

UNITED NATIONS

Saturday, 11 November 2017



United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change United Nations Climate Change Conference 2017 COP 23 I CMP 13 I CMA 1-2 Bonn, 6–17 November 2017

Daily Programme

Opening of the joint high-level segment Collection of tickets and badges

The opening of the joint high-level segment of COP 23/CMP 13/CMA 1.2, to be attended by approximately 30 Heads of State and Government, will be held in Plenary New York on Wednesday, 15 November 2017.

The opening will be presided over by His Excellency Mr. Frank Bainimarama, President of COP 23/CMP 13/CMA 1.2, and will be attended by His Excellency Dr. Frank-Walter Steinmeier, President of the Federal Republic of Germany, His Excellency Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations, His Excellency Mr. Miroslav Lajčák, President of the UN General Assembly and Ms. Patricia Espinosa Cantellano, UNFCCC Executive Secretary.

Owing to the exceptional number of participants and the capacity limitations of the plenary, and taking into consideration the safety and security of all participants, the United Nations Department of Safety and Security will need to restrict access to Plenary New York. However, a total of four seats per delegation are guaranteed behind the nameplate of each Party for the opening ceremony, two seats at table and two seats behind.

Access to the high-level segment will be given using a badge and a ticket system: Parties represented by Heads of State and Heads of Government will be given badges, which will grant access to the VIP Lounge and to Plenary New York. All other Parties will receive pink tickets to access the Plenary New York and in addition they will receive green tickets to access the Gallery of the plenary.

Tickets are available for collection at the Information desk in Bula Zone 1 as of Saturday, 11 November 14.00 p.m..

Today at a glance

MEETINGS OF THE CONVENTION AND PROTOCOL BODIES

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Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI)

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OPEN MEETINGS

CLOSED MEETINGS

Special meetings and events

Groups other than the Convention and Protocol Bodies Observer organizations

UNFCCC and related events

STATUS REPORTS ON CONSIDERATION OF AGENDA ITEMS

Traffic hold-ups due to demonstrations on Saturday

Two demonstrations in connection with COP 23 are going to take place in Bonn on Saturday, 11 November. Police are expecting the event to go over peacefully, yet they are anticipating traffic obstructions along the routes of the protesters.

For further information on the demonstrations and the traffic situation, please click <u>here</u> or follow the Bonn police on Twitter <u>#polizei nrw bn</u>.

Please note that demands of the negotiation process might necessitate changes to this meetings schedule. For real-time information on all meetings, please consult the <u>live meetings schedule</u> on CCTV and the <u>COP 23 conference calendar</u>.

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Time	Title/Theme	Venue
09.00– 10.00	GCA Kick-off Briefing: Transport, Human Settlements, Oceans & Coastal Zones	Media events room (Bonn Zone)
	For further information on GCA events, please click here.	

UNFCCC and related events

10.00–18.00	UNFCCC (Contact: Mr. Yolando Velasco): Day of the Direct Access Entities: Enhancing Collaboration through South-South Cooperation	Meeting room 7 (Bonn Zone)
13.15–14.45	UNFCCC (Contact: <u>Mr. Vladimir Hecl</u>): Supporting the implementation of Technology Action Plans	Meeting room 9 (Bonn Zone)
15.00–16.30	UNFCCC (Contact: Ms. Priscilla Nunnari): Consultations with Microsoft	Meeting room 3 (Bonn Zone)

Click here for further information on today's UNFCC and related side events.

CLOSED MEETINGS

Groups other than the Convention and Protocol bodies

A full schedule of daily meetings of groups other than the Convention and Protocol bodies was published on the Daily Programme for day 1 of the conference (available <u>here</u>). Participants are kindly requested to retain their copies of that document and to consult the CCTV monitors for changes or updates.

14.00–15.00 Delegation of India on behalf of LMDCs

LE 2105 (UN Campus)

Meetings of observer organizations

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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

COP 23 Special Event - Global Renewable Energy Forum 2017

Sunday, 12 November

09.30-17.30

Hotel Koenigshof, Adenauerallee 9, 53111 Bonn, Germany

The COP 23 Special Event - Global Renewable Energy Forum 2017 provides added value to the COP 23 policy discussions by: 1) Engaging and informing an international audience on state-of-the-art, energy transition applications and policies in two key sectors: Transport (e.g., strategy roadmaps, electric vehicles, batteries, 'mobility as a service', and diesel phase out policies) and Innovative, Integrated Systems (e.g., smart cities, heating and cooling); 2) highlighting the link between land, renewable energy, and climate change; and 3) showcasing innovative ways for enabling energy access in the Global South.

For further information on the event, please click here.

Organizer: Embassy of the Republic of Korea, Bonn Office (contact: Mr. Jamil Balga)

Co-organizers: UNFCCC, the German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety, and the Ministry of Economic Affairs, Innovation, Digitalization and Energy of the German State of North Rhine-Westphalia.

Registration: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/SoUA6aGxnHdpbrju1</u>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join a COP 23 on-site sustainability tour!

Join an on-site sustainability tour at the Bonn Zone guided by a COP 23 volunteer and learn about selected sustainability aspects of the conference. Meeting point for the walking tours is at the Bonn Zone Information Desk at 11.00 each day (except Sunday, 12 November).

This is not a media tour hence the information shared by the guide must not be quoted. Comprehensive information on the sustainability of COP 23 is available <u>here</u>.

CAN Party

The traditional NGO party, organized by CAN International, will take place on Saturday, 11 November 2017 from 21.00–05.00 at "La Redoute" in <u>Kurfürstenallee 1, 53177 Bonn - Bad Godesberg</u>.

All conference participants are invited. Please do not forget your conference badge as this is needed for entrance. Participants accredited for only week two need to show their accreditation letter upon arrival to the security check.

22.00 - CONCERT by Makeda and Steal a Taxi

Reminder: The CAN Party has a zero-tolerance policy against all forms of harassment.

Drinking water and free distribution of reusable bottles

Water dispensers available throughout the conference venue may be used with reusable bottles that will be distributed to all registered participants free of charge at the Information Desks at the Bula and Bonn Zones.

Exhibition "Beethoven and Nature"

On the occasion of COP 23, the Beethoven Museum Bonn presents the special exhibition "In the open air - Beethoven and Nature". The exhibition focuses on an essential aspect of the composer's life - Beethoven's relation to nature - and explores the role of nature in the life and work of the Bonn-born composer.

Please click here for further information on the exhibition and the Beethoven Museum Bonn.

Richard Kinley Gallery – archival exhibition "The UNFCCC story"

The archival exhibition "The UNFCCC Story" in the Richard Kinley Gallery (Bula Zone 2 – AH Entrance H-107) presents the history of intergovernmental climate change negotiations and the role of the UN Climate Change secretariat through original documents, artefacts, rare photographs and video. The exhibition is open to all COP 23 participants with Bula Zone badges.

Curator <u>Jessica Bushey</u> will be providing daily tours of the exhibition from November 6 to November 17, during open hours 10.00–18.00.

For further information, please check /KinleyGallery on Instagram and #KinleyGallery on Twitter.

Service quality survey on the COP 23 meetings

In an ongoing effort to improve UN conference organization, the Division of Conference Management (DCM) of the United Nations Office at Geneva has prepared a survey for our meeting. All conference participants are invited to take the survey concerning the quality of conference services provided at COP 23 via this link.

The secretariat encourages all delegates and attendees to participate in the survey as it will only take approximately 5 minutes. Your feedback on the quality of conference servicing at this meeting is important to DCM in their efforts to provide more efficient and effective meetings services

Free childcare offered by the City of Bonn for children of COP 23 delegates and UNFCCC staff

The children of the delegates and UNFCCC staff who come to participate in and support COP 23 are invited to visit the municipal children's and youth club "Quasi", located opposite the Bonn Zone entrance at Rheinaue Park.

Children and youngsters aged 6 through 14 are welcomed the club on weekdays any time between 9.00 to 16.30, where childcare specialists (German-speaking) offer lots of leisure activities and will be happy to look after them. The children and youngsters can also buy a snack around lunchtime for a small fee.

Please note that the number of slots is limited. As long as slots are available, children may also be registered for a visit on the same day.

Live Music @ Bonn Zone

Don't miss the free live concerts in the Bonn Zone, starting at 19.00 on November 14 and 16 on the Stage in the Exhibition area!

Rotary Club Bonn - international lunch

The Rotary Club Bonn International and the Rotary Club Bonn-Rheinbogen request the pleasure of all Rotarians for lunch on Sunday, 12 November at 12.30 in the Café in Haus der Geschichte. The address is Willy-Brandt-Allee 14, 53113 Bonn. The Café is approximately 9 minutes walk from the World Conference Center Bonn, and 3 minutes walk from tram stop Heussallee/Museumsmeile.

REMINDER - Special concert performed by the Beethoven Orchestra Bonn

On the occasion of COP 23, it is the pleasure and privilege of the German Federal Foreign Office and the City of Bonn to invite to a special concert performed by the Beethoven Orchestra Bonn preceded by a reception, on Tuesday, 14 November 2017, at 19.00 in the Oper Bonn.

Invitations to Parties, IGOs and UN agencies will be distributed as of Wednesday, 8 November 2017 from 10.00 to 17.00 at the Information Desk in the Bula Zone 1. We kindly request National Focal Persons and Designated Contact Persons to pick up the invitations for their delegations.

A shuttle bus service will be provided as of 18.15 between the conference centre and Oper Bonn. More detailed information is enclosed in the invitation.

REMINDER – Submission of Credentials

Parties are reminded that the credentials of representatives of Parties, as well as the names of alternate representatives and advisers, shall be submitted to the secretariat no later than 24 hours after the opening of COP 23/CMP 12/CMA 1.2.

Parties are asked to submit their duly signed original credentials as soon as possible. Credentials must be submitted only at the Information Desk in Bula Zone 1 of the conference venue. No other office or authority of the secretariat or the host country has been designated to receive credentials.

The list of Parties that have submitted credentials are updated daily and posted here.

USEFUL INFORMATION

Election of officers of bodies under the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the **Paris Agreement**

Please consult the UNFCCC elections website for the latest information on the elections to be held during the 2017 Bonn Climate Change Conference.

Centralized conference calendar

The UNFCCC secretariat hosts a centralized conference calendar that provides a real-time overview of all meetings and events in both conference zones as well as of all outside events held in/around Bonn and the Bonn-Cologne region. Click here to access the COP 23 calendar.

Side events and exhibits

The schedule of side events and a list of the exhibits is available in electronic form only. Please consult the CCTV monitors for changes or updates. Side events and exhibits are both located in the "Bonn Zone".

The side events are organized under the common theme "Accelerating implementation of the Paris Agreement" and are clustered in three categories: Enhancing ambition, Promoting implementation, and Providing support to developing countries.

The side events are broadcast live on YouTube through Google Hangouts On Air. Online audiences can listen in, watch the presentations and pose questions to the panel.

Other events and activities

Information on today's other events (non-official side events inside (i.e, national pavilions) and outside the conference premises) and publicity activities/media actions during the day are available here.

Climate Change Resources Corner (CCRC)

Parties and admitted observer organizations without an exhibit are welcome to display their visual electronic materials (videos, slideshows, etc.) on the CCRC screens, located in the side events and exhibits hall. To make use of this option, please send a request to <see@unfccc.int>.

Press briefings

The live daily schedule of press briefings is available here. Please consult the CCTV monitors for changes or updates.

Web coverage and daily reports of the conference

The following organizations kindly provide daily web coverage, daily reports and a summary and analysis of the COP 23/CMP 13 meetings on their webpages:

Print

TWN (by TWN)

ECO (by CAN)

ENB (by IISD)

Document Services

Participants will be able to access and read documents prepared for and during the session in the following ways:

Electronically

- via the UNFCCC website
- by requesting printed copies at the Documents Counter
- via the "Negotiator App", available in the Google and iTunes stores

List of participants

The provisional list of registered participants (COP23.PLOP) is available here. Amendments should be given to Ms. Eva Kulage at the registration counter or, preferably, sent by email to <ekulage@unfccc.int> by noon, at the latest, on Wednesday, 15 November 2017.

List of speakers for the high-level segment

The provisional speakers list for the high-level segment is available <u>here</u>. Please submit corrections to <<u>copprotocol@unfccc.int</u>>.

Logistical information

Logistical information can be found on the <u>COP 23 Information Hub</u> and on the <u>information for</u> <u>participants web page</u>, including on the following: venue maps, transportation, availability of meeting rooms, media centre and press facilities, facilities for observer organizations, prayer rooms, distributing publications, lost and found, etc.

Transportation

The Bonn region is well connected through public transportation, with trains, metros/ trams and buses running at short intervals. By courtesy of the State of North-Rhine Westphalia and the German Federal Government, transportation by bus, tram, metro and regional trains (RB, RE) will be free of charge in Bonn, Cologne and in-between, including the Ahr valley ("expanded VRS area"), for all registered participants in the two-week sessional period.

Detailed information on public transportation to and the shuttle service on the conference site can be found <u>here</u>.

Medical and security emergencies

For medical emergencies, please contact the Medical Centre, located in the emergency room in the corridor opposite to the restaurant area of Bula Zone 3.

On-site first aid: +49 228 9267 - 3997 / 3998 / 3999

For other emergencies, please contact United Nations security staff (wearing either a United Nations uniform or an armband), the information desk on the ground floor of the main building, or call:

On-site Security Duty Officer: +49 228 9267 - 3997 / 3998 / 3999

Outside the premises of the World Conference Center Bonn, call the following numbers for assistance

Police: 110 Emergency doctor / ambulance: 112 Fire brigade: 112

Zero tolerance towards harassment

The UNFCCC secretariat and COP 23 organizers have a zero tolerance for any form of harassment, including sexual harassment, and will deal with such complaints promptly. We encourage reporting of any incident either directly to any badged UN Department of Safety and Security (UNDSS) officer or by calling UNDSS at +49 228 926 73999 at any time. For incidents in the Bonn Zone, participants may also call +49 172 2027040.

Closure of the Bula Zone on Sunday, 12 November 2017 and alternative outside events and activities

The Bula Zone will be closed on Sunday the 12th of November 2017. Delegation offices in Bula Zone 3 will remain accessible however only minimal services will be available.

In addition to the events in the Bonn Zone, conference participants are invited to the following alternative events and activities in the city of Bonn and the Bonn-Cologne region:

Tips for the day in Bonn: <u>http://www.bonn.de/tourismus_kultur_sport_freizeit/tourist_information_aktuell/jung_und_alt/14956</u> <u>/index.html?lang=en</u>

Beethoven Walking tour:

http://www.bonn.de/tourismus_kultur_sport_freizeit/bonn_ist_kultur/beethoven/03805/index.html?lang=en

Tips for the day in Cologne: http://www.cologne.de/what-to-do

Bonn-Cologne region events: https://cop23.unfccc.int/calendar?search-phrase=&event-type=528&body=All&=Search

Bonn tourist information: http://www.bonn.de/tourismus_kultur_sport_freizeit/tourist_information_aktuell/index.html?lang=en

Cologne tourist information: https://www.cologne-tourism.com/