Report from breakout group Annual Adaptation Forum

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Proposed theme and title of the forum

Adapting to climate change – safeguarding our future Sharing relevant adaptation experience at all levels to build best practices

This is a working title – any suggestions for a more punchy and short title are welcome



Type of speakers envisaged by the AC

Prominent, high level speakers that are also known to the broader public and that are used to communicate to their audience via media

<u>Targeted audience: decision makers, stakeholders, including representatives of indigenous people, women and youth, policy makers not directly engaged in the climate process</u>



Partnerships envisaged for undertaking the event

- Parties, representing the six UN-regions
- IPCC
- Cities (e.g. New York, Cairo)
- Media (e.g. CNN, BBC)



Format of the event

- Venue: preferable inside conference area
- Townhall/ADP style
- Three sessions (Opening session, examples, Q & A & discussion)



Duration and timing of the event

- Preferably 3 h
- Preferable end of first week of COP19



Other

- Iterative process
- Need for some flexibility
- Need for a Task Group to co-operate with the secretariat
- All participants, whatever role, should be present in person.

