhouse gas reduction targets at reasonably controlled costs and Taiwan's competitiveness in the emerging low carbon world.</p> <p>Speakers: Mr. Hsin-Sen Chu Mr. Wen-Yan Chiau Mr. Robert Jih-Chang Yang Mr. Chien-Te Fan,</p>

<p>Thursday, 08 Dec 2011</p>	<p>11:30— 13:00 Indwe River</p>	<p>Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Partnership (REEEP) Mr. James Smith james.smith@reeep.org +44 20 70992215</p> <p>Carbon Disclosure Project (CDP) Ms. Cassandra Chessum cassie.chessum@cdproject.net +44 20 74157162</p> <p>International Center for Environmental Technology Transfer (ICETT) Mr. Taiki Kuroda kuroda@icett.or.jp +81 59 3293500</p>	<p>Business in action for low-carbon growth: a panel hosted by REEEP, CDP, CTI-PFAN, CREIA, Prominent business leaders, policy-makers and NGOs will discuss how clean energy can be integrated into business strategy - particularly in the emerging markets. Speakers will demonstrate how strong business growth can go hand in hand with energy efficiency and renewable energy.</p> <p>Speakers: Binu Parthan, Paul Simpson, Harish Hande, Peter Storey, Ping Peter Xie,</p>
<p>Thursday, 08 Dec 2011</p>	<p>15:00— 16:30 Hex River</p>	<p>Global Environmental Institute (GEI) Mr. Douglas Whitehead douglas@geichina.org +86 10 67083192</p> <hr/> <p>Center for Climate Strategies, Inc. (CCS) Mr. Zach Friedman zfriedman@climatestrategies.us +1 267 2664388</p>	<p>China-U.S. EcoPartnership for Subnational Climate Planning Collaboration between GEI and CCS shows how China and the U.S. can cooperate on subnational energy, climate and economic planning, and build a bridge to national policy. Senior U.S. and Chinese officials, NGO leaders, and experts will discuss this multi-dimensional framework for climate action.</p>
<p>Friday, 09 Dec 2011</p>	<p>13:15— 14:45 Apies River</p>	<p>Centre for International Governance Innovation (CIGI) Mr. Jason Blackstock jblackstock@cigionline.org +1 519 4984561</p> <hr/> <p>Fundación Desarrollo Sustentable, A.C.* (FDS) Mr. Jose Maria Valenzuela josemariav@gmail.com +52 1 5541337439</p>	<p>Low-Carbon Innovation for an Electricity-Dependent World This workshop explores the outcomes of Waterloo Global Science Initiative's Equinox Summit: Energy 2030 and resulting Equinox Blueprint in the context of the global environment we need to create to support the next level of innovation in the generation, distribution, and storage of electricity.</p> <p>Speakers: TENTATIVE: Robin Batterham (Australia), Esther Adediji (Nigeria), Jason Blackstock (UK), Jatin Nathwany (Canada), Jose-Maria Valenzuela (Mexico)</p>

III.

Overview of Technology related Exhibits

The Technology related Exhibits programme for the United Nations Climate Change Conference of Parties 2011 contains 11 exhibits.

<p>Danish Society of Engineers Ms. Pernille Hagedorn-Rasmussen phr@ida.dk +45 20 185810</p>	<p>Future Climate -engineering solutions. The exhibit will present national climate mitigation plans and low carbon technology scenarios from 15 countries around the world. And present 3. phase of the project in the hands of Cambridge University.</p>	<p>Saturday, 03 Dec 2011 Friday, 09 Dec 2011</p>
<p>Energy Research Centre of the Netherlands (ECN) Ms. Heleen de Coninck deconinck@ecn.nl +31 224 564316</p> <hr/> <p>Wuppertal Institute for Climate, Environment and Energy Mr. Wolfgang Sterk wolfgang.sterk@wupperinst.org +49 202 2492149</p>	<p>The Wuppertal Institute and the Energy Research Centre of the Netherlands provide energy and climate policy research publications on a wide range of issues such as post-2012 regime options, NAMAs, climate finance and technology cooperation, the Kyoto mechanisms and the EU emissions trading scheme.</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Friday, 09 Dec</p>
<p>ETC Group (Action Group on Erosion, Technology and Concentration) (ETC Group) Ms. Joelle Deschambault joelle@etcgroup.org +1 613 2412267</p>	<p>ETC Group: To display our publications on technology, including agriculture, synthetic biology, geoengineering and climate-ready crops.</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Saturday, 03 Dec 2011</p>
<p>France Ms. JAUDET MARIE Marie.JAUDET@developpement-durable.gouv.fr +33 6 64402246</p>	<p>France's International action on global warming / REDD+(Paris Oslo Process) , fast start, low carbon technology, energy access (Paris Nairobi Climate Initiative) , adaptation, CDM, JI, scientific and research co operation...</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Friday, 09 Dec 2011</p>
<p>Industrial Technology Research Institute (ITRI) Mr. Wen-Cheng Hu vincenthu@itri.org.tw +886 3 5913770</p>	<p>Growing green businesses is a central consideration for Taiwan's energy and climate policies. We regard having strong green businesses as a prerequisite for us to attain our greenhouse gas reduction targets at reasonably controlled costs and Taiwan's competitiveness .</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Friday, 09 Dec 2011</p>
<p>International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) Mr. Ferenc Toth f.l.toth@iaea.org +43 1 260022787</p>	<p>The Fukushima accident has not markedly reduced the interest of dozens of countries in starting nuclear power programmes. Since climate change mitigation is one of the driving forces behind their interest, the exhibit will provide information about the risks and benefits of the technology.</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Friday, 09 Dec 2011</p>
<p>International Center for Environmental Technology Transfer (ICETT) Mr. Taiki Kuroda kuroda@icett.or.jp +81 59 3293500</p>	<p>Climate Technology Initiative (CTI) – Working together to accelerate development and diffusion of climate-friendly technologies and practices</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Saturday, 03 Dec 2011</p>

<p>New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO) Mr. Hitoshi SUZUKI km-ap@nedo.go.jp +81 44 5205195</p>	<p>Introduction of NEDO's recent activities regarding energy and global environmental challenges. We focus on new energy and energy conservation related projects and Kyoto Mechanism activities.</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Saturday, 03 Dec 2011</p>
<p>Sustainable Business Australia (SBA) Ms. Katrina Pollard katrina.pollard@hidroonline.com +61 0 411817999</p>	<p>Hidro+ is a Smart Generator for clean energy generation. Hidro+ is sustainable, affordable, transmission and emission free by utilising the constant energy and phenomena provided by nature in a water tower: gravity, buoyancy and hydrostatic pressure gradients to drive a generator.</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Saturday, 03 Dec 2011</p>
<p>Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH Zurich) Ms. Carola Betzold betzoldc@ethz.ch +41 44 6324858</p> <hr/> <p>ClimateNet Mr. Axel Michaelowa dransfeld@perspectives.cc +49 40 399990691</p>	<p>Climate Policy, Negotiation Strategies, Market Mechanisms - at this exhibition booth, we will distribute the latest research findings from the ClimateNet network. the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology and the University of Zurich. Our experts will be available for discussions at the venue.</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Friday, 09 Dec 2011</p>
<p>University of Technology Malaysia (UTM) Ms. Kazumi Sato kzmst007@gmail.com +60 7 5537356</p>	<p>Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, Kyoto University and NIES Japan collaborate with local authorities to carry out the Low carbon Society research on Iskandar Malaysia and Putrajaya City as study cases to model the methodology and planning approaches appropriate to urban setting in developing nations.</p>	<p>Monday, 28 Nov 2011 Friday, 09 Dec 2011</p>