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Past and planned communications activities

This document reviews communications activities since the 38th Session of the Panel and complements the report from the Secretariat on this subject to the 39th Session of the Panel (IPCC-XXXIX/Doc. 4, dated 4 March 2014).

Communications Strategy

The Communications Action Team (CAT), set up under the Communications Strategy as a sub-group of the Executive Committee, has met regularly to review communications activities and reported to the Executive Committee.

Outreach events since the 38th Session of the Panel

- *Release of the reports of Working Groups II and III*

Both the Working Group II (WGII) and III (WGIII) reports were presented to media at press conferences webcast live, followed by intensive programmes of interviews.

These press conferences were held a day after the end of each session. Following approval of the respective Summary for Policymakers (SPM), the SPM and press release were made available under embargo to registered media to allow them to prepare stories in advance of the press conference. Advance interviews and briefings for key reporters and in key locations were also held under embargo to promote thoughtful coverage.

Although few specialist correspondents travelled in person to the press conferences, media interest in both was high and there was extensive coverage in major industrialized countries. The IPCC Secretariat is working on improving contacts with key media in developing countries to increase coverage there.

- *Outreach at the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)*

At the UNFCCC Subsidiary Bodies meetings in Bonn in June, IPCC experts gave a range of presentations to negotiators including at the ministerial lunch; two IPCC-SBSTA (Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technical Advice) special events on the WGII and WGIII reports; an IPCC-SBSTA special event on metrics; two sessions each with WG II and WG III experts in the Structured Expert Dialogue on the 2013-2015 review (SED); a presentation in the SBSTA research dialogue; an informal meeting of WG II experts with the adaptation committee; a side event on the Task Force on National Greenhouse Gas Inventories. Further, two brief interventions were made at two technical expert meetings organized under the Ad hoc Working Group on the Durban Platform for Enhanced Action (ADP). Many delegates referred to the AR5 working group contributions in their interventions in the various negotiating sessions. For full details see: http://www.ipcc.ch/news_and_events/outreach.shtml

- *Other outreach activities*

(For more details see Annexes 1, 2 and 3 to this report listing activities by Working Group)

Regional launches for WGII were held in South Africa, Brazil, China and India in the days immediately following the WGII release.

On 2-3 April, the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) with the support of the IPCC Secretariat held an event in Paris for broadcast meteorologists to present WGI and WGII outcomes to this important audience. The WMO is planning follow-up activities at the UN Secretary-General's Climate Summit in September 2014 in New York.

The WGIII launch was followed by a public event in Berlin at the Technical University, and then an event in London to present both WGII and III outcomes.

Individual co-chairs and authors have participated in many events and conferences as described in Annexes 1, 2 and 3. These included a conference by PROVIA in Fortaleza, Brazil, a conference organized by the University of Exeter, and a WGII/III outcomes launch in the Pacific.

During the WMO Executive Council in June, besides the report by the IPCC Chair, the IPCC held a side event to present the WGII and III reports, which were presented the same day to the Geneva based environment community at the Geneva Environment Network.

Following the Synthesis Report Core Writing Team meeting in Malaysia at the beginning of July, the IPCC presented all three working group contributions to Malaysian officials at a full-day workshop. The following week the IPCC held outreach events in Singapore, Philippines and Indonesia, each co-sponsored by the respective host government. Besides presentations of the report, these events included discussions with policymakers and practitioners and with the local research community. In addition the Singapore event included participants and speakers from other countries in Southeast Asia, to give it a regional focus, and the Philippines event was preceded by a workshop for local media.

In July and August, Climate & Development Knowledge Network (CDKN), with funding from the UK government, organized three events in East Africa (Kenya, Uganda and Ethiopia) and three in South Asia (India, Bangladesh and Pakistan), co-sponsored by the IPCC. These also included discussions with policymakers and practitioners, and media workshops.

The IPCC took part in a side event at the Third International Conference on Small Island Developing States (SIDS-2014) in Samoa in early September 2014.

The IPCC Chair made a statement at the UN Secretary-General's summit on 23 September 2014, and Thomas Stocker, Co-Chair of Working Group I, spoke at the thematic session on climate science. The IPCC Secretariat engaged also on other activities around the summit.

Planned outreach events

The IPCC Chair will address the opening session of the UNFCCC COP20 in Lima in December. Besides any other participation in the official programme currently under consideration, the IPCC will hold a side event at COP20. Also in Lima, the IPCC will co-organize a special event at SBSTA to present the AR5 Synthesis Report.

The IPCC is co-sponsoring an outreach event hosted by South Africa on 10-11 November 2014. This will include participants from other countries in Africa, with a focus on Southern Africa.

Other events are under discussion in Venezuela, Indonesia, Hong Kong and Serbia.

Preparations for the Launching of the Synthesis Report

The Synthesis Report will be presented at press conference in Copenhagen on 2 November 2014. As with the Working Group II and III reports, the press conference will be webcast live, followed by interviews, and the SPM and press release will be made available to registered media under embargo.

A series of outreach events will be held between the launch of the Synthesis Report on 2 November 2014 and UNFCCC COP21 in Paris at the end of 2015 to present the findings of the report. These will include major centres in developing and developed countries. A first event is planned at the European Parliament in Brussels on 4 November 2014.

Rapid response

There were no events requiring a formal rapid response. Nevertheless, a number of cases required an urgent and consultative response, prepared largely in line with the rapid response procedures laid out in the Communications Strategy Implementation Plan:

1. Mail on Sunday article
An article in the Mail on Sunday on 6 April 2014 contained several factual errors. The IPCC issued a [statement](#)¹ on 6 April.
2. Wall Street Journal article
An article in the Wall Street Journal on 6 April 2014 misrepresented the WGII report and its SPM. A [letter to the editor](#)² dated 9 April was eventually published by the paper.

Other communications activities

- *IPCC Videos*

The Working Group II report video was launched at the press conference for the Working Group II report, and the Working Group III report video at the special event at the UNFCCC Subsidiary Body meetings in Bonn. Work is continuing on a longer video for the Synthesis Report, which will also look at the report process and the work of the IPCC in general. It is intended to launch this at UNFCCC COP20.

- *Interviews*

Besides the packed programme of interviews organized at the WGs report launches, senior IPCC figures have given a large number of interviews, and the Secretariat has responded to specific specialist requests for information by putting journalists in touch with authors.

- *Social media*

The Secretariat uses social media conservatively. Twitter and Facebook are used to disseminate links to press releases and similar materials, and to publicize outreach events. Twitter is also used to disseminate key findings from reports such as headline statements. The Scholarship Programme has its own Facebook page, which provides announcements about the programme and updates on the activities of individual scholarship-holders.

- *Media monitoring*

The Secretariat provides monthly reports to the Executive Committee and Bureau on communications activity and media coverage of the IPCC. These draw on data from a media monitoring company, to provide basic evaluation by counting the number of articles about the IPCC on online media and blogs, and rating them as positive, negative and neutral, depending on certain words appearing in the articles.

Other communications matters

The Senior Communications Manager has been invited to join the International Public Information Directors Roundtable, a group of about 40 heads of communications of major international organizations³, which meets twice a year to discuss issues and case histories of common interest. This offers the opportunity to draw on the experience and networks of other organizations to enhance IPCC communications. The guidance of the Panel is requested as the annual membership cost including meetings is CHF 3,650, and hotel and travel costs would be in addition.

¹ http://www.ipcc.ch/pdf/press/140406_statement_mail_online_statement.pdf

² http://www.ipcc.ch/pdf/press/140409_WSJ_Editorial_Final.pdf

³ Members include Council of Europe, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, European Broadcasting Union, CERN, ICANN, International Atomic Energy Agency, International Criminal Court, International Olympic Committee, OECD, UNHCR, WHO and WIPO.

ANNEX 1

WGI AR5 Communications and Outreach

WGI AR5 communication and outreach activities are ongoing and include production of outreach materials, updates to the website, presentations to the policy and science communities, and participation in outreach activities.

WGI AR5 Communication and Outreach Materials

The WGI AR5 Summary Volume -- containing the Summary for Policymakers, Technical Summary, Frequently Asked Questions and Glossary of the WGI AR5 -- has been produced and printed copies are available from the IPCC Secretariat. Translations of the Summary Volume into the UN languages were completed in July. Electronic copies of all six versions are available now and the hardcopies will be available from the IPCC Secretariat.

In addition, subtitles in the other UN languages are currently being added to the WGI AR5 video, and these versions will be launched soon.

As was successfully done by WGI for the AR4, a separate brochure of the Frequently Asked Questions was also produced. In addition to the printed copies provided by the WGI TSU, electronic copies are available from the WGI AR5 website www.climatechange2013.org.

Finally, following the production of the WGI AR5 DVD, a USB is being produced that will provide the full report and supporting materials included on the DVD, but will also include the WGI AR5 Summary Volume in all six UN languages as well as the WGI AR5 FAQ brochure.

WGI AR5 Communication and Outreach Activities

WGI AR5 communication and outreach events are ongoing and include presentations or special sessions at major scientific meetings, presentations to science academies, side events at regional meetings, national outreach events in cooperation with the national IPCC Focal Points, and presentations to the international policy community.

Since the last IPCC Panel Session, special mention should be made of the Union Session and three Climate Sessions that they was convened on 30 April for the European Geosciences Union General Assembly in Vienna, and the presentations made at the 40th Session of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice in Bonn in June.

The WGI Bureau and the WGI AR5 Chapter teams have played a major role in communication and outreach on WGI AR5 to many levels of society and all around the world. Recent highlights include in a series of cross-WG IPCC outreach events organized with the IPCC Secretariat.

Additional information on the communication and outreach activities in support of the WGI AR5 is available from the WGI AR5 website: www.climatechange2013.org/press-events/

ANNEX 2

Outreach events and activities related to the WGII Contribution to the IPCC

Completed Events

- **March 31: Indigenous peoples (circumpolar Arctic) meeting in Norway**
(Nancy Maynard, Joan Larsen)
Indigenous-hosted release event of the WGII AR5 polar regions chapter, Kautokeino, Norway
The event focused on impacts, adaptation, and vulnerability for the residents and socioeconomic structure of the Arctic and particularly for indigenous peoples. The event took place at the International Centre for Reindeer Husbandry and the ICR Research Institute in the University of the Arctic in Kautokeino, Norway. More information on the event, including the Press Release and the Program are available at: <http://reindeerherding.org/>
- **March 31: Finnish National IPCC Committee meeting**, including 100-130 people from research, policy, and practice (Helsinki).
- **March 31: UNF South Africa event 10:00-12:00 (Johannesburg)**
Title: Report launch event in Johannesburg, South Africa
Description: This event was hosted by the Academy of Science in South Africa (ASSAF), with support from the UN Foundation and Nedbank and with co-sponsorship by the IPCC.
- **April 2-4: UNF events in China, including press conference and business/science roundtables (Beijing)**
Title: Report launch events in Beijing, China
Description: This series of events included a press conference, business round tables, and science round tables. The events are supported by the UN Foundation.
- **April 1: Brazil event in Rio de Janeiro; Hosts: UN Information Office in Rio, and WMO.**
Title: Report launch event in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.
Description: This report launch event is supported by the UN information office, the Brazilian Academy of Sciences, the National Academy of Sciences, and the UN Foundation. It is co-sponsored by the IPCC.
- **April 2-3: WMO/IPCC workshop for broadcast meteorologists in Paris**
- **April 10: 'To The Point'** (Public radio in LA)
- **April 11: World Bank Spring Meeting, WGII/III**
- **April 14 (afternoon): German government press conference**, including the Environment and Research ministries and with vice-chancellor.
- **April 16: Working Groups II and III report launch event, London, England**
An international climate science briefing and review for IPCC Working Groups II and III, organized by the Department of Energy and Climate Change. This cross-working-group event disseminated the results of the latest IPCC assessments among governmental advisors and representatives from science, industry, and civil society. It took place at the institution of civil engineers in London. [WGII/III London meeting with government advisors and representatives from science, NGOs, industry, and civil society. Host: DECC.

- **April 14-15: Ohio University/OSU** (Scripps Communication School) public session for WGII AR5, with emphasis on journalists.
- **April 18: Connecting the Dots 2014 at Stanford University: The climate, energy, food, and water nexus**
Location: Stanford University, USA
This event featured IPCC authors, building from the just-released assessments in a day of conversation on the interconnections and interactions among climate, energy, food, water, and environmental resources. Additional information on the event, including registration details, speaker information, and the agenda is available here: <http://tomkat.stanford.edu/ctd/>
- **April 21: UNF Mexico event (Mexico City)**
Title: Report launch event in Mexico City, Mexico
Description: This event was hosted by the Mexican Academy of Sciences and the National Academy of Sciences. It featured the WGII and WGIII reports.
- **April 22: Report launch event, Caracas, Venezuela**
This event was hosted by the Venezuelan National Academy of Sciences and will feature the WGII contribution to the AR5.
- **April 22: The Climate Group's live twitter Q&A, featuring co-chair Chris Field**
Location: Twitter.com
Join the Climate Group online for a live Q&A with Working Group II co-chair Chris Field. Dr.Field answered questions in the #CleanRevolution feed.
- **April 22: World Affairs Councils of America, Hot Topics conference call** with Chris Field (11 am Pacific time), moderated by Bill Clifford.
- **April 27-30: IIED CBA8** (8th community-based adaptation meeting) in Kathmandu, Nepal.
- **April 27-28: NAS Annual Meeting session in DC. Titled "climate change science and climate impacts"**
Title: IPCC Event at the National Academy of Sciences Annual Meeting
Date: April 27-28
The National Academy of Sciences and the Royal Society have produced a set of materials that present evidence of climate change, explain their causes, and discuss where uncertainties remain. Join NAS members Inez Fung, one of the lead authors on the RS/NAS document, and Chris Field, Co-Chair of IPCC Fifth Assessment Report on Climate Impacts, Adaptation, and Vulnerability, to discuss the latest findings.
- **April 30: Stakeholder Workshop: "Responding to Climate Change" Wellington, New Zealand**
Location: Wellington, New Zealand
This Stakeholder Workshop will cover the "Response to Climate Change" focusing on chapters with findings relevant to New Zealand. Chris Field (WGII Co-chair) and Lesley Hughes (Australasia chapter lead author) presented material via video-conference and join New Zealand lead authors in covering a range of material from the Summary for Policymakers through to the underlying chapter findings. Further information and registration instructions are available here: <http://www.royalsociety.org.nz/events/intergovernmental-panel-on-climate-changestakeholder-workshop/> [April 29: WGII-WGIII New Zealand outreach event.
- **May 6: Brussels event, WGII/III, EC**
Title: Climate change adaptation and mitigation: key messages from IPCC's AR5 and implications for policy and decision-making. Description: This event in Brussels, Belgium, is coordinated by the European Commission.

- **May 12-16: Adaptation Futures 2014 in Brazil. Hosts: CCST/INPE, PROVIA**
 Title: Adaptation Futures 2014: Third International Climate Change Adaptation Conference
 Location: Fortaleza, Brazil.
 Description: As described on the meeting website (<http://adaptationfutures2014.ccst.inpe.br/>), Adaptation Futures 2014 was co-hosted and convened by the Earth System Science Center of the National Institute for Space Studies (CCST-INPE) from Brazil and by UNEP's Programme of Research on Climate Change Vulnerability, Impacts and Adaptation (PROVIA). The conference brought together researchers, policy makers, and practitioners from developed and developing countries to share insights into the challenges and opportunities that adaptation presents, and to share strategies for decision making from the international to the local scale.
- **May 15-16: Climate science event at the University of Exeter, covering all 3 Working Groups**
 Title: WGI-III Climate Science Event at the University of Exeter
 Location: Exeter, England
 Description: This event was jointly supported by the UK Met Office and the University of Exeter. It brought together authors and co-chairs from across the working groups.
- **May 15: Pacific launch in Fiji**
 Title: WGII/III Pacific launch in Fiji
 Location: Suva, Fiji
 Description: This event featured presentations by WGII and WGIII authors and IPCC leaders across the working groups. It will take place at the University of the South Pacific.
- **May 19: Pacific launch in Samoa**
 Title: WGII/III Pacific launch in Samoa
 Location: Apia, Samoa
 Description: This event will feature presentations by WGII and WGIII authors and IPCC leaders across the working groups. It will take place at the National University of Samoa. [Chris Field by video]
- **May 19: "Reading Conference" London event for business and the public sector (WGII/III)**
 Title: Reading Conference event for business in the public sector
 Location: London, England
 Description: This event was a combined effort of the Walker Institute of the University of Reading, Grantham Institute at Imperial, and the UK Met Office. It highlighted the assessments of IPCC WGII and WGIII.
- **May 19: UNU-EHS outreach**
 Title: UNU-EHS outreach event on the WGII AR5
 Location: Bonn, Germany
 Description: This event featured IPCC authors in communication with the scientific community, NGOs, and ministries. The new conceptualization of vulnerability and risk in the AR5 was highlighted. The event was organized in cooperation with the Climate Services Centres.
- **May 20-21: Norway event for government, private sector, organizations. May 20 involves high-level meetings between Chris and leaders in insurance, water/energy, climate/environment, and with negotiators. May 21 involved 9-5 conference in Oslo.**
 Title: AR5 report event in Norway
 Location: Oslo, Norway
 Description: This event involved discussion of the AR5 among government, private sector, and other organizations.

- **June 2: World Bank WGII/III event, including Rachel Kyte and Marianne Fay**
 Format to include 10:00-12:30 event and afternoon internal meetings (energy, transport, DRR)
 Title: How Climate Change Affects Global Development: WGII/III event at the World Bank
 Location: Washington, DC.
 Description: This event involves live-streamed presentations from co-chairs Chris Field and Ottmar Edenhofer, as well as World Bank Vice-President and Special Envoy for Climate Change Rachel Kyte. See <http://live.worldbank.org/how-climate-change-affects-globaldevelopment> for a live blog and Q&A during the event, from 10:00am to 12:30pm (ET).
- **June 3: Climate One, San Francisco**, on science and business risk.
- **June 4-15: subsidiary bodies of UNFCCC (SBI, SBSTA, ADP), in Bonn, Germany**
 Description: WGII co-chairs and authors made a series of presentations to the UNFCCC in Bonn, Germany, from June 4-15: On June 4, there was a special event organized by the IPCC and the UNFCCC Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technical Advice (SBSTA) on the WGII AR5. Chris Field spoke at the high-level ministerial lunch on June 5. Co-chairs and authors also participated in the Structured Expert Dialogue on the 2013-2015 review, in the SBSTA Research Dialogue, and in the Adaptation Committee. See http://www.ipcc.ch/news_and_events/outreach.shtml for more information
- **June 17: Presentation to the Organization of American States Policies Meeting, 59th Round Table: “A dialogue on climate change policies.”**
 Title: “A dialogue on climate change policies”: Round Table of the Organization of American States Policies Meeting
 Location: Washington, DC
 Description:[Vicente Barros] delivered a presentation on the Working Group II AR5 to the Organization of American States Policies Meeting, 59th Round Table.
- **June 18-27: WMO Executive Council meeting in Geneva (EC-66) on June 19 for WMO Executive Council and Geneva Environment Network**
 June 19: WGII/III Co-chair lunch-time IPCC side event (13:30-14:30) for WMO Executive Council 66th session (EC-66), and Geneva Environment Network for WGII/III event (10:00-12:00).
- **June 23-28: SBSTTA 18 CBD in Montréal**
 Title: SBSTTA 18 - Eighteenth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice, Convention on Biological Diversity
 Location: Montréal, Canada
 Description: SBSTTA 18 will feature presentations on the Working Group II AR5. For more information, see <http://www.cbd.int/SBSTTA/>
- **July 4: Outreach event in Kuala Lumpur, organized by the government of Malaysia**
 Title: IPCC Outreach Event in Malaysia
 Location: Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 Description: This outreach event in Kuala Lumpur was organized by the government of Malaysia. It featured presentations on the IPCC AR5 by co-chairs and authors from across the working groups.
- **July 7: Singapore event for all working groups**
 One or 1.5 day event, with IPCC speakers drawing from CWT4 and regional participants. Schedule included stakeholder event, press conference, political leadership meeting, business sector meetings, policy-implication workshops, and science workshops.

- July 9: Manila, Philippines outreach event for all working groups**
 Title: IPCC Outreach Event in the Philippines
 Location: Manila, Philippines
 Description: This outreach event in Manila was organized in coordination with the government of the Philippines. It featured presentations on the IPCC AR5 by co-chairs and authors from across the working groups along with presentations from regional participants.
- July 11: Jakarta, Indonesia outreach event for all working groups**
 Title: IPCC Outreach Event in Indonesia
 Location: Jakarta, Indonesia
 Description: This outreach event in Jakarta is organized in coordination with the government of Indonesia. It will feature presentations on the IPCC AR5 by co-chairs and authors from across the working groups along with presentations from regional participants.
- July 11-13: Climate Parliament forum in Shanghai**
 Title: Climate Parliament forum in Shanghai
 Location: Shanghai, China
 Description: The international parliamentary forum featured a presentation from WGII co-chair Chris Field. The meeting brought together legislators, analysts, and investors from around the world to discuss implications of the changing climate. For more information, see <http://www.climateparl.net/cp/409&lang=en>
- July 31-August 1, 1.5 days: Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN) event in Nairobi, Kenya.**
 Government co-host: Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Water and Natural resources and the Ministry of Environment. Further co-host and venue provider: Kenya Climate Innovation Centre. WGI-III with 2-3 focus. Format includes internal launch for government, young scientist event, and public launch (government, civil society, private sector, etc.). Media event on July 30 note: UNF and TF to provide travel support for authors.
 Title: Outreach event for the IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report and what's in it for Africa
 Location: Nairobi, Kenya
 Description: This event was organized by the Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN). It focused on the conclusions of the Fifth Assessment Report, across the working groups. Participants and IPCC scientists will discuss the implications of the science for Africa. For more information, see: <http://cdkn.org/event/kenya-launch-ar5/>
- August 4-8: UC Berkeley Museum of Paleontology**
 Teachers workshop for Understanding Global Change website for K-16 teachers.
- August 6: CDKN India event in New Delhi**
 Co-hosts: National Planning Commission and Ministry of Environment and Forest, Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Indian Meteorological Department. Potential co-host and venue provider: TERI. WGI-III with 2-3 focus. Format includes internal launch for government, young scientist event, and public launch (government, civil society, private sector, etc.) note: UNF and TF to provide travel support for authors.
 Title: Outreach event for the IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report and what it means for India.
 Location: New Delhi, India
 Description: This event was organized by the Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN). It focused on the conclusions of the Fifth Assessment Report, across the working groups. Participants and IPCC scientists will discuss the implications of the science for India. For more information, see: <http://cdkn.org/event/india-launch-ar5/>
- August 7: CDKN Bangladesh event in Dhaka**
 Co-host and venue provider: SAARC Meteorological Research Center and National Ministry of Planning, Ministry of Food and Disaster Management, Federation of Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industry. WGI-III with 2-3 focus. Format includes internal

launch for government, young scientist event, and public launch (government, civil society, private sector, etc.) note: UNF and TF to provide travel support for authors.

Title: Outreach event for the IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report and what's in it for South Asia.

Location: Dhaka, Bangladesh

Description: This event was organized by the Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN). It focused on the conclusions of the Fifth Assessment Report, across the working groups. Participants and IPCC scientists will discuss the implications of the science for South Asia. For more information, see: <http://cdkn.org/event/bangladesh-launch-ar5/>

- **August 11: CDKN Pakistan event in Islamabad**

Government co-host: Development Planning Commission and Federation of Pakistan Chamber of Commerce and Industry. WGI-III with 2-3 focus. Format includes internal launch for government, young scientist event, and public launch (government, civil society, private sector, etc.) note: UNF and TF to provide travel support for authors.

Title: Outreach event for the IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report and what's in it for South Asia.

Location: Islamabad, Pakistan

Description: This event was organized by the Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN). It focused on the conclusions of the Fifth Assessment Report, across the working groups. Participants and IPCC scientists will discuss the implications of the science for South Asia. For more information, see: <http://cdkn.org/event/pakistan-launch-ar5/>

- **August 13: ESA IPCC special session 8-10 PM, in Sacramento**

Title: The US National Climate Assessment and the IPCC Fifth Assessment Report: What's in it for Ecologists?

Location: Sacramento Convention Center

Description: At this session in Sacramento, California, authors provided an overview of key findings of the IPCC AR5 and the US National Climate Assessment, as well as outreach efforts to date. The discussion addressed ways for ecologists to utilize the report, to help with outreach, and to contribute to future assessments. For more information, please see: <http://eco.confex.com/eco/2014/webprogram/Session10366.html>

Future Events

- **August 18-19: CDKN Ethiopia event**

Government co-host: Ministry of Environment and Forest. Further co-host and venue provider: Ethiopia Academy of Sciences. WGI-III with 2-3 focus. Format includes internal launch for government, young scientist event, and public launch (government, civil society, private sector, etc.) note: UNF and TF to provide travel support for authors.

Title: Outreach event for the IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report and what's in it for Africa

Location: Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Description: This event is organized by the Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN). It will focus on the conclusions of the Fifth Assessment Report, across the working groups. Participants and IPCC scientists will discuss the implications of the science for Africa. For more information, see: <http://cdkn.org/event/ethiopia-launch-ar5/>

- **August 21-22: CDKN Uganda event**

Government co-host: Ministry of Water and Environment. Further co-host and venue provider: Makerere University. WGI-III with 2-3 focus. Format includes internal launch for government, young scientist event, and public launch (government, civil society, private sector, etc.) note: UNF and TF to provide travel support for authors.

Title: Outreach event for the IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report and what's in it for Africa

Location: Kampala, Uganda

Description: This event is organized by the Climate and Development Knowledge

Network (CDKN). It will focus on the conclusions of the Fifth Assessment Report, across the working groups. Participants and IPCC scientists will discuss the implications of the science for Africa. For more information, see: <http://cdkn.org/event/uganda-launch-ar5/>

- **August 25-27: The Third Nordic International Conference on Climate Change Adaptation.** Organized by Centre for Regional change in the Earth System (CRES). In Copenhagen. Danish ministers to attend. <http://nordicadaptation2014.net/frontpage/>
- **September 4: Swiss Energy and Climate Summit**
- **September 15: Bulgarian School of Politics**, with mostly a policymaker audience.
- **September 25: IPIECA Workshop** to share AR5 key findings with oil, gas, and wider business and industry colleagues. Washington, DC.
- **October 1-3: WGII/III Outreach event in Caracas, Venezuela.** In Spanish. To include background on WGII/III report development and on future IPCC work, a science workshop with capacity building, and a practice/policy forum on how reports are being used.
- **October 7: Town of Woodside's Green Vision event:** extreme climate impacts, adaptation, and what to do.
- **October 24: The Round Table at Stanford University:** "The climate change conversation you haven't heard" during the reunion homecoming weekend. 9:30-11:30am. (Melinda Sacks contact).
- **October 24-25, 27-31, November 2:** SYR pre-meeting, approval, press conference.
- **November 3-4: 18th annual Chatham House conference on climate change:** "Raising Ambition, Delivering Results."
- **November 5: Climate Change Lecture Series in Dublin, Ireland.**
- **November 6: Isle of Man** presentations including a presentation to politicians and CEOs, a presentation to directors and professional bodies, and a public address.
- **November 9-12: International Conference on Mountain People Adapting to Change.** Kathmandu, Nepal. Organized by the International Center for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD).
- **November 10-13: South Africa National Climate Change Conference** Conference hosted by the Department of Environmental Affairs, with IPCC co-sponsorship.
- **November 17: Integrated Assessment Modeling Consortium annual meeting** in College Park, MD.
- **November 25: Impacts and adaptation international symposium (RECCA/S-8) at University of Tokyo**
- **July 7-10 2015: Conference on "Our common future under climate change.** Paris international science conference in preparation of COP 21. Supported by the French government, ICSU, Future Earth, and others. Hosted by UNESCO.

ANNEX 3

WGIII outreach events

WGIII Co-Chairs and authors presented the WGIII contribution to the AR5 at a number of dedicated national and regional launch events and diverse conferences, workshops and meetings.

Launch Events

- Apr 14, 2014, Berlin, Germany: **Science & Policy - Exploring Climate Solutions**
Technische Universität Berlin
WGIII Presenters:
Prof. Dr. Ottmar Edenhofer, Co-Chair of Working Group III of the IPCC
Dr. Youba Sokona, Co-Chair of Working Group III of the IPCC
Dr. Ramón Pichs-Madruga, Co-Chair of Working Group III of the IPCC
- Apr 14, 2014, Prague, Czech Republic: **Launch of WGIII AR5**
Czech Climate Coalition
WGIII Presenter:
Jim Skea, Vice-Chair IPCC Working Group III
- Apr 16, 2014, London, UK: **Presentation of the IPCC Working Groups II & III contributions to the Fifth Assessment Report**
Headquarters of the Institution of Civil Engineers
WGIII Presenters:
Ottmar Edenhofer, Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III
Jim Skea, Vice-Chair IPCC Working Group III
- Apr 16, 2014, Zurich, Switzerland: **Auswirkungen des Klimawandels und Klimapolitik: Ergebnisse des 5. IPCC Berichts**
Universität Zürich
WGIII Presenter:
Axel Michaelowa, Lead Author Chapter 13 “International Cooperation”
- Apr 28, 2014, Vienna, Austria: **Bericht des Weltklimarats IPCC 2014 - Launch Event of the Austrian Government**
TU Wien
WGIII Presenters:
Jan Minx, IPCC, Head of Technical Support Unit of Working Group III, Author Summary for Policymakers, Coordinating Lead Author Technical Summary
Keywan Riahi, IIASA, Program Director Energy, Author Summary for Policymakers, Lead Author Technical Summary and Chapter 7 “Energy Systems”
Volker Krey, IIASA, Deputy Program Director Energy, Author Summary for Policymakers, Lead Author Technical Summary and Chapter 6 “Assessing Transformation Pathways”
Helmut Haberl, Leiter Institut für soziale Ökologie, Uni Klagenfurt, Lead Author Chapter 11 “Agriculture, Forestry and other Land Use”
- May 06, 2014, Brussels, Belgium: **Climate Change Adaptation & Mitigation: key messages from IPCC's 5th Assessment Report and Implications for Policy and Decision Making**
European Commission, Charlemagne Building
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer, Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III

- May 21, 2014, Oslo, Norway: **Vulnerability, risk and solutions: On the inside of IPCC reports**
Ingeniørenes Hus
WGIII Presenter:
Thomas Bruckner, Coordinating Lead Author, WGIII Chapter "Energy Systems"

5.3.2 Conferences, workshops, meetings

- Apr 27, 2014, Vienna, Austria: **European Geosciences Union General Assembly 2014**
Vienna Congress Center
Youba Sokona - Working Group III, Co-Chair
- Apr 28, 2014, London, UK: **The Climate Group's 10th anniversary event - Low Carbon Growth and Opportunity: Paris and Beyond**
Kings Place
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer, IPCC Working Group III Co-Chair
- May 05, 2014, Geneva, Switzerland: **Joint GCOS/GOFC-GOLD Workshop on Observations for Climate Change Mitigation**
WMO Headquarters, Geneva, Switzerland
WGIII Presenter:
Cheikh Mbow - Working Group III, Lead Author Chapter 11 "Agriculture, Forestry and other Land Use"
- May 6, 2014, Havana, Cuba: **Conference on "The Science of Climate Change: IPCC Perspective"**
National Group of Collaborators, Centre for World Economy Studies (CIEM).
WGIII Presenter:
Ramón Pichs-Madruga. Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III
- May 15, 2014, Exeter, UK: **Transformational Climate Science 2014**
University of Exeter
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer, IPCC Working Group III Co-Chair
- May 27, 2014, Bonn, Germany: **The latest assessment report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC): Summarizing health implications for environment and health professionals**
WHO, UN Premises
WGIII Presenter:
Jan Minx - Head of TSU Working Group III
- Jun 02, 2014, Washington D.C., USA: **How Climate Change Affects our Mission: The New IPCC Report**
The World Bank, Washington D.C.
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer - Co-Chair Working Group III
- June 5, 2014, Havana, Cuba: **Conference on "The Science of Climate Change: IPCC Perspective"**
National Academy of Sciences - Section of Natural Sciences.
WGIII Presenter:
Ramón Pichs-Madruga. Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III

- June 5, 2014, Havana, Cuba: **Conference on “The Science of Climate Change: IPCC Perspective”**
Higher Institute of Technology & Applied Sciences (INSTEC)
WGIII Presenter:
Ramón Pichs-Madruga. Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III
- Jun 06, 2014, Bonn, Germany: **UNFCCC SBSTA40 - IPCC Special Event on WGIII contribution to AR5**
Maritim Hotel, Bonn/Germany
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer - Co-Chair, Working Group III
- Jun 07, 2014, Bonn, Germany: **SBSTA40 - IPCC Special Event: Common metrics to calculate the carbon dioxide equivalence of greenhouse gasses**
Maritim Hotel, Bonn/Germany
WGIII Presenter:
Michael Hanemann - Working Group III Lead Author Chapter 3 “Social, Economic and Ethical Concepts”
- Jun 08, 2014, Bonn, Germany: **UNFCCC SBSTA40 - The third meeting of the structured expert dialogue on the 2013-2015 review (SED3)**
Maritim Hotel, Bonn/Germany
WGIII Presenters:
Ottmar Edenhofer - Co-Chair Working Group III
Volker Krey, Working Group III Lead Author Chapter 6 "Assessing Transformation Pathways"
Joyashree Roy, Working Group III Coordinating Lead Author Chapter 10 "Industry"
Axel Michaelowa, Working Group III Lead Author Chapter 13 "International Cooperation"
Gabriel Blanco, Working Group III Coordinating Lead Author Chapter 5 "Drivers, Trends and Mitigation"
Sivan Kartha, Working Group III Coordinating Lead Author Chapter 4 "Sustainable Development and Equity"
Luis Gomez, Working Group III Lead Author Chapter 16 "Investment and Finance"
- Jun 13, 2014, Kiel, Germany: **IfW Centenary Conference “Fair and Sustainable Prosperity in the Global Economy”**
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer - Co-Chair, IPCC Working Group III
- Jun 17, 2014, Rabat, Morocco: **Summer School on Multilateral Environmental Agreements and green jobs**
Francophonie Institute for Sustainable Development
WGIII Presenter:
Youba Sokona - Working Group III, Co-Chair
- Jun 19, 2014, Geneva, Switzerland: **Presentation of the IPCC WGII & III Contributions to the Fifth Assessment Report**
Geneva Environment Network (GEN)
WGIII Presenter:
Elmar Kriegler - Working Group III Lead Author Chapter 6 “Assessing Transformation Pathways”

- Jun 19, 2014, Geneva, Switzerland: **IPCC side event to the WMO Executive Council sixty-sixth session: Highlights of the IPCC AR5 Working Groups' reports**
WMO
WGIII Presenter:
Elmar Kriegler - Working Group III Lead Author Chapter 6 "Assessing Transformation Pathways"
- Jun 29, 2014, Istanbul, Turkey: **World Congress of Environmental and Resource Economists WCERE 2014**
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer - Co-Chair, Working Group III
- Jul 04, 2014, Putrajaya, Malaysia: **Workshop on IPCC Fifth Assessment Report (IPCC-AR5)**
Putrajaya Shangri-La Hotel
WGIII Presenters:
Youba Sokona - Working Group III, Co-Chair
Nijavalli H. Ravindranath - Working Group III, Lead Author Chapter 11 "Agriculture, Forestry and other Land Use"
- Jul 11, 2014, Jakarta, Indonesia: **IPCC AR5 Event: Key insights from the Working Group II and Working Group III contributions to the IPCC Fifth Assessment Report Indonesian Agency for Meteorology, Climatology and Geophysics (BMKG)**
WGIII Presenters:
Jim Skea - Working Group III, Vice-Chair
Nijavalli H. Ravindranath - Lead Author Chapter 11 "Agriculture, Forestry and other Land Use"
- Jul 31, 2014, Nairobi, Kenya: **Outreach event for the IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report "The IPCC'S Fifth Assessment Report - What does it mean for Kenya's development?"**
WGIII Presenter:
Cheikh Mbow - Lead Author Chapter 11 "Agriculture, Forestry and other Land Use"
- Aug 06, 2014, Delhi, India: **IPCC AR5: What it means for a stronger, more inclusive India**
India Habitat Centre
WGIII Presenters:
Shobhakar Dhakal, Coordinating Lead Author Chapter 12 "Human settlements, infrastructure and spatial planning"
Navroz Dubash, Lead Author Chapter 15 "National and subnational policies and institutions"
Joyashree Roy, Coordinating Lead Author Chapter 10 "Industry"
- Aug 07, 2014, Dhaka, Bangladesh: **Outreach on IPCC's Fifth Assessment Report**
WGIII Presenters:
Mizan Khan, Lead Author Chapter 3 "Social, Economic and Ethical Concepts"
Dipal Chandra Barua, Lead Author Chapter 16 "Investment and Finance"
- Aug 11, 2014, Bogota, Colombia, **Second high level dialogue on sustainable cities, transport and tourism - Rio +20**
WGIII Presenter:
Youba Sokona, WGIII Co-Chair

- Aug 10, 2014, Islamabad, Pakistan: **Socioeconomic aspects of climate change: Mitigation state of research, gaps and collaborations**
WGIII Presenter:
Joyashree Roy - Coordinating Lead Author Chapter 10 "Industry"
- Aug 18, 2014, Bonn, Germany: **UNFCCC - Ninth meeting of the Technology Executive Committee**
United Nations Campus
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer - Co-Chair, Working Group III
- Aug 18, 2014, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia: **The IPCC Fifth Assessment Report: what does it mean for Ethiopia's development?**
United Nations Conference Centre
WGIII Presenters:
Youba Sokona, WGIII Co-Chair
Shuaib Lwasa, Lead Author Chapter 12 "Human settlements, infrastructure and spatial planning"
- Aug 21, 2014, Kampala, Uganda: **The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change: Fifth Assessment Report - What does it mean for Uganda's development?**
WGIII Presenters:
Youba Sokona, WGIII Co-Chair
Joyashree Roy, Coordinating Lead Author Chapter 10 "Industry"
Shuaib Lwasa, Lead Author Chapter 12 "Human Settlements, Infrastructure and Spatial Planning"
- Aug 25, 2014, Copenhagen, Denmark: **The Third Nordic International Conference on Climate Change Adaptation**
Adapting to Change: From Research to Decision-making
WGIII Presenter:
Neil Strachan, Lead Author Chapter 7 'Energy Systems'

5.3.3 Online/televised events

- Apr 16, 2014, **World Business Council for Sustainable Development Meeting Video Conference**
WGIII Presenter:
Ottmar Edenhofer, Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III
- April 22, 2014: Havana, Cuba: **"The Science of Climate Change: IPCC Perspective" TV Conference – Educational Channel**
WGIII Presenter:
Ramón Pichs-Madruga. Co-Chair IPCC Working Group III