



FINANCING CLIMATE TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER, AND PRIVATE SECTOR ENGAGEMENT

Date: Wednesday 2nd December 2015

Time: 0830 – 1200 (1200-1300 canapés reception)

Venue: IETA & WBCSD Business Hub, Pavilion 4, Hall 3, Conference Centre (Blue Zone)

Session summary

Climate technology transfer is a global priority, as deployment of the best available technologies in all countries is essential to climate change mitigation and to increasing climate resilience. Hosted by the EBRD's FINTECC (Finance and Technology Transfer Centre for Climate Change) Programme and supported by the GEF, this session will explore the transformational opportunity afforded by climate technologies, and key implementation aspects such as improving 'North-South' and 'South-South' technology transfer for climate change mitigation and adaptation; the role of the UNFCCC's Technology Mechanism, of MDBs, and of climate financing institutions in enabling this transfer; and ways of engaging with the private sector to drive investments.

Agenda

Time	Session	Speakers/ Panellists
0830	Tea, coffee	N/A
0900	Welcome	Josué Tanaka, MD, Energy Efficiency and Climate Change, EBRD (Session Leader)
0905	Opening Address: Transformational opportunities from technology transfer to address climate change	José María Figueres, Chairman, Rocky Mountain Institute
0925	Keynote presentation: Key actions to enable climate technology transfer	Philippe Benoit, Head of Energy Efficiency and Environment Division, International Energy Agency (IEA)
0945	Technology Transfer Debates Speakers lay out various positions to key technology transfer questions, followed by audience votes, followed by open discussion.	Moderator: Anthony Williams, Editor-in-Chief, External Communications, EBRD Debate Leaders: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Ralph Sims, Director, Centre for Energy Research, Massey University, New Zealand • Dr. Rob Byrne, Lecturer, Science Policy Research Unit, University of Sussex • Prof. Ambuj Sagar, Vipula and Mahesh Chaturvedi Professor of Policy Studies, IIT Delhi • Eric Masanet, Head, Energy Demand Technology Unit, IEA



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1045	<p>Panel discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achievements and future of UNFCCC Technology Mechanism • Meeting financing needs, and optimising implementing instruments 	<p>Moderator: Jonathan Grant, Director, PwC</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jukka Uosukainen, Director, Climate Technology Centre & Network (CTCN) • Kunihiko Shimada, Chair, Technology Executive Committee (TEC) • Masako Ogawa, Senior Environment Specialist, the Global Environment Facility (GEF) • Tao Wang, Director of Mitigation and Adaptation, Green Climate Fund (GCF) • Terry McCallion, Director, Energy Efficiency and Climate Change, EBRD
1155	Summary and conclusions	Josué Tanaka, EBRD
1200	Networking and canapés reception	

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