

## Relevant events by UN4NAPs and partner organizations during SB 58 (05-15 June 2023)

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Date	Time	Location	Organizer(s)	Session Title	Brief description
Tuesday 06 Jun	10:15- 11:30	Kaminzimmer	UNFCCC	<b>Work of the LEG in supporting the LDCs on adaptation</b>	The event will focus on the technical guidance and support to the least developed countries (LDCs) in formulating and implementing their NAPs by the LEG, and in collaboration with the GCF, GEF, AF and relevant organizations  <b>Speakers:</b> LEG, GCF, GEF, NAP technical working group and subgroups, LDC Parties
Tuesday 06 Jun	14:45- 16:00	Berlin	<b>Munich Climate Insurance Initiative (MCII)</b>  Institute for Climate and Sustainable Cities (ICSC)	<b>Taking stock of the protection gap in climate vulnerable countries</b>	Closing protection gaps in climate vulnerable countries is a global priority. The event will cover gaps, views, and analyses that can guide discussions on initiatives like the Global Stocktake, funding arrangements for loss and damage, and/or the Global Shield against Climate Risks  <b>Speakers:</b> Kairos de la Cruz, ICSC Sara Ahmed, V20 Secretariat Soenke Kreft, MCII Country representative(s): tbc
Tuesday 06 Jun	14:45- 16:00	Bonn	<b>Secretariat of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD)</b>  Biovision - Foundation for Ecological Development (BV)	<b>Rio synergies: How agroecology and restoration contribute to climate, biodiversity and land targets</b>	Food system transformation and land restoration are key to harmonizing action between the Rio conventions to achieve climate, biodiversity and land targets. This session will inspire and discuss how agroecology, restoration and integrated planning can connect and deliver on these agendas.  <b>Speakers:</b> Government of Mexico (female); Government of Rwanda (male); Government of France (f/m) UNCBD Co-Chair (m); UNCCD (f/m); Watershed Organisation Trust (f); University of Bonn (m); Agroecology coalition (f/m); Biovision (f/m) ELD Initiative (f).
Wednesday 07 Jun	10:15- 11:30	Berlin	<b>Office of the United Nations High Commissioner</b>	<b>Reaching the most vulnerable: Climate action in fragile and conflict affected contexts</b>	With Relief, Recovery and Peace an emerging theme for COP28, this event considers how climate action can reach vulnerable communities facing multiple sources of risk - advancing partnerships and approaches to build adaptive capacity and address loss and

			<p><b>for Refugees (UNHCR)</b></p> <p><b>International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (ICARDA)</b></p> <p><b>International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC)</b></p>		<p>damage in fragile/conflict-affected contexts</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> UAE Representative Carina Bachofen, Head of Policy, Red Cross Red Crescent Climate Centre Rose Kobusinge, Children and youth constituency of the UNFCCC (YOUNGO) and TFD Member Community Representative, Baringo County Kenya Michelle Yonetani, Senior Policy Officer, Climate Action, UNHCR</p>
Wednesday 07 Jun	11:45- 13:00	Berlin	<p><b>World Food Programme (WFP)</b></p> <p><b>Médecins Sans Frontières International (MSF)</b></p>	<p><b>Loss &amp; Damage from Climate Change: Action to avert, minimize and address loss and damage from a humanitarian perspective</b></p>	<p>This event will highlight the roles and limits of humanitarian action to avert, minimize and address loss and damage, as well as discuss key principles that should be applied for solutions and funding to respond to loss and damage to ensure that communities are supported to protect themselves against climate risks.</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Representatives from WFP, MSF, IFRC and Mercy Corps, supported by members of the Interagency-Standing Committee (IASC) Climate Sub-Group.</p>
Wednesday 07 Jun	15:15- 16:30	Kaminzimmer	<p><b>UNFCCC</b></p>	<p><b>UN4NAPs: Scaling up technical assistance for NAP implementation (I)</b></p>	<p>The event will build on conversations around needs for technical assistance around NAP formulation and implementation, especially by LDCs and SIDS, liaise with UN4NAPs partner organizations and identify ways to unlock bottlenecks and scale up technical assistance to advance the work at national level.</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Country representatives, UN4NAPs partner organizations</p>
Wednesday 07 Jun	16:45- 18:00	Kaminzimmer	<p><b>International Organization for Migration (IOM)</b></p> <p><b>ACT Alliance</b></p>	<p><b>Towards People-Centred Adaptation – Enabling Choice, Resilience, and Mobility</b></p>	<p>The event will provide a platform for diverse stakeholders to discuss how data and policy enable choice, resilience, and mobility and calls upon Parties to close the protection gap for people on the move due to the impacts of climate change and variability. This side event will be co-organized by the IOM, Act Alliance, BfW, and the DCA. be 75</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> speakers from the Executive Committee of the Warsaw</p>

			<b>Bread for the World</b> <b>DanChurchAid</b>		International Mechanism for Loss and Damage, Adaptation Committee, the Government of Moldova, IOM, Bread for the World, and Act Alliance.
Friday 09 Jun	10:15- 11:30	Bonn	<b>WMO/UNEP Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)</b>	<b>Scenarios in AR6 &amp; Future Assessments: Outcomes, Recommendations from the IPCC Workshop on Scenarios</b>	Scenarios play a critical role in climate research and assessments. Building on the IPCC workshop, their use, further developments and innovation will be discussed, as well as links with scientific, user and stakeholder communities to support and inform their use in future assessments.  <b>Speakers:</b> Jan Fuglestad (Vice-Chair IPCC Working Group I), Jim Skea (Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III) and Debra Roberts (Co-Chair IPCC Working Group II).
Friday 09 Jun	16:15- 17:30	Bonn	<b>CGIAR System Organization</b> Mr. Nathan Birac <a href="mailto:events@cgiar.org">events@cgiar.org</a> <b>+33 7 85761087</b>  <b>International Potato Center (CIP)</b> Mr. James Stapleton <a href="mailto:j.stapleton@cgiar.org">j.stapleton@cgiar.org</a> <b>+39 328 5868725</b>	<b>Attribution and assessment of loss and damage in agricultural systems in the Global South</b>	Investigating the nexus between extreme events and climate change is key for loss and damage quantification. The session will discuss how the latest advances in climate science and existing knowledge on farmers exposure and vulnerability in the Global South can inform the Loss and Damage fund agenda  <b>Speakers:</b> Frederike Otto, Imperial College, London Saleemul Haq, ICCCAD, Bangladesh/UK Harjeet Singh, CAN Animesh Kumar, UNDRR Giriraj Amarnath, IWMI/CGIAR Aditi Mukherji, CGIAR
Saturday 10 Jun	16:45- 18:00	Kaminzimmer	<b>UNFCCC</b>	<b>Building forward the UPP: Empowering young people to deliver knowledge for transformative adaptation</b>	The Nairobi Work Programme will host a discussion on results to date from the UN Climate Change and Universities Partnership Programme (UN-UPP) and seek the views of Parties, NWP partners, and UNFCCC constituted bodies on defining an actionable strategy to build this partnership forward.  <b>Speakers:</b> Voices from: Parties, UNFCCC national focal points, UPP

					alumni, NWP Partners, Constituted Bodies, academic and research institutions, university consortia, development partners, research for development organizations, private sector, Local communities and indigenous Peoples and philanthropies.
Saturday 10 Jun	16:15- 17:30	Berlin	<b>University of Washington (UW)</b>  <b>Météorologique de France (SMF)</b>  <b>United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)</b>	<b>Greening Education Partnership: Synergies and opportunities for climate change education at COP28</b>	<p>This side-event will discuss how to mobilize the four pillars of the Greening Education Partnership to advocate for education's role to tackle climate change, including by showcasing evidence, best practices and suggested policies and action to advance CCE implementation at COP28 and beyond.</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> WonJung Byun (Programme specialist, ESD section, UNESCO), Eric Guilyardi (President, Office for Climate Education), Pramod Kumar Sharma (Senior Director of Education, FEE), Deb L. Morrison (U.Washington &amp; CLEAR Environmental, Canada and US), ACE focal point UAE, Focal points four pillars of GEP</p>
Sunday 11 Jun	10:00- 16:00	CIFOR-ICRAF office	<b>FAO</b> <b>CIFOR-ICRAF</b>	<b>Forests and trees for adaptation</b>	<p>This in-person workshop will bring together climate negotiators, NAP and adaptation focal points to discuss the contributions of forests and trees to climate adaptation action and explore linkages between forests and trees, cross-sectoral climate-change adaptation and global biodiversity commitments, along with data and monitoring systems to mobilize climate finance.</p>
Monday 12 Jun	10:15- 11:30	Bonn	<b>United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR)</b>  <b>GNDR</b>  <b>International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent</b>	<b>Synergizing Climate Action and Disaster Risk Reduction: GST and Midterm Review of Sendai Framework</b>	<p>While climate action &amp; DRR share common goals their governance has evolved in parallel. The concurrent Global Stocktake and Midterm Review of Sendai Framework offers opportunities to build synergies - globally through coherent policies and metrics, and nationally through comprehensive risk management</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> SRSG Mami Mizutori; ES Simon Stiell; GST Co-Chair/s; MTR Co-Chair/s; Civil Society &amp; Stakeholders</p>

			<b>Societies (IFRC)</b>		
Monday 12 Jun	13:15- 14:30	Berlin	<b>UNFCCC</b>	<b>Food systems and the changing climate</b>	<p>By 2050, feeding a global population of almost 10 billion will require a radical transformation in how food is produced, processed, traded, and consumed (FAO). The event aims to catalyze awareness and build new partnerships toward transformative and integrated food and climate action</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Private Sector, Research, Academia, UN and Country Representatives will bring in their perspectives on what advances are needed towards climate resilience in food systems</p>
Monday 12 Jun	15:15- 16:30	Kaminzimmer	<b>Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)</b>  <b>International Plant Genetic Resources Institute (Bioversity)</b>	<b>From decisions to action: accelerating implementation of climate action on agriculture</b>	<p>This session aims to present views and opportunities to accelerate implementation of the Sharm el-Sheikh Joint Work on climate action on agriculture and food security, launched at COP27 as a successor of the KJWA, and identify concrete steps to move from formal commitments to tangible climate action</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> The discussion seeks to create a constructive dialogue between lead representatives from negotiator groups, farmers, civil society organizations, intergovernmental organizations, and country representatives from all regions.</p>
Tuesday 13 Jun	16:15- 17:30	Room Bonn	<b>United Nations Capital Development Fund (UNCDF)</b>  <b>African Development Bank (AfDB)</b> <b>European Bank for Reconstruction and</b>	<b>Global Stocktake Contribution of the AfDB, UNCDF and EBRD with a special focus on adaptation</b>	<p>This event will discuss the role of AfDB and UNCDF for accelerating the climate action agenda in Africa and its contribution to the first Global Stocktake in terms of adaptation and means of implementation.</p> <p>Among the speakers are Dr Anthony NYONG, Director Climate Change, AfDB -Mr. Gareth PHILLIPS, Update on the achievements of the African Development Bank climate change goals, ABM and Paris Alignment - Mr. Jan-Willem Van de Ven, Head of Climate Finance EBRD - Sophie De Coninck, LoCAL Global Facility Manager.</p>

			Development (EBRD)		
Wednesday 14 Jun	13:15- 14:30	Berlin	UNFCCC	<b>Climate Finance for the Needs of Developing Countries</b>	<p>Showcase the progress in facilitating access to and mobilization of climate finance for needs and priorities of developing countries under the Needs-Based Finance Project – supported by the secretariat and funded by donors in response to decisions taken by the COP under long-term finance.</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Government representatives and climate finance providers and donors.</p>
Wednesday 14 Jun	15:15- 16:30	Kaminzimmer	UNFCCC	<b>UN4NAPs: Scaling up technical assistance for NAP implementation (II)</b>	<p>The event will build on conversations around needs for technical assistance around NAP formulation and implementation, especially by LDCs and SIDS, liaise with UN4NAPs partner organizations and identify ways to unlock bottlenecks and scale up technical assistance to advance the work at national level.</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Country representatives, UN4NAPs partner organizations</p>