

## Development and Climate Days at COP-15 A Draft Agenda

**Koncerthuset (The Concert House), DR Byen, 11-14 December 2009**

<b>Day One (Friday, December 11): Land, Water and Forests</b>	
<b>9am – 10.30am: Session 1</b>	<p><i>High level panel session on integrating adaptation into development planning</i> (organized by Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs: Dorte Neimann and Erik Naeraa-Nicolajsen - erinic@um.dk; dorte.neimann@gmail.com; dornei@um.dk).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Danish Minister for Development Cooperation Ms. Ulla Tørnæs</li> <li>- Private Sector: CEO Ditlev Engel from the Danish company Vestas</li> <li>- Deputy Director of OECD's Development Co-operation Directorate, Mr. Steve Groff</li> <li>- Developing country representative</li> <li>- Leonardo DiCaprio</li> <li>- NGO representative</li> <li>- Professor Nicolas Stern</li> </ul>
10.30am	Break
<b>11am – 12.30pm: Session 2</b>	<p><i>Arid Land Ecosystems:</i> (organized by IFAD: Atiqur Rahman - at.rahman@ifad.org)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ced Hesse – Coping with drought amongst pastoral communities in Niger and Tanzania (IIED perhaps with IUCN)</li> <li>- Lars Otto Naess, Institute of Development Studies at the University of Sussex</li> </ul>
12.30am	Lunch
<b>1.30pm – 3pm: Session 3</b>	<p><i>Mountains and adaptation: living with too much or too little water:</i> (organized by ICIMOD: Mats Eriksson - meriksson@icimod.org)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ongoing adaptation studies in the Hindu Kush – Himalayan region (Mats Eriksson)</li> <li>- Two short films, followed by question and answer sessions, showing peoples responses to droughts and floods: "In the grip of drought", characterising farmers' responses to water stress in Nepal, and "Living with floods", describing responses to floods in Assam, northeast India.</li> <li>- Both Ends and IVM presentation on water management/basin management in developing countries</li> <li>- A moderated panel discussion based on the films focusing on a) the policy environment in which people try to adapt, and b) asking how to build on spontaneous adaptation measures to support planned adaptation.</li> <li>- Suggested Panel members: Ajaya Dixit, Partha Das, A. Schild, Fawad Khan, Andreas Wilkes</li> </ul>
3pm	Break
<b>3.30pm – 5pm:</b>	<i>REDD: how to ensure genuine development benefits materialise</i> (organised by IISD: Stefan

<b>Session 4</b>	<p>Jungcurt - <a href="mailto:sjungcurt@iisd.ca">sjungcurt@iisd.ca</a>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- John Drexhage, director Climate Change and Energy, IISD (Facilitator)</li> <li>- Peter Akong Minang, Global Coordinator, Alternatives to Slash and Burn Partnership for the Tropical Forest Margins (ASB-ICRAF)</li> <li>- IIED representative – REDD and agriculture</li> <li>- Developing country experts</li> </ul>
6pm: Adaptation reception	<p>Adaptation: Innovations, Partnerships, Solutions (Coordinated by Tom Downing and Anna Taylor – SEI)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The Stockholm Environment Institute (SEI) and Global Climate Adaptation Partnership host an interactive panel-storm designed around short provocations from a selected panel and the audience. Followed by an informal reception!</li> </ul>
<b>Day Two (Saturday, December 12): Justice, Ethics and Humanitarian issues</b>	
<b>9am – 10.30am: Session 1</b>	<p><i>Gender and equality</i> (organised by Rebecca Pearl, Global Gender and Climate Alliance – <a href="mailto:info@gender-climate.org">info@gender-climate.org</a> and Cate Owren, WEDO - <a href="mailto:cate@wedo.org">cate@wedo.org</a>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Welcome and Moderation by Monique Essed Fernandes, WEDO (Suriname)</li> <li>- Yianna Lambrou, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) – Does gender make a difference in dealing with climate change? Lessons from South India</li> <li>- Esther Penunia, Asian Farmers Association for Sustainable Rural Development (AFA)/IFAD</li> <li>- Cheryl Anderson, Gender and Disasters Network/University of Hawaii - Women’s Ways of Knowing in the Pacific: Contributions to Global Climate Adaptation</li> <li>- Angelina Mensah, Environmental Protection Agency of Ghana (EPA) – Assessment of policy drivers of land use/land management on adaptation in Ejura Sekyedumase District (the Forest Belt) and Bawku District (Sahel)</li> <li>- Question and answer session</li> </ul>
10.30am	Break
<b>11am – 12.30pm: Session 2</b>	<p><i>Climate Change and Migration: Transformations or Humanitarian Crises?</i> (Coordinator: Tom Downing and Mo Hamza, SEI - <a href="mailto:Tomdowning.sei@gmail.com">Tomdowning.sei@gmail.com</a> – and the Climate Change, Environment and Migration Alliance - CCEMA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Exploring new landscapes of adaptation, questions that have only partial answers, this debate is coordinated by the Climate Change, Environment and Migration Alliance (CCEMA, to be confirmed) and the Stockholm Environment Institute (SEI). A mixture of video, short provocations and audience interventions will examine the evidence base and adaptive prospects for the future. A moderated discussion will interrogate panelists selected to represent a diversity of views and organisational backgrounds, as well as engage the audience</li> <li>- <i>Possible panelists:</i> Sujatha Byravan, Sudhir C Rajan</li> </ul>
12.30am	Lunch
<b>1.30pm – 3pm: Session 3</b>	<p><i>Ethical and Human Rights Implications of Climate Change:</i> (organized by Donald Brown, Penn State University: <a href="mailto:Dabrown57@gmail.com">Dabrown57@gmail.com</a>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Nancy Tuana, Director Of the Rock Ethics Institute at Penn State University, Moderator of Session</li> <li>- Maxine Burkett, University Of Hawiti, Human Rights Issues and Justice Implications of Adaptation.</li> <li>- Aylssa Johl, Many Strong Voices, (exact topic to yet be determined)</li> <li>- Petra, Teschakert, Penn State University: distributive and procedural justice in current climate solutions, and justice under the Adaptation Fund - including likely winners and losers in emerging ideas around geoengineering.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Donald A Brown, Penn State University: what is the practical significance for adaptation policy making if the subject is an ethical and human rights issue?</li> </ul>
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<b>3.30pm – 5pm: Session 4</b>	<p><i>Debate: Population size and movement/dynamics</i> (organised by UNFPA: Daniel Schensul - schensul@unfpa.org)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- is tackling population growth a good way to tackle climate change? (IIED)</li> </ul>
<b>Day Three (Sunday, December 13): Planning Adaptation</b>	
<b>9am – 10.30am: Session 1</b>	<p><i>Putting climate information at the service of vulnerable groups</i> (organised by IDRC, IRI and the Red Cross Climate Centre: Simon Carter, Evans Kituyi and Molly Hellmuth - ekituyi@idrc.or.ke; SCarter@idrc.ca; hellmuth@iri.columbia.edu).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Developing country practitioner describes experiences of using climate information</li> <li>- Climate expert describes state of the art climate information</li> <li>- Examples from the IDRC Climate Change Adaptation in Africa programme</li> </ul>
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<b>11am – 12.30am: Session 2</b>	<p><i>Community Based Adaptation</i> (organized by BCAS and IIED: Atiq Rahman, Saleemul Huq and Hannah Reid - Saleemul.huq@iied.org; hannah.reid@iied.org; bcas@bdonline.com)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- ActionAid Bangladesh case study</li> <li>- Bertha Nherera (Pelum, Zimbabwe) – Coping with drought in rural Zimbabwe</li> <li>- New Trust Fund for CBA (UNDP/SGP)</li> <li>- Thomas Tanner (IDS) Children at the heart of community-based responses to climate change</li> <li>- CBA case study – South Africa (Indigo-development &amp; change)</li> <li>- ‘Adaptation Learning Programme for Africa’ - CARE</li> </ul>
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<b>1.30pm – 3pm: Session 3</b>	<p><i>National adaptation planning</i> (organized by ISET: Marcus Moench moenchm@i-s-e-t.org)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- National planning approaches versus localized realities – a strategic and methodology overview. Marcus Moench (ISET)</li> <li>- Local and national adaptation planning in Nepal. Ajaya Dixit</li> <li>- Urban adaptation planning in weak governance environments - India. Shiraz Wajhi, GEAG</li> <li>- National perspectives on urban adaptation planning – Indonesia. Pratima Harjati, MercyCorps</li> <li>- Community-based adaptation and disaster risk reduction planning in Bangladesh. Sajid Raihan (ActionAid Bangladesh)</li> <li>- Pius Yanda (START'S PanAfrican director): how can education systems for biodiversity conservation and climate change help us plan adaptation better: designing relevant curriculum for practitioner needs</li> <li>- Economics: evaluating the costs and benefits of urban and rural adaptation strategies can play as part of a learning and decision making process. Fawad Khan</li> <li>- Synthesis highlighting: (a) Learning processes for developing effective local and national responses under uncertainty; (b) the economics of alternative strategies; and (c) critical enabling linkages between action at national and local levels. Marcus Moench (ISET)</li> </ul>
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<b>3.30pm – 5pm: Session 4</b>	<p><i>High level panel focusing on emerging themes on adaptation:</i> (organised by Kelly Levin, WRI: KLevin@wri.org)</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Chair: Jennifer Morgan, WRI, also showcasing the World Resources Report</li> <li>- Veerle Vandeweerd (UNDP)</li> <li>- Warren Evans (World Bank)</li> <li>- Angela Cropper (UNEP) tbc</li> <li>- Developing country representative</li> </ul>
	Evening Reception
<b>Day Four (Monday, December 14): Mitigation, finance and the private sector</b>	
<b>9am – 10.30am: Session 1</b>	<i>Nationally Appropriate Mitigation Actions (NAMAs) and sectoral approaches</i> (organised by IISD: Jo-Ellen Parry - jparry@iisd.ca)
10.30am	Break
<b>11am – 12.30pm: Session 2</b>	<i>Alternative financing for adaptation</i> (organised by ActionAid and IIED: Simon Anderson and Ilana Solomon – simon.anderson@iied.org; ilana.Solomon@actionaid.org;) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ilana Solomon (ActionAid)</li> <li>- PPCR progress</li> <li>- LDCF evaluation (IIED)</li> <li>- Tejas Ewing – improving the voluntary market to help the most vulnerable (nef)</li> <li>- CDM microfinance (Lloyd Chingambo, Lloyds Financials Limited, Zambia)</li> </ul>
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<b>1.30pm – 3pm: Session 3</b>	<i>The role of the private sector in adaptation</i> (organised by Teresa Fogelberg, Global Reporting Initiative: Fogelberg@GlobalReporting.org) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Insurance – Pablo Suarez (UNDP Environment Finance Group)</li> <li>- MercyCorps project on stove/timber use in DRC refugee camps which use carbon finance</li> <li>- Minh Cuong Le Quan (GERES) - Bridging the gap: carbon finance from international companies support micro-scale entrepreneurs in Cambodia</li> </ul>
3pm	Break
<b>3.30pm – 5pm: Session 4</b>	<i>Debate: What do we want from the Copenhagen negotiations?</i> Moderated by Camilla Toulmin, IIED Director. Contact Hannah.reid@iied.org <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- President Anote Tong of Kiribati</li> <li>- President Nasheed of Maldives</li> <li>- Batilda Burian, Minister for Environment, United Republic of Tanzania</li> <li>- Minister Ngilu, Kenya (TBC)</li> <li>- Minister Karega Vincent Rwanda (TBC)</li> <li>- Professor Martin Parry, Grantham Institute</li> <li>- Farhana Yamin, IDS</li> <li>- Andrew Simms, nef</li> </ul>

### Venue

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### Attendance and more information

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