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# **DAILY PROGRAMME <sup>1</sup>**

## **Wednesday, 10 December 2003**

### **SCHEDULED MEETINGS <sup>2</sup>**

#### **HIGH-LEVEL SEGMENT**

**10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

**Plenary I**

1. Opening of the high-level segment
2. Statements from heads of United Nations bodies and specialized agencies
3. Statements from intergovernmental organizations
4. Statements from non-governmental organizations

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<sup>1</sup> The Daily Programme is also available on the secretariat web site and includes links to the documents listed:  
<http://unfccc.int/cop9/>

<sup>2</sup> Please consult the CCTV monitors for any last-minute changes to the schedule.

Participants are kindly requested to retain copies of documents throughout this week, in order to reduce paper consumption.

**ROUND-TABLE DISCUSSIONS AMONG MINISTERS  
AND OTHER HEADS OF DELEGATION**

**3 p.m. – 6 p.m.**

**Plenary I**

Round table No. 1: “Climate change, adaptation, mitigation and sustainable development”

A meeting of the SBI may follow, depending upon the availability of documents. Please check the CCTV monitors.

**INFORMAL GROUPS OF THE CONVENTION BODIES**

Time	Organizer	Title	Venue
10 a.m. – 11 a.m.	SBI	Contact group on progress on the implementation of activities under decision 5/CP.7	Florence
Noon – 1 p.m.	SBI	Contact group on the Special Climate Change Fund	Venice

**MEETINGS OF GROUPS OTHER THAN THE CONVENTION BODIES**

Time	Organizer	Meeting type	Venue
8 a.m. – 9 a.m.	Alliance of Small Island States	Closed	Turin
8 a.m. – 9 a.m.	African Group	Closed	Genoa
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Umbrella Group	Closed	Cagliari
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Group of 77 and China	Closed	Venice
9.30 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Environmental Integrity Group	Closed	Trieste
12.30 p.m. – 1.30 p.m.	GRULAC	Closed	Udine
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	Least Developed Countries	Closed	Genoa
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	OPEC	Closed	Cagliari
1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	OAPEC and LAS	Closed	Parma
2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Group of 77 and China	Closed	Venice

### **Information on the high-level segment**

#### **Opening**

*The high-level segment will be opened by H.E. Mr. Miklós Persányi, President of COP 9, at 10 a.m. Following the opening ceremony, statements will be made by heads of United Nations bodies and specialized agencies, and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations.*

#### **Round-table discussions**

*At the third meeting of the Conference of the Parties on Thursday, 4 December 2003, the President informed Parties of the preparations for the round-table discussions to be held during the high-level segment. The President stated that his main aim during the round-table discussions is to establish an atmosphere of constructive, open and interactive dialogue. Together with the co-chairs, he would like to provide an equal opportunity for all Parties to participate.*

*The round-table discussions are as follows:*

- (1) *Climate change, adaptation, mitigation and sustainable development  
Wednesday, 10 December 2003, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.*

*Co-chairs: H.E. Ms. Yuriko Koike, Japan  
H.E. Mr. Tadashi Lomoto, Marshall Islands*

- (2) *Technology, including technology use and development and transfer of technologies  
Thursday, 11 December 2003, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.*

*Co-chairs: H.E. Ms. Paula Dobriansky, United States of America  
H.E. Mr. Mohammed Valli Moosa, South Africa*

- (3) *Assessment of progress at the national, regional and international levels to fulfil the promise and objective enshrined in the climate change agreements, including the scientific, information, policy and financial aspect  
Thursday, 11 December 2003, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.*

*Co-chairs: Mr. Fernando Tudela Abad, Mexico  
H.E. Mr. Jürgen Trittin, Germany*

*The President will open each round-table discussion and introduce the co-chairs, who will make brief introductory remarks. The President will invite “lead-off” speakers from Annex I and non-Annex I Parties. The discussion will then be opened for Parties to make their contribution. The President has written to ministers and other heads of delegation informing them of the round-table discussion in which their participation would be assured. Parties may also make statements on behalf of “Groups”. There may also be opportunities for spontaneous contributions, to allow flexibility for Parties to join the discussion at any moment. The President and the co-chairs will request the understanding of Parties on time limitations for interventions, which ideally should not exceed three–four minutes for each speaker.*

*At the end of each round-table discussion, the co-chairs will provide an “impressionistic wrap-up”. The President will issue, under his responsibility, a summary of all the round-table discussions, for inclusion in the report of COP 9, on Friday, 12 December 2003.*

*The round-table discussions will take place in Plenary I. There will be one seat at the table for the Head of delegation, and one seat behind for an adviser. Additional seating will be available at the sides and back of the room. The round-table discussions will be broadcast live on CCTV and webcast.*



### Getting there: tackling transport emissions

This is multi-stakeholder, high-level event on “techno-fixes” and “lifestyle fixes”, as options for reversing the trend in transport emissions. The initiative provides an opportunity for the key stakeholder groups in the climate change process to work together on a topic of mutual interest and provide useful inputs on an issue of key importance to the objective of the Convention, during COP 9. The topic of transport was chosen in view of the current, and projected future, critical role of transport as a major contributor to greenhouse gas emissions in Annex I Parties, and its growing importance in non-Annex I Parties. The event is a collaborative effort between the Association des Constructeurs Européens d'Automobiles, CAN International, Climate Alliance, the International Chamber of Commerce, the European Federation for Transport and Environment, the International Institute for Sustainable Development, the World Business Council for Sustainable Development and the Wuppertal Institute. This event will be moderated by the Rt. Hon. Simon Upton, Chair, Round Table on Sustainable Development, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development. All participants are invited to come and take part in this lively discussion, which will take place from 1.15 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. in Plenary II.

### Status report on consideration of agenda items as at 9 December 2003

COP agenda item		Status
2	Organizational matters	
2 (a)	Status of ratification of the Convention and its Kyoto Protocol	Sub-item completed
2 (b)	Adoption of the rules of procedure	President to hold consultations and report to COP 10
2 (c)	Adoption of the agenda	Agenda adopted with items 5, 7 (c) and (d) held in abeyance. President to hold consultations
2 (d)	Election of officers other than the President	Consultations in progress. Election expected next week
2 (e)	Admission of organizations as observers	The COP approved the list contained in document <a href="#">FCCC/CP/2003/4</a>
2 (f)	Organization of work, including the sessions of the subsidiary bodies	Relevant items were referred to the SBSTA and the SBI
2 (g)	Date and venue of the tenth session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 10)	President to hold consultations
4 (b)(i)	National communications from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Michael Zammit Cutajar (Malta) and Mr. Jose Ovalle (Chile)
8	Report of the Executive Board of the clean development mechanism	Draft decision proposed by the President ( <a href="#">FCCC/CP/2003/L.2</a> )

SBSTA agenda item		Status
2	Organizational matters	
2 (a)	Adoption of the agenda	Adopted
2 (b)	Organization of the work of the session	Agreed
2 (c)	Election of officers other than the Chair	Mr. Arthur Rolle (Bahamas) elected as Vice-Chair and Mr. Ibrahim Bin Ahmed Al-Ajmi (Oman) as Rapporteur
3	Third Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change	
3 (a)	Scientific, technical and socio-economic aspects of impacts of, and vulnerability and adaptation to, climate change	Conclusions adopted and draft decision forwarded to the COP for adoption ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.26</a> and <a href="#">Add.1</a> )
3 (b)	Scientific, technical and socio-economic aspects of mitigation	
4	Methodological issues	
4 (a)	Review of methodological work under the Convention and the Kyoto Protocol	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.25</a> )
4 (b)	Greenhouse gas inventories	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.28</a> )
4 (c)	Land use, land-use change and forestry: definitions and modalities for including afforestation and reforestation activities under Article 12 of the Kyoto Protocol	Draft decision forwarded to the COP for adoption ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.27</a> )
4 (d)	Good practice guidance and other information on land use, land-use change and forestry	Conclusions adopted and draft decision forwarded to the COP for adoption ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.22</a> and <a href="#">Add.1</a> )
4 (e)	Harvested wood products	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.21</a> )
4 (f)	Issues relating to registry systems under Article 7, paragraph 4, of the Kyoto Protocol	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.20</a> )
5	Development and transfer of technologies	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.18</a> )
6	“Good practices” in policies and measures among Parties included in Annex I to the Convention	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.29</a> )
7	Research and systematic observation	Conclusions adopted and draft decision, as amended, forwarded to the COP for adoption ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.17</a> and <a href="#">Add.1</a> )
8	Cooperation with relevant international organizations	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.19</a> )
9	Other matters	
9 (a)	Issues relating to cleaner or less greenhouse-gas-emitting energy	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.23</a> )
9 (b)	Issues relating to the implementation of Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol	Conclusions adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.24</a> )
9 (c)	Any other matters	Status to be noted in the report of the SBSTA
10	Report on the session	Draft report adopted ( <a href="#">FCCC/SBSTA/2003/L.16</a> )

SBI agenda item		Status
2	Organizational matters	
2 (a)	Adoption of the agenda	Adopted
2 (b)	Organization of the work of the session	Agreed
2 (c)	Election of officers other than the Chair	Consultations in progress
3	National communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention	
3 (a)	Consideration of the fifth compilation and synthesis of initial national communications	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Sok Appadu (Mauritius)
3 (b)	Work of the Consultative Group of Experts on National Communications from Parties not included in Annex I to the Convention	
3 (c)	Provision of financial and technical support	
3 (d)	Submission of second and, where appropriate, third national communications	
4	Financial mechanism of the Convention	
4 (a)	Special Climate Change Fund	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Rawleston Moore (Barbados) and Mr. Frode Neergaard (Denmark)
4 (b)	Report of the Global Environment Facility to the Conference of the Parties	Chair to prepare draft conclusions to be recommended for adoption by the COP
4 (c)	Additional guidance to the Global Environment Facility	Informal consultations by Ms. Andrea Alban (Colombia)
5	Capacity-building	Draft decision forwarded to the COP for adoption (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.19)
6	Article 6 of the Convention	Conclusions adopted (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.20)
7	Implementation of Article 4, paragraphs 8 and 9, of the Convention	
7 (a)	Progress on the implementation of activities under decision 5/CP.7	Contact group, chaired by Mr. Al Waleed Hamad Al-Malik (United Arab Emirates) and Mr. Robert Mason (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)
7 (b)	Matters relating to the least developed countries	Informal consultations by Mr. Mamadou Honadia (Burkina Faso) and Mr. José Romero (Switzerland)
8	Request from a group of countries of Central Asia and the Caucasus, Albania and the Republic of Moldova regarding their status under the Convention	Chair to continue informal consultations
9	Administrative and financial matters	
9 (a)	Interim financial performance for the biennium 2002–2003	Draft decision forwarded to the COP for adoption (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.16)
9 (b)	Programme budget for the biennium 2004–2005	Draft decision, as amended, forwarded to the COP for adoption (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.22)
10	Other matters	
10 (a)	Proposal by Croatia on land use, land-use change and forestry	Conclusions adopted and draft decision forwarded to the COP for adoption (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.17 and Add.1)

10 (b)	Special circumstances of Croatia under Article 4, paragraph 6, of the Convention	Conclusions adopted (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.18)
10 (c)	Status report on the review of third national communications from Parties included in Annex I to the Convention	SBI took note of the status report
10 (d)	Any other matters – Request by the Republic of Belarus	Conclusions adopted (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.21)
11	Report on the session	Draft report proposed by the Chair (FCCC/SBI/2003/L.15)

### CONTACT INFORMATION

The following members of the UNFCCC secretariat can be reached throughout COP 9 via the Information desk:

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## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Official press briefings

Bologna, on the first floor of the Fiera Milano, is the assigned press conference room during COP 9. Delegations that wish to hold a press conference for a time slot of 30 minutes are kindly requested to contact the Conference Spokesperson, Michael Williams, on the ground floor in the Media Coordination offices (area C) and on telephone number 335 827 2811.

Time	Organizer	Type	Venue
9.30 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Congressman Christopher Shays United States of America	Press only	Bologna
Noon – 12.30 p.m.	European Union	Press only	Bologna
12.30 p.m. – 1 p.m.	United States of America	Press only	Bologna
1 p.m. – 1.30 p.m.	President of COP 9 and the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice and the Chair of the Subsidiary Body for Implementation	Press only	Bologna
3 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.	Mr. Klaus Töpfer Executive Director United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)	Press only	Bologna

### Press briefings of observer organizations

Observer organizations that wish to hold a press briefing may contact Chieko Kobayashi in the NGO Liaison Office on the ground floor, telephone (39-02) 4339 9263.

Time	Organizer	Type	Venue
11 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	CAN International	Open briefing	Palermo
11.30 a.m. – noon	Legambiente, Italia Nostra and the Municipality of Venice “Mayors of coastal cities for the Kyoto Protocol”	Open briefing	Palermo

### Launch of the UNFCCC Spanish portal Lanzamiento del Portal español del ‘unfccc.int’

El Ministerio de Medio Ambiente de España y la Secretaría de la Convención Marco sobre Cambio Climático le invitan a presenciar el lanzamiento del Portal español del sitio web de la Secretaría de Cambio Climático (UNFCCC). Este nuevo portal significa un gran paso en la ampliación del acceso a la información y a los documentos en la lengua castellana.

El lanzamiento tendrá lugar el 10 de diciembre de 2003 entre las 18:30 y las 19:30 horas en el quiosco de cambio climático (Climate Change Kiosk), ubicado en el primer piso del centro de conferencias Fiera Milano, Via Gattamelata 2, Milán.



### **Today in the Italian Pavilion**

The Government of Italy has organized a climate change exhibition and series of events, in English and Italian, just next door to the conference centre in the Italian Pavilion (Padiglione Italia). The exhibit is open to all COP 9 participants and today's events are as follows:

9.30 a.m. – noon	Round table on domestic climatic change mitigation Actions in industrialized and developing countries
Noon – 1 p.m.	EU–US cooperation on the economics of climate policy – preliminary convergence
2.30 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Waste and packaging management in Europe: setting and perspectives

### **Gift for heads of delegation**

The President of the Lombardy Region, Mr. Roberto Formigoni, is pleased to offer heads of delegation a token of Lombardian hospitality.

The gift may be collected on Thursday, 11 December, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the desk “Ministry for the Environment and Territory of Italy” in the Registration area of Pavilion 17, Porta Gattamelata.

## **OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Facilities for non-governmental organizations**

Offices for the business and industry organizations (BINGOs), environmental groups (ENGOs), indigenous organizations (IPOs) and local non-governmental organizations (local NGOs) are located on the ground floor: Contact persons and telephone numbers for these groups are given below:

BINGOs	Tel.: (39-02) 4339.9273	Jack Whelan
ENGOs	Tel.: (39-02) 4339.9272	Kala Schoeters/Lee Hayes Byron
IPOs	Tel.: (39-02) 4339.9275	Lioba Rossbach
Local NGOs	Tel.: (39-02) 4339.9274	Daniele Calza Bini

### **Meetings of non-governmental organizations**

Time	Organizer	Venue
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	BINGOs	Palermo
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	RINGOs	Livorno
2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	ENGOs	Lecce

### **Restaurant facilities open longer**

From today, the coffee bar on the first floor will be open 24 hours a day and the restaurant in the Italian Pavilion will be open until midnight. This service has been arranged by the Italian Ministry of the Environment and Territory.

### **Taxi service extended**

From tonight, taxis can be arranged from midnight until 7 a.m. through the Welcome Milano desk on the first floor.

A shuttle bus service will also run between midnight and 7 a.m. to “Stazione Centrale” and “Duomo”, departing every 30 minutes from Porta Gattamelata.

### **Security**

Enhanced measures have been put in place to ensure the safety and security of conference participants. Consequently, they are requested to co-operate with the security team if they are requested to verify their identity. This may lead to some inconvenience at times, but it is expected that participants will understand the need for such arrangements. To this end, participants should ensure that they wear their conference badges in full view at all times.

### **COP 9 on the web**

For the duration of the conference, all official meetings, press conferences and some side events will be available on demand, with English, French or floor audio streams. On-demand files will be available shortly after the close of each meeting. A fully searchable database provides quick access to files, agenda information and documents. Please check the UNFCCC web site for the date and time of live webcast sessions at <http://unfccc.int/cop9/>

### **Wireless networking service**

The first and second floors, as well as the Media Centre, are equipped with a wireless networking service.

1. Participants **who have** WIFI installed in their laptops need only to enable automatic DHCP.
2. Participants who **do not have** WIFI installed in their laptops and would like to try it out may rent a WIFI PCMCIA card from Telekom Italia on a one- or two-week basis, in either the Business Centre or the Media Centre, both on the ground floor. Information and support for installation is provided by Telekom Italia as part of the rental fee.

### **IPCC documentation**

The following publications from the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change are available at the IPCC exhibit on the first floor between the conference rooms “Bologna” and “Naples”.

- IPCC Third Assessment Synthesis Report (Chinese, French, Russian, Arabic, Spanish)
- Outline of the IPCC Fourth Assessment Report (English only)
- IPCC Technical Paper V: Climate Change and Biodiversity (Spanish only)
- IPCC Good Practice Guidance and Uncertainty Management in National Greenhouse Gases (Chinese, Russian, Spanish, French)
- IPCC Good Practice Guidance for the LULUCF Sector (English only)
- IPCC Emission Factor Database on CD-ROM (English only)
- Presentations of our Side Events

Documents not on display can be ordered by leaving a business card at the IPCC booth.

### **Free transportation**

Regione Lombardia has kindly offered all participants one free ticket each for use on public transportation in the city of Milan for the duration of the conference. Participants should collect their ticket from the Welcome Milan desk (taxi service), which is open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on the first floor. Upon boarding, participants must show their COP 9 badge in addition to presenting their ticket.

### **Credentials**

Credentials of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers shall be issued either by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs. Delegations are kindly requested to forward the corresponding letter of credentials to the secretariat in the Conference Affairs office on the ground floor (Carrie Assheuer).

### **Pigeonholes for delegates**

Pigeonholes for the distribution of official documents and messages, which delegates are kindly requested to check at regular intervals, are located opposite the Documents Distribution counter. Messages may also be placed on the message boards in the foyer of the first floor. Message boards for non-governmental organizations are located at the Information desk in the foyer of the first floor. Participants are requested to refrain from distributing non-official material via the pigeonholes.

### **Meditation room**

A room for meditation and prayer is available to participants on the second floor of the conference facilities, adjacent to Plenary I.

### **Lost and found items**

Participants are reminded not to leave personal belongings in meeting rooms. The Security office, located near the entrance to the conference facilities, is responsible for lost and found items.

## SIDE EVENTS

For a full schedule of side events during the sessions and a list of the exhibits, please see the brochure "...inSide climate change", available from the Information desk and Documents Distribution. See also the secretariat web site: <http://unfccc.int/cop9/>

The secretariat would like to note that the scheduling of events remains dependent upon the demands of the negotiating process. For short-term changes please consult the CCTV monitors.

Time	Title	Organizer	Theme	Venue
1 p.m.– 3 p.m.	European greenhouse gas budgets of the biosphere	European Community Claus Bruning (32-2) 295.44.84 <a href="mailto:claus.bruning@cec.eu.int">claus.bruning@cec.eu.int</a>	CarboEurope concerted action. The terrestrial carbon budget of European countries; European agriculture and carbon: the big unknown; ecosystem vulnerability and climate change; and local measurements framed on the Kyoto Protocol. Chaired by A. Ghazi.	Bari
1 p.m.– 3 p.m.	Wind power and climate change	Greenpeace International Nathalie Rey (31-20) 523 6245 <a href="mailto:Nathalie.Rey@int.greenpeace.org">Nathalie.Rey@int.greenpeace.org</a>	Greenpeace and EWA illustrate that wind power as a renewable energy source can help reduce the impact of the burning of fossil fuels on the world's climate.	Verona
1 p.m.– 3 p.m.	Adaptation to climate change risks in Small Island States – the CARICOM ACCC project	Delegation of Samoa in cooperation with CARICOM Violet Wulf (685) 25869, 31198 <a href="mailto:climatechange@lesamoa.net">climatechange@lesamoa.net</a>	Lessons for capacity-building.	Ancona
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Perspectives for the further development of the Kyoto Protocol. Proposals of the WBGU	German Advisory Council on Global Change (WBGU) Benno Pilardeaux (49-30) 2639480 <a href="mailto:bpilardeaux@wbgu.de">bpilardeaux@wbgu.de</a>	A presentation of the latest report of the Council to the Federal Government of Germany ( <a href="http://www.wbgu.de">www.wbgu.de</a> ). The report deals with the possible design of the second commitment period of the Kyoto Protocol.	Catania
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Emissions trading – the financial sector perspective	UNEP FI Climate Change Working Group Scott Flemming (41-22) 917 8686 <a href="mailto:scott.flemming@unep.ch">scott.flemming@unep.ch</a>	Recent political developments, implications for companies, risks and opportunities trading presents and the role of the financial services industry in reducing risk and maximizing opportunity.	Palermo
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Linking climate responses and development planning: challenges and opportunities	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Carolyn Sturgeon (33-1) 45 24 19 66 <a href="mailto:carolyn.sturgeon@oecd.org">carolyn.sturgeon@oecd.org</a>	OECD case studies on (a) mainstreaming of Rio Conventions within development co-operation and assistance; and (ii) enhancing incorporation of adaptation responses to climate change in development planning and assistance.	Bari
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	GHG reporting guidance: Comparison of ISO and WRI approaches	Natural Resources Defense Council Jeff Fiedler (1-202) 289-2419 <a href="mailto:jfiedler@nrdc.org">jfiedler@nrdc.org</a>	Both ISO and WRI have been developing guidance on GHG emissions reporting. Analysts involved in these systems will discuss their similarities and differences and, along with other stakeholders, will discuss their potential uses in policy contexts.	Verona

6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Choices and challenges: how Arkhangelsk P&P mill (Russia) is reducing emissions while achieving business growth	Environmental Defense (ED) Hallie Katarski (1-202) 387-3500 <a href="mailto:hkatarski@environmentaldefense.org">hkatarski@environmentaldefense.org</a>	The carbon strategy of one of the Russian Federation's leading pulp and paper producers, its voluntary actions to monitor, report and reduce GHG emissions while achieving growth, and potential for other Russian companies to follow this lead. Joint event of ED and EIC Russia.	Ancona
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Climate change in the Arctic: human rights of Inuit. Interconnected with the world	Center for International Environmental Law (CIEL) Donald Goldberg (1-202) 785 8700 <a href="mailto:dgoldberg@ciel.org">dgoldberg@ciel.org</a>	The devastating impact on the Arctic of global warming. Retreating sea ice has harmed seals, walrus and caribou. Thawing permafrost has damaged houses, roads, and other structures. Entire villages may soon fall into the sea.	Lecce
6 p.m.– 8 p.m.	Rethinking tropical deforestation and the Kyoto Protocol	Delegation of Italy Antonio Lumicisi <a href="mailto:Lumicisi.Antonio@minambiente.it">Lumicisi.Antonio@minambiente.it</a>	The protection of forests is an important issue. Forests will only remain standing if prevention is economically attractive. Clearly, a world in which the environment were respected as a value in itself, without need for recourse to financial incentives, would be a better world. Unfortunately, we still need to use economic subterfuge in order to leave our children an inhabitable planet.	Genoa

### Events organized in the BINGO room “Pescara”

Please note that the secretariat accepts no responsibility for the information given below.

Time	Title	Organizer	Theme	Venue
3 p.m. – 5 p.m.	CDM quantification challenge: time for a standardized approach	World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) in collaboration with World Resources Institute (WRI) <a href="mailto:Acharya@wbcsd.org">Acharya@wbcsd.org</a>	The road test draft of the GHG Protocol: Project Quantification Standard and the three different types of baseline selection procedures, in particular the project-specific procedure that has been the preferred procedure for CDM projects and the performance standard. An open discussion will follow the presentations.	Pescara

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

#### Climate change mime artist

At 11.30 a.m. the climate change mime artist, Chris Channing, will appear at the Responding to Climate Change (RTCC) stand on the first floor and again at 12.45 p.m. outside Plenary 2, next to the UNFCCC event on transport. The artist will perform “Matisse” with an environmental theme.

By popular demand, he will also appear as “Mona Lisa” at 3 p.m. and 5.15 p.m. at the RTCC stand.

**Other events related to COP 9**

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Time	Title	Organizer	Theme	Venue
1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	The GHG registry of the European Union	International Emissions Trading Association (IETA) Robert Dornau (41-22) 839 31 54 <a href="mailto:dornau@ieta.org">dornau@ieta.org</a>	Updates by, and insights of, experts on the consultant team advising the European Commission on the development of its EU registry system.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano, room Domodossola, Viale S. Boezio 20 <i>(a 5-minute walk from the Fiera)</i>
3 p.m. – 4 p.m.	GHG registers and other United States climate change activities	International Emissions Trading Association (IETA) Robert Dornau (41-22) 839 31 54 <a href="mailto:dornau@ieta.org">dornau@ieta.org</a>	Presentation of the California Climate Action Registry, the North-East States Register and similar activities. A panel/open discussion will follow.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano, room Domodossola <i>(see above)</i>
5.30 p.m. – 7.30 pm	SERINGAS: a turn-key solution for your national registry	Caisse des Depots et Consignations (CDC) in collaboration with Banca Opi, CDC IXIS and the Ministry for Ecology and Sustainable Development of France <a href="mailto:info.seringas@cdcixis.com">info.seringas@cdcixis.com</a>	Official presentation of a European Union- and Kyoto-compatible registry.  A cocktail reception will follow.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano, room Domodossola <i>(see above)</i>
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Developing a standard contract for CDM projects	International Emissions Trading Association (IETA) Robert Dornau (41-22) 839 31 54 <a href="mailto:dornau@ieta.org">dornau@ieta.org</a>	Recent developments and the draft CDM ERPA. A special invitation is extended to stakeholders, project developers and government representatives from potential CDM host countries to actively engage in a panel/open discussion that will follow the presentations.	Grand Hotel Fieramilano, room Domodossola <i>(see above)</i>
–	The Gold Standard	WWF Mark Kenber (44-7967) 561731 <a href="mailto:mark.kenber@btopenworld.com">mark.kenber@btopenworld.com</a>	Industrialized and developing countries, energy developers, emitters and NGOs all have good reason to trust the Gold Standard. It is the benchmark the CDM and JI need.  The event will feature speakers from governments, the private sector and NGOs.	Admiral Hotel, Via Domodossola 16 <i>Exit COP 9 main entrance; turn right to Piazzale Carlo Magno; follow Viale Duilo to Via Domodossola (a 5-minute walk from the Fiera)</i>