

Development and transfer of technologies
UNFCCC Side event
Supporting the implementation of Technology Action Plans.

Wednesday, 9 November 2016
13:15 – 14:45
Room Bering (150)

The side event will highlight success stories with the implementation of technology action plans (TAPs), prepared by developing countries as part of their technology needs assessments (TNAs) of relevance, to support the implementation of the Paris Agreement (PA). Countries will present their experiences and lessons learned when implementing their TAPs and TNA results. The TNA results may include national strategies, policies, programmes, technology inclusive adaptation and mitigation projects, or linking the TNA results with Nationally Determined Contributions, or other processes under the Convention, such as National Adaptation Plans.

At the side event:

- Based on the PA text, possible roles of TNAs and TAPs in supporting implementation of PA will be discussed,
- The latest development of, and lessons learned from the TNA process, under the global GEF-UNEP TNA project will be presented,
- Role of the TNAs in the NDCs will be shown,
- Concrete examples of implementation of TAPs under the global TNA project will be provided by developing countries.

AGENDA	
	Side Event Moderator <i>Mr. Zitouni Ould Dada</i> Head of Technology Unit UNEP Energy, Climate, and Technology Branch
10 min	Opening - Role of TNAs and TAPs in supporting implementation of PA <i>Mr. Carlos Fuller</i> Chair of the SBSTA
15 min	The latest development of, and lessons learned from, the TNA process under the global GEF-UNEP TNA project, Role of the TNAs in the Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) <i>Ms. Sara Traerup</i> Senior Climate Change Adaptation Expert, UNEP DTU Partnership (UDP), Denmark
10 min	Experiences and lessons learned from implementation of TAPs in Senegal <i>Mr. Diagne El Hadji Mbaye</i> Director General Africa - Energy – Environment, Senegal
10 min	Experiences and lessons learned from implementation of TAPs in Lebanon <i>Ms. Mary Awad</i> Project Officer Ministry of Environment, Lebanon
10 min	Experiences and lessons learned from implementation of TAPs in Mauritius <i>Mr. Jogeewar Seewoobaduth</i> Divisional Environment Officer Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development, Mauritius
10 min	Experiences and lessons learned from implementation of TAPs in Thailand <i>Mr. Surachai Sathitkumarat</i> Senior Director STI Information and Foresight Centre National Science Technology and Innovation Policy Office; NDE, Thailand
15 min	Q&A

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