

## UN DESA Programme during COP24

@ SDG Pavilion and other locations

Katowice, Poland

(as of 4 Dec 2018)

### WEEK 1

#### Monday, 3 December

**17:00 – 18:00**

The role of ethics and human awareness in climate change solutions

*Organized by Brahma Kumaris with support from DESA*

*Venue SDG Pavilion E-34*

#### Tuesday, 4 December

**12:00 – 13:00**

Promoting synergies between the UN Strategic Plan for Forests 2030, the Paris Agreement and the SDGs

*Organized by UN DESA*

*Venue SDG Pavilion E-34*

**14:30 – 15:00**

Energy in VNRs in 2018: Launch of the “Analysis of the Voluntary National Reviews Relating to SDG 7”

*Organized by UN DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**17:40 – 19:10**

Launching ceremony of the global network “Sustainable Water and Energy Solutions”

*Organized by UN DESA and ITIAPU*

*Venue: Space Brazil*

## Wednesday, 5 December

### 9:30 – 11:00

Side event on “Sustainable Water and Energy Solutions”

*Organized by UN DESA and ITIAPU*

*Venue: MCK theater - Climate Action Rooms 1 – 3 – Room Pomorze, space A*

### 11:00 – 11:30

Announcement of the Global Conference on Synergies between the 2030 Agenda and the Paris Agreement

*Organized by UN DESA and UNFCCC Secretariat*

*Venue: MCK theater - Climate Action Rooms 1 - 3*

### 9:00 – 11:00

Enhancing Agrobiodiversity, Food Security for Livelihoods and Climate Resilience: Stories from China

*Organized by Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences*

*Venue : SDG Pavilion E-34*

### 14:00 – 15: 30

Abibiman Mewar Angithi: Designs to improve traditional wood cookstoves

*Organized by the Abibiman foundation, Ghana and GEIDCO*

*Venue : SDG Pavilion E-34*

### 15:30 – 17:00

Promoting the Development of National Innovation Demonstration Zone for Sustainable Development Agenda & Practical Explorations in China

*Organized by Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST), China*

*Venue : China Pavilion E-6*

## Thursday, 6 December

### 9:30 – 10:30

Building the Sustainable Water and Energy Solutions Network

*Organized by UN DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**11:00 – 11:45**

Innovation and sustainable energy for LDCs

*Organized by Intellectual Ventures with support from DESA*

*Venue : SDG Pavilion E-34*

**12:00 – 12:45**

Investing in education for the future of sustainable energy

*Organized by Intellectual Ventures with support from DESA*

*Venue : SDG Pavilion E-34*

**13:30 – 14:30**

HL Dialogue on Climate, Energy & Health nexus

*Organized by WHO*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**17:00 – 18:00**

Multi-stakeholder involvement in NDC implementation

*Organized by SNV Netherlands with support from DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**Friday, 7 December**

**9:00 – 10:00**

Achieving universal energy access in the context of the wider sustainable development agenda

*Organized by IEA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**10:30 – 11:30**

Strong Voices from the South: How Media Can Enhance Sustainable Development while Combating Climate Change

*Organized by HIVOS/ENERGIA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**13:30 – 14:30**

Improving multi-level governance through better reporting: Accelerating renewable energy uptake

*Organized by REN21*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**16:00 – 17:00**

How are the Communities of Ocean Action addressing climate change?

*Organized by UN DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**Saturday, 8 December**

**9:00 – 10:00**

Session Title TBC

*Organized by the Multi-Stakeholder SDG7-TAG/ DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**12:00 – 13:00**

In depth presentation and discussions of the “Analysis of the Voluntary National Reviews relating to SDG 7”

*Organized by UN DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**13:30 – 14:30**

Researching and Advocating for Climate Action, Equity, and Global Justice: Food for Our Future

*Organized by Colorado State University*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**15:00 – 16:30**

Launch event for Report on Gender, Climate Change, and Human Mobility

*Organized by Gender Equality and Environment*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

## WEEK 2

### Monday, 10 December

#### 9:00 – 10:00

High-level Dialogue: TBC

*Organized by Folkcenter (GEIDCO)*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

#### 11:30 – 12:30

Rethinking development finance for climate: An in-depth look at energy access in sub-Saharan Africa

*Organized by OECD (GEIDCO)*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

#### 13:30 – 15:00

Transformation of the Mining and Energy Sectors: Modernization of Infrastructure and the Role of Fossil Fuels in the Transition towards Green Economy

*Organized by UNECE (GEIDCO)*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

#### 15:30 – 18:30

High-level Dialogue: TBC

*Organized by SDSN (GEIDCO)*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

### Tuesday, 11 December

#### 9:00 – 12:00

Green energy -- the way to deal with climate change and International cooperation on clean energy

*Organized by Chinese Renewable Energy Industry Association (GEIDCO)*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

#### 13:00 – 14:30

## Energy Interconnection: Advancing Energy Transition for Sustainable Development

*Organized by GEIDCO and IEA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

### **15:00 – 16:30**

#### Inter-basin water-sharing (Congo Basin to Chad Basin): Risks and Benefits

*Organized by GEIDCO and IEA (RCP-Network)*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

### **17:00 – 18:00**

#### AOSIS Climate Change Fellowship Program: An innovative approach to capacity-building

*Organized by AOSIS*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

## **Wednesday, 12 December**

### **9:00 – 10:00**

#### Building Global Energy Interconnection to Accelerate Sustainable Development

*Organized by GEIDCO and UN DESA*

*Venue : SDG Pavilion E-34*

### **11:00 – 12:30**

#### Building Global Energy Interconnection to Accelerate Sustainable Development

*Organized by China Association for Science and Technology (GEIDCO)*

*Venue : SDG Pavilion E-34*

### **13:15 – 14:30**

#### Climate Leadership in Uncertain Times and the Mobilization of Finance

*Organized by Atlantic Council with support from DESA*

*Venue : SDG Pavilion E-34*

### **15:00 – 16:30**

#### Loss and damage, the SAMOA Pathway and the 2030 Agenda

*Organized by OHRLLS*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**17:00 – 18:00**

Capacity-building for informing the transition to low-carbon energy systems

*Organized by IAEA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

### **Thursday, 13 December**

**13:15 – 14:15**

African Renewable Energy Initiative (AREI)

*Organized by Center for 21<sup>st</sup> Century with support from DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

**15:00 – 16:15**

Advancing Forest-Based Climate Action: Interlinkages between the Nationally-determined Contributions (NDCs) and Voluntary National Contributions (VNCs)

*Organized by UN DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*

### **Friday, 14 December**

**12:00 – 13:00**

Renewable energy providing opportunities for smallholder farmers to survive and thrive

*Organized by Practical Action with support from DESA*

*Venue: SDG Pavilion E-34*