

14 June 2017

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	Plenary room	Towards Smart Sustainable Cities – Integrated Approaches
	Room 3	Energy and Materials from Wastes: Application of UNFC for Sustainable Management Anthropogenic Resources
	Room 5	Pathways to Sustainable Energy: Project Kick-off and Scenario Scoping
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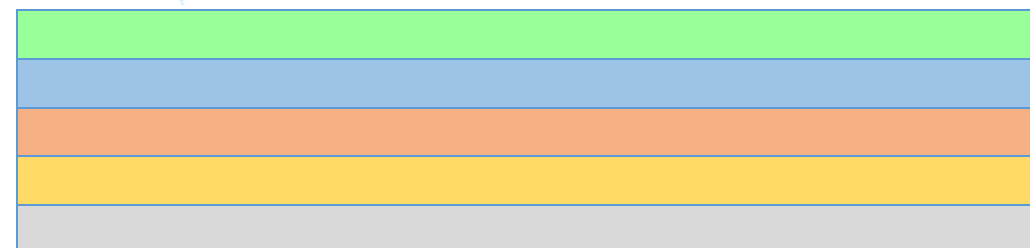
<b>14 June 14.00-15.30</b>	Room 1	From Diesel Generators to Renewable Energy in the Context of Crisis
	Plenary room	Towards Smart Sustainable Cities – Integrated Approaches
	Room 3	Modernization of the Energy Sector – a Pathway towards Low-Carbon Energy and Green Economy
	Room 5	Tracking Progress on Energy for Sustainable Development: Data and Indicators
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<b>14 June 16.00-17.30</b>	Room 1	Realising Renewable Energy Targets and Commitments through Policies
	Plenary room	Towards Smart Sustainable Cities – Integrated Approaches
	Room 3	Energy Corporations: Sustainable Development and Corporate Social Responsibility
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<b>14 June 18.00-18.30</b>	Plenary room	Wrap-Up / Closing Session
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## EIGHTH INTERNATIONAL FORUM ON ENERGY FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT



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### OVERVIEW AGENDA



ECA  
ECLAC  
ESCAP  
ESCWA  
UNECE

Track I: Renewable Energy	Track IV: Regional Cooperation
Track II: Energy Efficiency	Track V: Project Events
Track III: Modernizing Energy Industry	Opening: Main Hall

12 June	09.00-9.30	UN Opening / Introduction
	09.30-10.30	<p><b>Plenary: Hard Talks on “Sustainable Energy of the 21<sup>st</sup> century – Government meets Industry”</b></p> <p><b>1<sup>st</sup> Hard Talk: Energy Transition for Sustainable Development</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Why energy transition is vital to sustainable development</li> <li>Progress and challenges towards achieving Sustainable Development Goal 7</li> <li>Energy transition strategies - No “one size fits all” solution</li> <li>How international cooperation can reinforce national actions to transform energy systems</li> </ul>
	11.00-12.00	<p><b>2<sup>nd</sup> Hard Talk: Interplay between Renewable Energy and Fossil Fuels</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Challenges of reconciling tight emissions pathways with development aspirations</li> <li>The need to modernize fossil-based economies</li> <li>Synergies between renewable energies and fossil fuels</li> <li>The role of coal, oil and gas prices</li> </ul>
	12.00-12.30	Conclusion / Opening of Tracks

12 June 14.00-15.30	Room 1	Findings of REN21 UNECE Renewable Energy Status Report 2017
	Room 5	Energy Efficiency in Buildings: Framework Guidelines
	Room 3	The Role of Gas in Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals
	Room 4	International Centre for Green Technology and Investments

12 June 16.00-17.30	Room 1	The Socio-Economic Benefits of Renewable Energies
	Room 5	Aligning Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Policies
	Room 3	Coal Mine Methane as an under-valued Energy Source and the Role it can play in the Transition of the Coal Industry
	Room 4	Tracking Progress in Sustainable Energy: GTF Regional Reports and Regulatory Indicators of Sustainable Energy (RISE)

13 June 09.00-10.30	Room 5	Developing a Regional Renewable Energy Investment Project Pipeline in the ESCWA Region
	Room 1	Creating the Business Case for Energy Efficiency: Engaging Governments with Industry
	Room 3	Best Practices in High Efficiency-Low Emissions Coal Power Generation
	Plenary room	Regional cooperation on Renewable Energy in Central Asia
	Room 4	Training to the National Officials and Experts Responsible for Sustainable Energy Data Collection

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	Plenary room	UN Day Dialogues 1: Energy for Sustainable Development
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	Room 1	Creating the Business Case for Energy Efficiency: Engaging Governments with Industry
	Room 4	Assessment Coal Mine Methane Resources using UNFC
	Plenary room	UN Day Dialogues 2: A Nexus Approach to SDG7 Implementation
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