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**Proposed questions
for interactive discussion**



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Transport

- A. Which policies and measures does sustainable transport development require in the different subregions ?**

- B. How can national policy objectives for sustainable transport be translated into action at the local level ?**

- C. What are the challenges in implementing climate change adaptation and mitigation strategies in the transport sector in UNECE member countries ?**



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Chemicals

- A. What is the most appropriate way to build capacity in chemicals management, including infrastructure and regulatory frameworks, in the region ?**
- B. What is the appropriate distribution of costs for chemicals management between society and business? What is the best mechanism for apportioning these costs ?**
- C. How can Responsible Care's Charter to promote corporate social and environmental responsibility be extended to Eastern European, Caucasian and Central Asian countries ?**
- D. How can emerging problems associated with hazardous chemicals be identified ?**



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Waste management

- A. What strategies could countries apply to address problems related to growing volume of waste such as e-waste, energy and material efficiency problems and related pollution ?**
- B. What actions could be taken quickly to reduce the GHG effects of landfills across the region ?**
- C. What is the most effective way of changing perceptions about waste in business and civil society ?**



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Mining

- A. What are the key challenges with regard to mitigating environmental and health impacts from mining in the UNECE region ?**
- B. How can stakeholder participation be enhanced for sustainable metals and mining development throughout the life cycles of mining operations ?**
- C. How can the export of environmental and health impacts to other regions be avoided, given UNECE countries' heavy reliance on imports from these regions ?**



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10-Year Framework of Programmes on SCPP

- A. What would be the key SCP objectives and themes to be considered when designing the 10-Year Framework Programme from pan-European and North American perspectives? Please list three ?**

- B. How could regional or subregional SCP programmes be established and how could the funding be scaled up ?**

- C. What would be the key 3–5 programmes the UNECE region would like to see in decisions on SCP made at the nineteenth session of CSD ?**