

# United Nations Division for Sustainable Development Goals Department of Economic and Social Affairs

# **Sustainable Consumption and Production (SCP)**

An expert group meeting in preparation for the High Level Political Forum (HLPF) 2018: Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies

# Thursday 3 – Friday 4 May 2018

United Nations Headquarters, New York Conference Room 9

DAY 1	
Time	Session
10:00-10:30	Welcome remarks/Meeting introduction  Ms. Birgitte Bryld, Senior Economic Affairs Officer, DSDG
10:30-11:30	SESSION 1
	SDG12 stock-taking and HLPF 2018 preparations
	- Mr. Shantanu Mukherjee, Chief, Policy Analysis Branch, DSDG Key messages from the DSD Expert Group Meeting on Advancing the 2030 Agenda: Interlinkages and Common Themes at the HLPF 2018
	- Mr. Charles Arden-Clarke, Head of Secretariat, 10-Year Framework of Programmes on Sustainable Consumption and Production (10YFP), UNEP and Ms. Cecilia Lopez y Royo, Coordinator, 10-Year Framework of Programmes on Sustainable Consumption and Production (10YFP), UNEP SDG12 progress, challenges and forward strategy for the implementation of the 10YFP
	Q&A, discussion
11:30-11:45	Coffee break
11:45-13:00	SESSION 2
	SCP, Agenda 2030 and climate action
	<ul> <li>Key questions:         <ul> <li>What are the opportunities for strengthening coherent implementation of the 2030 Agenda and the Paris Agreement on climate change through SCP?</li> <li>In which areas can SCP promote positive synergies in implementation?</li> <li>What can we learn from practical experience in countries?</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



	Moderator: - Mr. David O'Connor, Sustainable Economist, World Resources Institute
	<ul> <li>Speakers:         <ul> <li>Ms. Hannah Janetschek, Researcher, German Development Institute and Mr. Adis Dzebo, Research Fellow, Stockholm Environment Institute</li> <li>Mr. Jocelyn Blériot, Executive Officer, Head, Public Affairs and International Institutions, Ellen MacArthur Foundation</li> <li>Ms. Mathilde Bouyé, Associate, SDG Delivery Team, World Resources Institute</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
13:00-14:00	Lunch break
14:00-15:15	SESSION 2
11.00 15.15	SESSIOI 2
	SCP, Agenda 2030 and climate action/continued:
	- Mr. Wilberforce Kisamba-Mugerwa, Chairperson, National Planning Authority, Uganda
	<ul> <li>Ms. Edda Fernández Luiselli, Director General for the Primary Sector and Renewable Natural Resources, Underministry for Environmental Promotion and Regulation, Ministry of Environmental and Natural Resources (SEMARNAT), Mexico</li> </ul>
	- <u>Ms. Annika Lindblom</u> , Counsellor, Ministry of the Environment; Secretary General, National Commission on Sustainable Development, Finland
	- <u>Ms. Alexandra Hiniker</u> , Strategic Relationships Manager, NYC Mayor's Office for International Affairs
15:15-15:30	Coffee break
15:30-17:00	SESSION 3
	SCP and sustainable transport
	<ul> <li>Key questions:         <ul> <li>Linking SCP and sustainable transport - how can we optimize resources (e.g., energy, technology, space, institutions, and regulations)?</li> <li>Best practice examples of sustainable mobility: What kind of transport systems and measures reduce environmental impacts caused by the transport sector (e.g., climate change, air and noise pollution) while following the principles of SCP?</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Moderator:  - Ms. Nancy Vandycke, Program Manager, Sustainable Mobility for All (SuM4All), World Bank Group
	Speakers:



<ul> <li>Mr. Ulf Jaeckel, Head of Division Product-related Environmental Protection, Standardisation, Green Procurement, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety, Germany</li> </ul>
- Mr. Philip Turner, Sustainable Development Manager, International Association of Public Transport (UITP)
- <u>Mr. Henry Gourdji</u> , Head, Strategic Planning Coordination and Partnership Office, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

DAY 2	
Time	Session
9:00-10:45	SESSION 4 SCP and ocean action
	<ul> <li>Key questions: <ul> <li>What factors should be taken into account in ensuring that actions aimed at meeting SDG 12 and SDG 14 targets and other ocean-related goals maximize co-benefits and minimize negative trade-offs?</li> <li>How can Communities of Ocean Action contribute to maximizing co-benefits and minimizing negative trade-offs?</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Moderator:         <ul> <li>Mr. Kristian Teleki, Director, Sustainable Ocean Initiative, World Resources Institute</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Speakers:         <ul> <li>Mr. Arthur A. Andambi, Minister, Permanent Mission of the Republic of Kenya</li> <li>Ms. Hiroko Muraki Gottlieb, Senior Ocean Governance Advisor, Global Marine and Polar Programme, IUCN</li> <li>Mr. Gerald Singh, Nippon Foundation Senior Nereus Fellow, Aquatic Ecosystem Research Laboratory, University of British Columbia</li> <li>Ms. Marin Hawk, Fisheries Manager, Marine Stewardship Council</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
10.45 11.00	Coffee hands
10:45-11:00 11:00-12:30	Coffee break SESSION 5
	SCP and plastic pollution in the ocean  Key questions:
	<ul> <li>What would be important in developing and implementing an effective strategy to address plastic pollution in the ocean through improved production and consumption patterns, including waste management?</li> <li>What are the respective roles, and collective responsibilities, of different stakeholders in ensuring sustainable consumption and production patterns,</li> </ul>



including environmentally sound waste management, with regard to plastics and micro-plastics? And how could potential partnerships be secured?

#### Moderator:

- <u>Ms. Winnie Lau</u>, Officer, International Conservation, The Pew Charitable Trust

### Speakers:

- Ms. Midhfa Naeem, Counsellor, Permanent Mission of the Maldives to the United Nations
- <u>Ms. Julia Reisser</u>, Postdoctoral Researcher, Australian Institute of Marine Science
- Ms. Sian Sutherland, Co-Founder, A Plastic Planet
- Ms. Sam Radocchia, Co-Founder and CMO, Chronicled; Co-Founder, Better Kinds

### 12:30-13:30 Lunch break 13:30-15:15 SESSION 6

#### SCP and food loss and waste

### Key questions:

- What must be done to overhaul food systems in a way that ensures good nutrition, uses resources sustainably and efficiently, and supports agroecological methods of production where agricultural biological diversity and small-scale farmers are of central importance?
- How can we ensure that efforts to change consumer behavior are accompanied by efforts to also change institutional and regulatory structures?
- What are some of the implementation challenges with regard to data collection and analysis of food loss and waste? How can these be overcome?

### Moderator:

- Ms. Rosa Rolle, Senior Enterprise Development Officer, FAO

### Speakers:

- <u>Ms. Teréz Krisztina Szabó</u>, Deputy Head of the Department for Environmental Strategy and Development, Ministry of Agriculture, Hungary
- Mr. Harry de Gorter, Professor, Charles H. Dyson School, Cornell University
- <u>Mr. Richard Swannell</u>, Development Director, Waste and Resources Action Programme (WRAP)
- Mr. William Edwardson, Senior Advisor, Agriculture Canada
- <u>Mr. James Lomax</u>, Programme Management Officer, United Nations Environment Programme



15:15-15:30 Closing and next steps

Ms. Birgitte Bryld, Senior Economic Affairs Officer, DSDG