

ADP, SBI-40, SBSTA-40: 2-15 de junho, Bonn, Alemanha

The UNFCCC Secretariat has released the provisional agendas for the 40th session of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) and the Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI), which will take place in Bonn, Germany, from 4-15 June 2014.

SBSTA 40 is scheduled to address, inter alia: the Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change; the development and transfer of technologies and implementation of the Technology Mechanism; methodological guidance for activities relating to REDD+; research and systematic observation; the 2013–2015 review; issues relating to agriculture; the Warsaw international mechanism for loss and damage associated with climate change impacts; impact of the implementation of response measures; methodological issues under the Convention and the the Kyoto Protocol; market and non-market mechanisms under the Convention; work programme on clarification of quantified economy-wide emission reduction targets of developed countries; scientific, technical and socioeconomic aspects of mitigation of climate change; and cooperation with other international organizations.

SBI 40 is scheduled to address, inter alia: reporting and review of Annex I and non-Annex I parties; matters relating to the mechanisms under the Kyoto Protocol; matters relating to the least developed countries (LDCs); national adaptation plans (NAPs); the Warsaw international mechanism for loss and damage associated with climate change impacts; second review of the Adaptation Fund; development and transfer of technologies and implementation of the Technology Mechanism; Poznan strategic programme on technology transfer; capacity-building; Article 6 of the Convention (education, training and public awareness); impact of the implementation of response measures; the 2013-2015 review; arrangements for intergovernmental meetings; and administrative, financial and institutional matters.

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UN Climate Summit: 23 de setembro, Nova York, EUA

The UN General Assembly approved a resolution to organize a high-level plenary meeting in 2014 (the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples in 2014) to share perspectives and best practices on the realization of indigenous peoples' rights, including to pursue the objectives of the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples. The World Conference on Indigenous Peoples 2014 will be organized as a high-level plenary meeting of the 69th session of the UN General Assembly and supported by the UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, to share perspectives and best practices on the realization of the rights of indigenous peoples and to pursue the objectives of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.

read more: <http://climate-1.iisd.org/events/2014-09-23/>

Pre-COP20 Social: 4-7 de novembro, Caracas, Venezuela

UNFCCC Bonn: The Venezuelan government (via Claudia Salerno) will host the Pre COP 2014 and are proposing to have more of a focus on a 'Peoples preCOP' whereby grassroots and social movements will be able to engage in the in a more substantive manner. Currently civil society only get 3mins (if you are lucky) intervention and are excluded from high level segment meetings.

"The Venezuelan government proposal is to ensure that the PreCOP is not a market place or business COP as currently is the case", (particularly since they claim to be a socialist country), "We believe people have the power to organize themselves outside of NGOs, there are many other forms to organize", "We need a commitment that involves governments and society. Governments alone will not be able to plan what we need to do. Communities alone will not be able to do it", "politically need to listen to everybody" Salerno added.

They will consider the format/process to merge the cso inputs as they want a space to consider things not normally discussed at a COP. They also wanted the processes linked i.e. cso PreCOP to COP.

This is something similar to Bolivia's call to Cochabamba only that the processes will be more closely linked to the PreCOP than what Cochabamba did.

COP20/CMP10: 1-12 de dezembro, Lima, Peru

UNFCCC COP 20/CMP 10 - Twentieth session of the Conference of the Parties and the tenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol.