

LEARNING CENTRE @ CSD-19

Conference Room B

Monday 9th May 2011

3:00 – 6:00 pm

Freight Sustainability: Smart Way Transport Partnership

Sponsor: US Environmental Protection Agency

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Synopsis:

The course will equip attendees with the foundation, best practices and lessons learned needed to design, build and implement successful freight sustainability programs in their respective countries.

Topics covered will include: understanding the freight sector in their country; learning about freight markets and fuel saving technologies available; designing and developing a robust freight sustainability program; managing and facilitating a public-private partnership; and the role of development banks and NGOs to help facilitate project and implementation.

Participants will have a better understanding of the environmental impact of freight activities and how to reduce those impacts, while improving energy security and economic growth among other things.