

UN CTCN Network Engagement Event 2024: Voluntary Technology Talk

The Future of Climate Technology Transfer
Haeundae Centum Hotel, Sapphire Room
BEXCO, Busan, Republic of Korea, September 4-6

Background

For the past 10 years, the Climate Technology Centre and Network (CTCN) promoted accelerated transfer of environmentally sound technologies for low carbon and climate resilient development at the request of developing countries. Implementing the mission of CTCN, we have focused on the stimulation of technology cooperation and enhancement of the development and transfer of climate technologies to developing countries. Taking its mandate, CTCN has supported over 110 countries benefited from climate technology innovation, transfer, and knowledge sharing to date.

The Network member, as an implementing partner of CTCN's service areas, provides technology solutions to developing countries. Following CTCN's 3rd Programme of Work (PoW) 2023-2027 system transformation areas, there is a need to facilitate the co-creation process on future scalable technical assistance projects. The process requires both country's and Network members' efforts, thereby welcoming 'Voluntary Technology Talk' to facilitate collaboration opportunities between NDEs and Network members.

To date, CTCN supported 75+ NDEs globally to seek and discuss with potential technology partner those who are CTC's Network members. During the World Climate Expo (WCE), CTCN will provide a platform for a voluntary bilateral and/or multilateral discussion with countries for a TA project ideation.

Objectives

This year, CTCN will organise the NDEs participation to the exhibition showcasing promising environmentally sound and green energy technologies.

Duration/Format: The event will take place for a 2-day, welcoming in-person participation of up to 10 NDEs.

Participants

- NDEs from SIDs and LDCS
- Selected Network members and other stakeholders.

Day 1 (September 4, Wednesday)

Introduction to the program	
MC: Jeawon Kim, Capacity Building and Network Engagement Specialist Haeundae Centum Hotel, Sapphire Room	
09:30~10:15	Introduction to CTCN and program
10:15~10:20	Group photoshoot
Relocation to Convention Hall, 3rd floor, Grand Ball Room	

Session 1: World Climate Industry Expo	
BEXCO Convention Hall, 3rd floor, Grand Ball Room	
10:30~11:30	High-level Opening Ceremony <i>Fatih Birol, IEA</i> <i>James Bacchus, University of Florida</i>
11:30~12:00	Bilateral with CTCN – Upon request
Lunch break	

Session 2: Carbon Free Energy Initiative	
BEXCO Convention Hall, 3rd floor, Grand Ball Room	
13:30~15:30	Global Climate & Energy Forum <i>MOTIE & IEA & CF Alliance</i>
15:00~17:00	Climate Free Global Marine City <i>Busan City</i> In parallel, Pre-arranged Bilateral with Network Members <i>Haeundae Centum Hotel, Sapphire Room</i>

Day 2 (September 5, Thursday)

Session 3: Technology Exhibition and Matchmaking	
09:30~13:30	Voluntary Technology Talk <i>BEXCO Hall 1 & 2</i> In parallel, Pre-arranged Bilateral with Network Members <i>Haeundae Centum Hotel, Sapphire Room</i>
Lunch Break	
14:00~17:00	Symposium on Climate Technology <i>MSIT, Room 205</i>

Day 3 (September 6, Friday)

Session 4: Site Visit	
08:00~17:00	Energy Independent Village & Zero Energy Community, Jellanamdo - U Energy - Energy Independent Village

- Suncheon Palma Sports Centre & Village Market (Solar installation)
