

Rio Conventions Pavilion @ Rio+20 13-24 June 2012

RIO+20
United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development

Athlete's Park, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

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Wed 20 June	Gender Mainstreaming Day	
11:15-12:45	Mainstreaming gender in the Three Rio Conventions: Progress to date and way forward	UN Women, Rio Conventions. Contact: June Budhooram and Hanna Gehor, jbudhooram@unfccc.int; hgehor@unfccc.int
13:00-14:30	Linking research, policy and practice for gender-responsive action in forestry	CIFOR
15:00-16:00	Stakeholders one on one on gender and climate change This televised panel discussion will provide an opportunity for political and private sector leaders and the UN representatives to discuss issues that can make difference on gender and climate change. Panelists include Tarja Halonen, former President of Finland; Mary Robinson, former President of Ireland; Yolanda Kakabadse, President of WW; and Christiana Figueres, Executive Secretary of UNFCCC.	UNFCCC
17:15–19:00	Celebration of Women's Leadership in Sustainable Development In memory of Marie Aminata Khan of the CBD Secretariat, this celebration will award 10 women leaders for their leadership roles over the last 10 years. Featuring keynote speaker Tarja Halonen, former President of Finland, and Braulio Ferreira de Souza Dias, Executive Secretary of the CBD Reception to follow	GGCA, IUCN, and WEDO. Contact: Nathalie Eddy and Lorena Aguilar, nathalie@gender-climate.org; lorena.aguilar@iucn.org
Wed 20 Jun	The Economics of Sustainable Development	
15:00-17:00	Economics of Sustainable Development This high-level panel, featuring TEEB study leader Pavan Sukhdev, and ELD study leader Jeffrey Sachs, moderated by Caroline Spelman, Secretary of State for DEFRA, United Kingdom, seeks to identify common policy and economic challenges in addressing market failures of global significance, and opportunities to overcome them. This session will cover the economics of land management, biodiversity and climate change contributes to achieving sustainable consumption and production. Location: Multi Purpose Pavilion (adjacent to Rio Conventions Pavilion)	TEEB/UNEP/Rio Conventions. Contact: David Steuerman, david.steuerman@cbd.int
Thu 21 June	20 th Anniversary of the Rio Conventions	
08:30–10:00	Breakfast of the Rio Convention COP Presidencies (by invitation). Current and future COP presidencies of the Rio Conventions will discuss the future of the conventions, challenges and opportunities. Location: Sítio Santo Agostinho	Joint Liaison Group (JLG) of the Rio Conventions. Contact: Annie Cung, annie.cung@cbd.int
11:15-12:30	Launch of the Pilot Partnership on National Implementation of Synergies among the Rio Conventions Dr. Braulio Dias, Executive Secretary, Convention on Biological Diversity; Ms. Monique Barbut, CEO, Global Environment Facility; Mr. Harold Martin, President of the Government of New Caledonia; Dr. Bui Cach Tuyen, Vice Minister of Natural Resources and Environment; Ms Marcia Roxna Sobenes, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, Guatemala	Rio Conventions, GEF, World Bank, European Commission, IUCN, Government of Japan, Government of Spain. Contact: Jaime Webbe, jwebbe@gmail.com
12:50-13:10	Launching Mozambique's Green Economy Roadmap By His Excellency, Armando Emilio Guebuza, President of the Republic of Mozambique. Supported by Her Excellency, Alcinda Antonio de Abreu, Minister for the Coordination of Environmental Affairs, Republic of Mozambique.	Government of Mozambique Contact: Telma Manjate, telmanjate@yahoo.com.br WWF, Co-organiser Contact: Kate Newman, kate.newman@wwfus.org
13:15-14:45	Why the 3 Rio Conventions are Critical to Achieving Poverty Eradication Speakers: Dr. Margaret Chan (WHO), Olivier de Schutter (UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food), Dennis Garrity (UNCCD Drylands Ambassador), Marina Silva (MDG Advocacy Group), Ralph Payet (Minister of Environment and Energy, Seychelles) Moderator: Dr. Gustavo Fonseca, GEF	Rio Conventions and GEF. Contact: Didier Babin and Neil Pratt, didier.babin@cbd.int; neil.pratt@cbd.int



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Transport to the Pavilion: The Athlete's Park is a 10 minute walk from RioCentro, and shuttle buses are available from the RioCentro entrance. Upon entrance to the Park, head right (towards Pavilion A - see map) Sessions will have Portuguese/English simultaneous translation

