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Open Discussion and Closing Statements
- What can and should be done in order to transform the old, inefficient, and heavily polluting industrial sites into full-fledged efficient components of a modern low-carbon economy?
- Large integrated industrial complexes exist as a part of an industrial ecosystem. How can the UNFC be used to provide guidance for sustainable extraction and use of natural resources within these manmade ecosystems?
- How can the availability of natural gas as well as coalbed methane, coal mine methane, and VAM, play a role in changing way in which energy is provided and consumed at these industrial sites?
- Increasing energy efficiency at these industrial sites will help improve energy consumption and reduce pollution, but how will it also lead to increasing the competitiveness of these industrial complexes?
- Renewable energy resources could have a role in reshaping the energy future of these industrial sites. How can renewable energy could be incorporated into planning the re-industrialization of these sites?
- Redevelopment of these industrial site will require huge financial resources. Can a case be made to the finance community that these multi-year projects will be produce a return on investment?