

High-level Ministerial Dialogue on Climate Finance

Towards an articulated vision for climate finance – how can it support ongoing efforts to scale-up funding and investments?

December 9, 15:00-18:00

Provisional Programme

15:00-15:30	<p>Opening Remarks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• H.E. Manuel Pulgar-Vidal, Minister of Environment of Peru and President-designate of COP20/CMP10 <p>Scene-setting Presentations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hussein Alfa Nafu, member of the Standing Committee on Finance and co-facilitator of the 2014 biennial assessment and overview of climate finance flows• Hela Cheikhrouhou, Executive Director, Green Climate Fund• Naoko Ishii, CEO and Chairperson, Global Environment Facility
15:30-17:30	<p>Discussion Session among Parties (3 min. interventions) <i>Towards an articulated vision for climate finance – how can it support ongoing efforts to scale-up funding and investments?</i></p> <p>Guiding Questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To what extent are the Convention's information tools and institutional arrangements for climate finance working together to ensure the predictability and scaling-up of international climate funding?• How can these strengthen in-country decision-making processes and mobilize further funding and investments while encouraging the engagement of non-state actors?• How can Parties ensure that articulating the current arrangements into a robust institutional framework and an effective information system provide the necessary transparency and predictability in the provision and use of climate finance towards a post-2020 world? <p>Format:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The dialogue will be held in a plenary setting.• Parties should note that it may not be possible to accommodate all requests in the three hour period available, unless participants are focused to limit their interventions to 3 minutes. Priority will be given to those speaking on behalf of groups of Parties.• Interpretation in the official languages of the United Nations will be provided.
17:30-17:40	Interventions by Observers
17:40-18:00	Summary and Closing