

Climate Week CTCN Forum 2021

Background

The Climate Technology Centre and Network (CTCN) is the implementation arm of the Climate Change Convention (UNFCCC) Technology Mechanism. The CTCN promotes the accelerated transfer of environmentally sound technologies for low carbon and climate resilient development at the request of developing countries. More specifically, the CTCN provides technology solutions, capacity building and advice on policy, legal and regulatory frameworks tailored to the needs of individual countries. As a part of its mandate and as one of its activities the CTCN organizes Regional Forum for the National Designated Entities (NDEs) on an annual basis. This year, CTCN will structure its regional Forums according to the five key themes of the Technology Framework:

- a) Innovation
- b) Implementation
- c) Enabling Environment
- d) Collaboration and stakeholder engagement
- e) Support

Theme

Accelerating climate action through Climate Technology Transfer

Participants will be using the following links to join the webinar on Zoom:

<https://unido.zoom.us/j/98003790486?pwd=eFl2VmNlcTQ1TVJ5ZEEdSOGdocGhJdz09>

Draft Agenda

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8:00 - 12:00 AM (Mexico City, UTC-5) / 15:00 – 19:00 (CEST, UTC+02)

TIME Mexico City, GMT/UTC-5	Session	Speakers
08:00am - 09:00 am	<p>Official Opening – Moderator; Andrea Camponogara; UNFCCC Secretariat</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ <i>Former chairperson, CTCN Advisory Board;</i> Mr. Ping Zhong; China ❖ <i>UNFCCC Representative – Team Leader Regional Collaboration Centre;</i> Mr. Carlos Ruiz Garvia ❖ <i>UNEP Representative in Mexico;</i> Ms. Dolores Barrientos Alemán ❖ <i>Representative from Regional Climate Week host country</i> Mrs. Milagros De Camps, Dominican Republic 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ CTCN ❖ UNFCCC ❖ UNEP-México ❖ Vice Minister of International Cooperation. Ministry of Env. and Natural Resources. Government of the Dominican Republic

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	Keynote: Pathway to Glasgow	❖ Mr. Malcom Ridout. UK Cabinet Office
09:00 - 10:00	Session 1: Moderator: Diana Ramos; CTCN Innovation <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Technology in the Enhanced NDCs 2. Role of NDEs in implementing the Technology Framework 3. National systems of innovation and CTCN experience incorporating build back better considerations Implementation <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Barriers and Recommendations for Enhancement of enabling Environment for addressing development and transfer of socially and environmentally sound technologies 	Ms. Ariesta Ningrum; UNFCCC Secretariat. Lead Policy & Strategy unit - Technology sub-programme Dr. Spencer Thomas; CTCN AB, Grenada, Non-Annex I Dr. Matthew Kennedy; CTCN AB, Research and Independent Non-Governmental Organisations Mr. Ulises Lovera; AILAC President and Director for Climate Change in the Ministry of the Environment and Sustainable Development. Paraguay
10:00 - 10:30	Discussion; Question and Answer Session	
10:30 – 11:30	Session 2: Moderator: Amparo Martinez, NDE Mexico Enabling Environment <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Fostering an Enabling Environment for the Private Sector in the Transfer of Environmentally Sound Technologies Collaboration and Outreach <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. The Youth Climate Innovation Labs 7. Technologies and innovations for Circular economy in Latin America Support <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Role of MDBs in providing climate finance for Technology Transfer 	Monica Saraiva; Director Institutional Relations Brazilian Hydrogen Association- ABH2 Ms. Karina Larsen; Knowledge Manager, CTCN Ms. Luisa Santiago; Ellen McArthur Foundation Mr. Graham Watkins; Chief Climate Change Division, Inter-American Development Bank
11:30 - 11:55	Discussion; Question and Answer Session	
11:55 - 12:00	Closing	Diana Ramos Perez, CTCN Manager, LAC Region