



Marrakech
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Climate Action and SDG 11 Roundtables

13 November 2017

Overall narrative

This High-Level event will show how the engagement of Human Settlements stakeholders have shifted into an implementation phase since the adoption of the Paris Agreement (PA) and the Sustainable Development Goal on Cities and Human Settlements (SDG11). The different sessions will highlight efforts to mainstream activities into a *one action agenda*. Ahead of stocktaking at the Facilitative Dialogue 2018 and the SDG11 review they will highlight contributions from national, local and regional governments and the private sector to implement the PA and the Sustainable Development Agenda through inclusive, holistic and integrated climate action for sustainable and resilient human settlements. SDG11 Day will explore opportunities to design and strengthen global and regional multi-stakeholder partnerships for action, including multi-level cooperation, and highlight successful initiatives that mobilize planning, transport, energy, waste, building stakeholders and the urban-rural nexus.



Events

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| Time: 11.30 – 13.00 Room 8 | SDG11: Women leaders on making human settlements inclusive, sustainable and resilient |
| Short description To discuss the cross-cutting issue of climate and SDG11, and enhance collaboration, this panel will bring together a unique group of women mayors, governors, ministers and civil society leaders, who are driving forces to accelerate the transition to sustainable and resilient cities for all. | |
| Moderators (TBC) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Laurence Tubiana, CEO of the European Climate Foundation and COP21 Climate Champion (tbc) | |
| Speakers (TBC) <i>Chair:</i> Hakima El-Haite, High-Level Champion for Climate Change, Kingdom of Morocco, COP22 Presidency <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Hilda Heine, President of the Republic of Marshall Islands2. Nicola Sturgeon, First Minister of Scotland, UK (tbc)3. Catherine McKenna, Minister of the Environment and Climate Change, Canada4. Nazhat Shameem Khan, Chief Climate Negotiator for Fiji, Fiji5. Johanna Lissinger Peitz, Chief Negotiator and Deputy Director, Division for Climate at the Minister for International Development Cooperation and Climate, and Deputy Prime Minister, Sweden6. Mary Robinson, former President of the Republic of Ireland and Chair of the MRFCJ7. Zandile Gumede, Mayor of Durban8. Helen Fernández, Mayor of Caracas, Venezuela9. Maty Mint Hamady, Mayor of Nouakchott, Mauritania10. Katrin Stjernfeldt Jammeh, Mayor of Malmö, Sweden11. Kate Brown, Governor of Oregon, USA12. Sharan Burrow, General Secretary of the International Trade Union Confederation13. TBD – Business rep. | |
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| Time: 12:15 pm – 13:45 pm Room 6 | SDG 11: The Urban Energy/Transport Nexus: How can cities be drivers of transformative climate action? |
| Short description <p>Through energy, transportation and land use planning, cities can become engines of innovation that can help lower emissions, reduce pollution and create more sustainable places to live in. This session will showcase the best existing climate action initiatives taking place at the urban nexus of transport and energy – and feature a ‘call to action’ for leaders to embrace 100% transport-related-emission-free cities.</p> <p>The panel is hosted by Sustainable Energy for All, the Global Covenant of Mayors and the Partnership on Sustainable Low Carbon Transport and will be followed by a roundtable discussion that will explore how to operationalize this agenda with a representative group of stakeholders.</p> | |
| Opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Jerry Brown, Governor, California | |
| Moderator: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Rachel Kyte, CEO, Sustainable Energy for All and Special Representative of the UN Secretary-General for Sustainable Energy for All | |
| Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Raymond Johansen, Governing Mayor, Oslo- Mauricio Esteban Rodas Espinel, Mayor, Quito- Isabelle Kocher, CEO, Engie- Dr. Tania Rödiger-Vorwerk, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, Germany | |
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| Time: 15:00 – 16:30 Room 3 | Transforming markets for buildings to deliver against SDGs 11, 7 and 13: A high level dialogue |
| Short description Despite positive actions we need to scale up efforts for zero emission buildings to become the norm. This session showcases political commitments and positive examples of multi-stakeholder action, involving different parts of the building sector value chain. | |
| Moderator: Dr Christine Lemaitre, CEO, DGNB | |
| Speakers: <i>Welcoming keynote:</i> H.E. Mr Kimmo Kalevi Tiilikainen, Minister of Housing, Energy and the Environment , Finland. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• H.E. Mr Vo Tuan Nhan, Deputy Minister of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Socialist Republic of Vietnam.• Ms Fatna Lakhiel, State Secretary in charge of housing, Ministry of Development of the National Territory, Urban Planning, Habitat and Urban Policy, Kingdom of Morocco.• Mr Jochen Flasbarth, State Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety, Federal Republic of Germany.• H.E. Mr Nicolas Hulot, Minister for the Ecological and Inclusive Transition, French Republic (TBC).• H.E. Mr Jim Carr, Minister of Natural Resources, Canada (TBC).• Mr Erik Solheim, Executive Director, UN Environment (TBC).• Ms Elizabeth Dowdeswell, Lieutenant Governor of Ontario (TBC).• Mr Diébédo Francis Kéré, CEO & Founder, Kéré Architecture (TBC).• Danfoss (TBC). | |
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| Time: 15:00 – 16:30 Room 1 | SDG 11: Creating green and inclusive transport for liveable and resilient cities |
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Short description

Transport plays a significant role in shaping cities and as the urgency to develop liveable and resilient cities grows, it is increasingly important to implement green and inclusive transport measures. This event focuses on sustainable transport development opportunities as envisaged by SDG 11.2.

Moderator: Marcel Beukeboom, Climate Change Envoy, The Netherlands

Speakers: (TBC)

Ministers and Mayors:

- Andrzej Adamczyk, Minister of Infrastructure and Construction, Poland
- Anne Berner, Minister of Transport and Communications, Finland
- Elisabeth Borne, Minister of Transport, France
- Guillermo Dietrich, Minister of Transport, Argentina
- Abdelkader Amara, Minister of Equipment, Transport, Logistics and Water, Morocco
- Daniël Termont, Mayor of Ghent, Belgium
- Pex Langenberg, Vice Mayor of Rotterdam
- Violeta Bulc, European Commissioner for Transport

Heads of Organisations:

- Young Tae Kim, Secretary General, International Transport Forum (ITF)
- Jean-Pierre Loubinoux, Director General, International Union of Railways (UIC)
- Rajiv J. Shah, President, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Alain Flausch, Secretary General, International Association of Public Transport (UITP)
- Joan Clos, Executive Director of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme
- Irena Zubcevic, Chief, Small island developing States, Oceans and Climate Branch, Division for Sustainable Development, UNDESA
- Peter Jones, Professor, UCL, Transport & Sustainable Development
- Elizabeth Jones, Senior Transport Adviser, UK Department for International Development
- Holger Dalkmann, Co-chair of the Board, SLoCaT
- Frank Appel, CEO, DHL
- Joe Kaeser, President and Chief Executive Officer, Siemens
- Franz R. Drees-Gross, Director for Transport and ICT Global Practice, World Bank
- Sharon Burrow, Secretary General, International Trade Union Confederation
- Julio Cordano, Head of Climate Change Department, Chile

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| Time: 16.45-18.15 Room 1 | SDG 11: Catalyzing local climate action in waste management |
| Short description A high-level debate on <ul style="list-style-type: none">● How can more action in climate-friendly waste systems for cities be catalysed globally and locally to meet SDG11 and the Paris Agreement?● Which framework conditions and collaboration between local and national level are important?● What could be CCAC's role? | |
| Moderator: Mark Watts, Executive Director, C40 Cities Climate Leadership Group | |
| Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Ms. Zandile Gumede, Mayor of Durban (eThekweni), South Africa● Mr. Rafael Greca, Mayor of Curitiba, Brazil● Ms. Alice Kaudia, Environment Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources of Kenya● Mr. Emmanuel de Guzman, Minister of Climate Change, Phillippines● Mr. Marcelo Mena, Ministry of Environment, Chile● Mr. Sergio Bergman, Minister, Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development, Argentina● Mr. Mohammed Adjei Sowah, Mayor of Accra, Ghana | |
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| Time: 16:45 - 18:15 Room 3 | SDG 11: Implementing the Paris Agreement: The role of regions and cities in resilience and adaptation |
| Short description Presentation of challenges and solutions for regions and cities in the implementation of SDG 11.b. Discussion on how they can become more resilient facing the increasing impacts of climate change, what opportunities regions and cities have to integrate disaster risk, climate change, and resilience. | |
| Moderator: (TBC) | |
| Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Maria Cecilia Alvarado, Vice-Prefect Azuay, Ecuador and Co-Chair nrg4SD (tbc);● Elena Moreno, Deputy Minister for the Environment, Basque Country, Spain (tbc);● Lesley Griffiths, Cabinet Secretary for Environment and Rural Affairs, Wales, UK (tbc);● Isabelle Melançon, Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change, Quebec, Canada (tbc);● Mauricio Brusadin, Secretary of the Environment of the State of São Paulo, Brazil (tbc)● local representatives (tbd)● others (tbd) | |
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