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DETAILED AGENDA

Regional symposium on the Integrated Approach for Sustainable Development in Latin America and the Caribbean

4-5 October 2016, Brasilia, Brazil.

Brazilian Institute of Environment and Renewable Natural Resources (IBAMA)

The symposium's overall objective is to engage participants in knowledge exchange and sharing of experiences to develop integrated approaches to advance the implementation of Rio+20 and the Agenda 2030 in Latin America and the Caribbean. It will focus in the following specific objectives:

- Learn from a dynamic and diverse range of experiences that are advancing integrated approaches to sustainable development in the LAC region.
- Map the main challenges and opportunities for integrated policy support to SDGs with a focus on balancing the three dimensions of sustainable development, i.e. balancing environmental, economic and social benefits.
- Define solutions and identify specific tools to apply an integrated approach to achieving the goals and targets of Agenda 2030.
- Provide an important opportunity for key stakeholders to network, identify synergies and ways of working together to help in future and, specifically, identify new partnership opportunities, both South-South/ Triangular and cross-sectoral cooperation.

Tuesday, 4 October 2016

8:30 am to 9:00 am Registration of Participants

Official opening and welcome address

9:00 am to 10:00 am Ms. Suely Mara Vaz de Araújo – President of IBAMA – Government of Brazil.
Mr. Marcelo Cruz – Deputy Ministry of the Environment - Government of Brazil.
Mr. Evandro Gussi – Federal Deputy of Brazil.
Mr. Niky Fabiancic – UN Resident Coordinator in Brazil.
Mr. Leo Heileman – Regional Director – UNEP’s Regional Office for Latin America and the Caribbean.
Minister Herman Benjamin – Superior Tribunal de Justiça of Brazil.
Minister Geddel Vieira - Secretary of Government – Government of Brazil.
Mr. Sarney Filho – Minister of Environment – Government of Brazil.

Session 1 – Integrated approach and policy coherence for Agenda 2030

10:00 am to 11:00 am **Panel 1: Global Goals in Regional Focus – The Rio+20 legacies for advancing sustainable development in LAC.**
Moderator: Ms. Denise Hamu, Director of UNEP’s country office in Brazil.
Keynote Address: Mr. Aron Belinky – Getulio Vargas Foundation (FGV).
Commentators:

- Mr. Jorge Abrahão – President - Ethos Institute.
- Ms. Nicole Leotaud – Executive Director – Caribbean Natural Resources Institute.
- Ms. Beatriz Martins Carneiro – Executive Secretary - UN Global Compact Network of Brazil.

11:00 am to 11:30 am Coffee break

11:30 am to 1:00 pm **Panel 2: Integrated policy making towards the 2030 Agenda – A development imperative**
Moderator: Ambassador Fernando Coimbra – Head of Office for International Affairs – Ministry of the Environment of Brazil.

- Mr. Mario Ruiz – Technical National Planning Secretary – Government of Paraguay. *Articulation of SDGs in the National Development Plan.*
- Mr. Henrique Villa de Costa Ferreira – National Secretary of Social Coordination – Secretariat of Government – Government of Brazil – *Stakeholders consultation and involvement.*
- Ms. Maria Virginia Cajiao – Commissioner of the Presidential Council on Environment - Government of Costa Rica. *Integrated approach in national planning.*
- Ms. Nadine Brown – Sustainable Development and Regional Planning Division – Planning Institute of Jamaica. *Vision 2030 and the SDGs.*

- Mr. Carlos Andrés Alape - Colombia – Ministry of Environment – Government of Colombia. *Advances in Planning for the 2030 Agenda and mainstreaming the environmental dimension.*

1:00 pm to 2:30 pm

Lunch

Session 2 – Sustainable development in practice in LAC

2:00 pm to 2:30 pm

Messages from the field: Introduction to experiences and compilation process. Ms. Piedad Martin – Regional Development Coordination Officer – UNEP.

2:30 pm to 5:00 pm

Experiences in focus: Parallel sessions.

2:30 pm to 3:45 pm
(Auditorium)

a. Integration of innovation and technology.

Moderator: Mr. Juan Bello. Division of Early Warning and Assessment Regional Coordinator- UNEP.

- Brazil- *Agua Doce* Programme. Mr. Renato Saraiva – Director of Revitalization of Hydrographic Basins – Secretariat of Water Resources and Urban Environment.
- Honduras – *Quesungual* – Mr. José María Bonilla Argueta – Director – Technical Community Institute of Honduras.
- Costa Rica – *ACTUAR* – Mr. Jeffrey Villanueva – President – Conservationist Association of Rural and Alternative Community Tourism.
- Grenada – Ms. Kadijah Edwards - *Rain water harvesting at the Grenada School for Special Education* - Technical Officer UNDP ICCAS Project.

2:30 pm to 3:45 pm
(Meeting room)

b. Integration among sectors: approaches to coherence

Moderator: Mr. José Dallo. Director of South Cone Subregional Office. UNEP.

- Saint Vincent and the Grenadines – *Greening Safe Hospitals* - Mr. David Latchman – Head of Planning - Ministry of Health, Wellness and the Environment.
- Brazil – *Bolsa Verde Programme*- Ms. Juliana Simões - Secretary of Extractivism and Sustainable Rural Development – Ministry of the Environment.
- El Salvador - *Municipal synergies* – Mr. José Antonio Torres – General Manager – Asociación Municipios Los Nonualcos.

3:45 pm to 4:15 pm

Coffee break

4:15 pm to 5:30 pm
(Auditorium)

a. Integrating finance

Moderator: Ms. Dolores Barrientos. Director of UNEP’s Mexico Office

- Chile - *Healthy air and green taxation* – Mr. Marcelo Fernández - Centro Mario Molina.
- Ecuador - *Water funds*– Mr. Bert de Bievre – Technical Secretary - Water Fund of Quito (FONAG).
- Colombia – *BANCO2* – Mr. Jaime Andrés García Urrea – Executive Director – Corporación Más Bosques.

4:15 pm to 5:30 pm
(Meeting room)

b. Integration of stakeholders

Moderator: Ms. Esther Corral. SDG Coordinator in UNEP’s Brazil Office

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cuba - <i>Recycling Cooperatives</i> – Ms. Ileana Saborit – Ministry of Science, Technology and the Environment. • Bolivia - <i>AFIN National forest association</i> – Mr. Rolando Vargas Nina – General Manager – Asociación Forestal Indígena Nacional. • Trinidad & Tobago - <i>Green Market of Santa Cruz</i> - Ms. Vicki Assevero – Founder and Executive Director – Green Market of Santa Cruz
5:30 pm to 6:00 pm	Conclusions from the four sessions and closure of the day.
6:00 pm to 8:00 pm	Reception Cocktail.

Wednesday, 5 October 2016

Session 3 – A toolkit for an integrated approach

9:00 am to 9:45 am	<p>Panel 1: The SDGs as a network of targets: innovation and integration for synergistic action.</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Rodrigo Rodríguez – Chief Cabinet Advisor. Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development. Argentina.</p> <p>Participants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Raquel Breda – Director of Department – Ministry of the Environment - Government of Brazil. <i>Sustainable consumption and production: SDG 12 and more.</i> • Mr. Carlos Tamayo – General Manager – Solidaridad y Desarrollo Empresarial (EDPYME) – Peru. <i>Microfinance for Ecosystem Based Adaptation: SDG 13 and more.</i> • Ms. Elsa Guevara de Melchor – President of Municipal Association of Los Nonualcos and Major of Santa Maria Ostuma. <i>SDGs at the local level.</i>
9:45 am to 11:00 am	Interactive plenary: Gap Analysis: Institutional shifts needed to advance SDGs in a consistent manner and integrate socio-economic-environmental aspects into development policies and strategies.
11:00 am to 11:30 am	Coffee break
11:30 am to 12:30 am	<p>Panel 2: Science-policy dialogue: ways of using science and data to inform SDG implementation, follow-up and review process at national and regional levels.</p> <p>Moderator: Juan Bello.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Juan Bello – Division of Early Warning and Assessment Regional Coordinator - UNEP. <i>Open Science and information to support the implementation of the 2030 Agenda with an integrated approach.</i> • Mr. Víctor Romero – Department of Socioeconomic Analysis of SIUBEN – Government of Dominican Republic. <i>The Environmental Vulnerability Index applied to social policy.</i>

- Mr. Adolfo Ayuso-Audry – Deputy General Director – National SDG Committee – Office of the President of Mexico. *Mexico’s monitoring of the implementation of the SDGs.*

12:30 pm to 2:00 pm

Lunch

Session 4 – Participation for Agenda 2030 – South-South and Triangular Cooperation

2:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Panel 1: Fostering opportunities for partnerships.

Moderator: Ambassador María Jacqueline Mendoza – General Secretary –Amazon Cooperation Treaty Organization.

Participants:

- Mr. Brian Francis. Director of Economic Affairs & Regional Integration –OECS. *The role of subregional cooperation mechanisms.*
- Mr. Andrés F. Zuluaga – Sustainable Cattle Ranching project director – FEDEGAN. *The private sector as a catalyst of sustainability.*
- Mr. Ignacio Fígoli – Renewable Energies Advisor - National Energy Direction – Government of Uruguay. *Partnerships for sustainable transformation: the energy transition in Uruguay.*

3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Panel 2: Views on financing and technical assistance for the 2030 Agenda.

Moderator: Mrs. Ligia Castro – Director – Andean Development Corporation (CAF). *The role of financial institutions on the SDGs implementation.*

Participants:

- Ms. Aud Marit Wiig – Ambassador of Norway in Brazil.
- Minister Andrea Watson– Deputy Director - Brazilian Cooperation Agency (ABC).
- Ms. Priscilla Miranda – Director of International Cooperation for Development Forums in the Multilateral Forums Coordination of the Mexican International Cooperation Agency for Development (AMEXCID).

4:00 pm to 4:30 pm

Coffee break

4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

Interactive plenary - Needs and opportunities for regional cooperation to foster the integrated approach in the implementation of the SDGs.

5:30 pm to 6:00 pm

Official Closure

Ms. Denise Hamu – Director – UNEP Office in Brazil.

Ambassador Fernando Coimbra – Head of Office for International Affairs – Ministry of the Environment of Brazil.

Ms. Rúbia Auxiliadora Constancio— General Coordinator at National Secretary of Social Coordination – Government of Brazil.

Mr. Edson Duarte - Secretary for Institutional Coordination and Environmental Citizenship – Ministry of Environment – Government of Brazil.



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3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



4 QUALITY EDUCATION



5 GENDER EQUALITY



6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION



7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE



10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION



13 CLIMATE ACTION



14 LIFE BELOW WATER



15 LIFE ON LAND



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