



In-session workshop on long-term climate finance in 2016

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Draft Programme

Morning session	
10:00–10:10	Opening Remarks <i>by Ms. Christiana Figueres, Executive Secretary, UNFCCC</i>
10:10–10:20	Opening and introduction by the co-facilitators <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms. Sarah Conway (United States of America)• Mr. Tosi Mpanu-Mpanu (Democratic Republic of Congo)
10:20–10:50	Session I: Setting the scene – enhancing the understanding of adaptation finance <p>This session will aim to enhance the understanding of what constitutes adaptation finance through looking at the range of interventions across various sectors and different national circumstances. This will be discussed in the context of pre-2020 climate actions and in light of the Paris Agreement’s objective to make finance flows consistent with a pathway towards low greenhouse gas emissions and climate-resilient development.</p> <p><u>Key note presentation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms. Barbara Buchner, Climate Policy Initiative <p><u>Discussion</u></p>
10:50–12:30	Session II: Assessing adaptation needs of developing country Parties and the role for international cooperation and support <p>This session will facilitate the sharing of experiences, lessons learned and possible ways forward for assessing and communicating the adaptation needs of developing country Parties and integrating them into national priorities. It will focus on how developing countries can assess their needs, including effective tools and methodologies, ways to move forward from needs assessment to implementation and the role of international cooperation and support.</p> <p><u>Scene-setting presentation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Antwi-Boasiako Amoah, Environmental Protection Agency, Ghana “Prioritizing Adaptation Actions in Ghana using the Akropong Approach” <p><u>Panel discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Sudhir Sharma, UNEP DTU Partnership• Mr. Michael Rantil, Technology Executive Committee• Mr. Juan Hoffmaister, Green Climate Fund• Mr. Antwi-Boasiako Amoah, Environmental Protection Agency, Ghana

	<p><u>Break out group discussion for Session II</u></p> <p>Following a presentation and a brief panel discussion, participants will have the opportunity to engage in an interactive discussion and exchange of perspectives in smaller groups. Each group will be supported by a discussion leader.</p> <p>Group 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are the tools developing country Parties can use to assess and communicate their adaptation needs, including related to support, in both quantitative and qualitative terms? • What capacity gaps are there, and what support would help address these? <p>Group 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What forms of support (technical assistance on policy development, capacity building, etc.) are most useful in translating adaptation needs into action? <p>Group 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can adaptation needs and enabling environments be better integrated into relevant planning and budgetary processes in developing countries?
12:30–13:00	<u>Report-back from the break-out groups</u>
13:00–15:00	<i>Lunch break</i>
Afternoon session	
15:00–15:45	<p><i>Session III: Scaling up finance for adaptation actions</i></p> <p>This session will provide a space for public and private actors to discuss new and innovative financial models and instruments in scaling up adaptation finance. Furthermore, it will explore policies and measures that can be undertaken to enhance mobilization of and access to resources for adaptation and the role of international support in this regard.</p> <p><u>Scene-setting presentation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Jay Koh, Siguler Guff on the Global Adaptation & Resilience Fund <p><u>Panel discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Paul Herbert Oquist Kelley, Minister and Private Secretary for National Policies, Nicaragua • Ms. Assia Sidibe, African Risk Capacity • Mr. Naresh Sharma, Least Developed Countries Expert Group • Mr. Jay Koh, Siguler Guff
15:45–17:15	<p><i>Session IV: Enhancing transparency of adaptation finance</i></p> <p>The aim of this session is to exchange views and information on recent developments in tracking domestic and international adaptation finance flows and outcomes, including measuring effectiveness, and to identify potential areas for increasing transparency.</p> <p>During the breakout group discussions, participants will have an opportunity to exchange lessons learned from the first round of biennial submissions from developed</p>

	<p>countries on strategies and approaches for scaling up climate finance in 2014, so as to inform the upcoming round of submissions in 2016.</p> <p><u>Scene-setting presentation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Renato Redentor Constantino, Adaptation Finance Accountability Initiative “From Accounting to Accountability: Making adaptation finance work for vulnerable communities” <p><u>Panel discussion</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Pradeep Kurukulasuriya, United Nations Development Programme • Mr. Rawleston Moore, Global Environment Facility • Mr. Randy Caruso, Standing Committee on Finance • Mr. Stephen Hammer, World Bank Group • Mr. Renato Redentor, Adaptation Finance Accountability Initiative <p><u>Breakout group discussions for session III and IV</u></p> <p>Following the presentations and panel discussions from session III and IV, participants will have an opportunity to engage in an interactive discussion and exchange of perspectives in smaller groups. Each group will be supported by a discussion leader.</p> <p>Group 1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Based on lessons learnt and experiences gained so far, how can the access to and delivery of finance for adaptation actions in developing countries be accelerated? • How can adaptation finance more effectively address the needs and priorities of the most vulnerable communities in developing countries? <p>Group 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are lessons learned from the 2014 submissions on strategies and approaches for scaling up climate finance? • How can these experiences inform the 2016 submissions, including how to better portray available quantitative and qualitative information? <p>Group 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What actions are required to improve the tracking of financial flows that support adaptation actions at both national and international levels? <p>Group 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can the outcomes, impacts, and effectiveness of adaptation finance be measured and be more transparent? • What guidelines and criteria would be needed and what are the lessons learnt to date?
17:15–17:45	<u>Report-back from the break-out groups</u>
17:15–18:00	<u>Wrap-up and closure: summary of key conclusions and recommendations</u>