

**UN Climate Change
Regional Collaboration Centres
RCC Latin America**

**Support for Guatemala's national readiness for the NDC 3.0 Update and the use of
cooperative approaches under Article 6 of the Paris Agreement**

Activity #1

General Information

Activity Title:	Introductory Workshops
Date:	May 13 th , 16 th , and 20 th , 2024
Time	Day 01: 08:00 – 9:30 a.m. (Central America Time / 09:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. (Panama Time) Day 02: 09:00 – 11:00 a.m. (hora Centro America) / 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (hora Panama) Día 3: 09:00 – 11:00 a.m. (hora Centro America) / 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (hora Panama)
Format:	Virtual, MS Teams
Duration:	1.5 hrs., 2 hrs. and 2 hrs.
Scope:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of the third cycle update process for the Nationally Determined Contributions (NDC 3.0). • Results and key messages from the First Global Stocktake of Emissions (GST). • Concepts and main carbon pricing instruments as mitigation policies to achieve the NDCs. • Introduction to cooperative approaches established under Article 6 to achieve the NDCs and greater climate ambition.
Objetives:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present the importance of the third cycle update process for the Nationally Determined Contributions (NDC 3.0) and the submission of NDC 3.0 by 2025. • Provide results and understand the key messages from the First Global Stocktake of Emissions (GST). • Understand the relevance and functionality of different carbon pricing instruments to leverage climate action. • Comprehend the various types of voluntary cooperation established under Article 6, based on market and non-market mechanisms.

Day 01: Monday, May 13th, 2024

Proposed Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker/Moderator
2 minutes	Introduction	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
8 minutes	Welcome Remarks	Andrea Camponogara RCC Global Lead UN Climate Change Secretariat Ana Dávila LAC-6 Project Coordinator UNEP Latin America and the Caribbean Sofia Rodas Climate Change Director Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources of Guatemala
15 minutes	Session 1: Icebreaker <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participant Introductions. Questions for Group Discussion. Presentation of the Agenda. 	Laura Lasso de la Vega
20 minutes	Session 2: A Call to Ambition NDC 3.0 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ambition Cycle. Key Aspects of the NDCs. Increase of Ambition. Tracking Progress of the NDCs. Relevant Decisions for NDC 3.0. 	Nadia González NDC and LT-LEDS Expert RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
5 minutes	Q&A and Comments	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
20 minutes	Session 3: First Global Stocktake (GST) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Context Key Messages from the First GST <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Mitigation ✓ Adaptation ✓ Means of Implementation ✓ Loss and Damage ✓ Response Measures Guidance and Roadmap for the 2025 NDCs 	Nadia González NDC and LT-LEDS Expert RCC Latin America UN Climate Change

5 minutes	Q&A and Comments	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
15 minutes	Session 4: Interactive for group work (Mentimeter or Kahoot) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Sector prioritization ○ Barrier prioritization ○ Changes to be made according to the previously presented NDCs. 	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
5 minutes	Closing of the day	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change

Day 02: Thursday, May 16th, 2024

Proposed Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker/Moderator
10 minutes	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of the Agenda. • Recap of the Day 1. 	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
30 minutes	Session 1: Introduction to Carbon Pricing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Key concepts. ○ Review of the main types of instruments. ○ Carbon tax. ○ Emissions Trading System. ○ Accreditation mechanisms. ○ Payments for Results. ○ Hybrid systems. ○ Overview of carbon pricing instruments globally and in Latin America (experiences). 	Daniella Suger Country Leader of Guatemala LAC-6 Project UNEP
10 minutes	Q&A and Comments	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
30 minutes	Session 2: Introduction to Market-Based Carbon Instruments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Introduction to carbon markets (initial concepts). ○ Overview and types of carbon markets (international, domestic, voluntary, and compliance). ○ Group Dynamics. 	Daniella Suger Country Leader of Guatemala LAC-6 Project UNEP

10 minutes	Q&A and Comments	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
25 minutes	Session 3: Types of Carbon Markets. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> International Carbon Market. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Background. Article 6. CORSIA. Voluntary Carbon Market. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Background. Supply vs. Demand. Main Independent Accreditation Mechanisms. Interaction between Article 6 and the various Carbon Markets. 	Ana Domínguez RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
5 minutes	Closing of the day	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change

Day 3: Monday, May 20th, 2024

Proposed Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker/Moderator
15 minutes	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation of the Agenda. Recap of the Day 2. 	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
30 minutes	Session 01: The Paris Agreement and Voluntary Cooperation under Article 6. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NDCs and the role of cooperative approaches. Types of cooperation and how they function. Opportunities and Risks of Participation. National Considerations for participating in Article 6. Regional Overview of Article 6. 	Ana Domínguez RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
10 minutes	Q&A and Comments	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
30 minutes	Session 02: Introduction to Cooperative Approaches Based on Carbon Markets. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Similarities and Differences between Article 6.2 (Cooperative Approaches) and 6.4 (the Mechanism). Types of Units. Participation Requirements. 	Ana Domínguez RCC Latin America UN Climate Change

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Roles and Responsibilities of the Designated National Authority. ○ Approval vs Authorization. ○ Additional Implications of ITMO Authorization. ○ Reporting and Accounting. 	
10 minutes	Q&A and Comments	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
15 minutes	Session 03: Transition from the CDM to the Article 6.4 Mechanism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Procedure for transitioning CDM activities to the Article 6.4 Mechanism (Procedure). ○ List of CDM activities that have requested transition (participating project countries). ○ Actions required (Designated National Authority). 	Ana Domínguez RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
10 minutes	Q&A and Comments	Laura Lasso de la Vega RCC Latin America UN Climate Change
20 minutes	Session 04: Group Activity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Assessment of national readiness for Article 6 (descriptive roadmap for national preparation). 	Daniella Suger Country Leader of Guatemala LAC-6 Project UNEP
5 minutes	Closing Remarks and Next Steps	Fabiana Rodrigues Regional Lead RCC Latin America UN Climate Change