



## **HARNESSING DEVELOPMENT GAINS FROM COMMODITIES PRODUCTION AND TRADE**

**10:00–10:30**

*Opening statement:*

### **OPENING INAUGURAL PLENARY**

**Dr. Supachai Panitchpakdi**, Secretary-General, UNCTAD

**10:30–11:30**

### **STATEMENTS FROM INAUGURAL PANEL**

- **Hon. Gabriel Mbaga Obiang Lima**, Minister of Mines, Industry and Energy, Equatorial Guinea (TBC)
- **Ms. Valentine Sendenyoye Rugwabiza**, Deputy Director-General, WTO (TBC)
- **Mr. David Hallam**, Director, Trade and Markets Division, FAO

**11:30–13:00**

### **JOINT PLENARY-PARALLEL SESSION A1/B1**

#### **RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL COMMODITIES TRADE, THEIR IMPACTS AND IMPLICATIONS**

*Moderator:*

**Mr. Taffere Tesfachew**, Director, Division for Africa, Least Developed Countries and Special Programmes, UNCTAD (TBC)

*Speakers:*

- **Ambassador Richard Jones**, Deputy Executive Director, IEA
- **Mr. David Hallam**, Director, Trade and Markets Division, FAO
- **Mr. Urs Rybi**, Commodities Expert, Déclaration de Berne
- **Mr. Gbolahan Elias (SAN)**, G Elias & Co (Solicitors and Advocates), Nigeria

**13:00–15:00**

### **LUNCH BREAK**

**15:00–16:30**

### **PLENARY SESSION A2**

#### **THE SOVEREIGN DEBT CRISIS AND ITS IMPACTS ON COMMODITIES PRODUCTION AND TRADE**

*Moderator:*

- **H.E. Luis Manuel Piantini Munnigh**, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of the Dominican Republic in Geneva (TBC)

*Speakers:*

- **Mr. Marc Auboin**, Counsellor, Economics Research and Statistics Division, WTO
- **Expert**, Diapason Commodities (TBC)
- **Expert**, Union Bancaire Privée (TBC)
- **Expert**, Effects of the debt crisis on African mining sector (TBC)

**16:30 - 18:00**

### **PLENARY SESSION A3**

#### **TRADE-RELATED FINANCIAL INNOVATIONS DEVELOPED IN RESPONSE TO THE POST-2008 CREDIT CRUNCH**

*Moderator:*

- **Expert**, Deloitte (TBC)

*Speakers:*

- **Mr. Ke Tang**, Associate Professor, Renmin University of China
- **Mr. Anthony Belchambers**, CEO, Futures and Options Associations

**18:30–20:00**

Private reception at Delegates' Restaurant (Restaurant des délégués), Building A, 8th floor  
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**10:00–13:00**

#### **PLENARY SESSION A4/5**

##### **KEY CHALLENGES FACING COMMODITY-DEPENDENT DEVELOPING COUNTRIES**

*Moderator:*

- **Mr. Kwabena Baah-Duodu**, Chief a.i., Office of the Secretary-General, UNCTAD

*Speakers:*

- **Mr. Juan Gonzales**, Head of Public Policy and Partnerships, Syngenta
- **Mr. Franck Galtier**, Senior Economist, CIRAD
- **Mr. Andrei Guitchounts**, Economist, ICAC
- **Mr. Guillaume Loonis-Quelen**, Partner, UMMU
- **Mr. Christian Häberli**, Senior Research Fellow, World Trade Institute
- **Expert**, Platts (TBC)

**13:00–15:00**

#### **LUNCH BREAK**

**15:00–16:30**

#### **PLENARY SESSION A6**

##### **IDENTIFYING EMERGING OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CHANGING GLOBAL ENERGY MIX**

*Moderator:*

- **Mr. Rouben Indjikian**, Former Chief, Special Unit on Commodities, UNCTAD (TBC)

*Speakers:*

- **Hon. Gabriel Mbaga Obiang Lima**, Minister of Mines, Industry and Energy, Equatorial Guinea (TBC)
- **Mr. Nabil Alami**, LPG expert
- **Expert**, LNG in the USA, Cheniere (TBC)
- **Expert**, LNG in Pakistan (TBC)

**16:30–17:30**

#### **PLENARY SESSION A7**

##### **PRACTICAL EXAMPLES OF HARNESSING GAINS FROM COMMODITY VALUE CHAIN DEVELOPMENT**

*Moderator:*

- **H.E. Juan José Gómez Camacho**, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Mexico in Geneva (TBC)

*Speakers:*

- **Mr. Kassaye Mekuria**, President, Ethiopian Textile and Garment Manufacturers' Association (ETGAMA)
- **Mr. Alexander Malaket**, President, OPUS Advisory Services International
- **Ms. Annick Gouba**, Consultant, Audit Control and Expertise Global (ACE)

**17:30–18:00**

#### **GCF CLOSING SESSION**



## **DEVELOPING SUPPLY MARKETS IN COMMODITY-DEPENDENT COUNTRIES**

**11:30–13:00**

**JOINT PLENARY-PARALLEL SESSION A1/B1 (ROOM XVIII - SEE ABOVE)  
RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL COMMODITIES TRADE, THEIR  
IMPACTS AND IMPLICATIONS**

**13:00–15:00**

*LUNCH BREAK*

**15:00 - 18:00**

**PARALLEL SESSION B2/3  
IN PRACTICE: FINANCING COMMODITY-BASED DEVELOPMENT IN COMMODITY-  
DEPENDENT DEVELOPING COUNTRIES**

*Moderator:*

- **Mr. John MacNamara**, Managing Director, Deutsche Bank

*Speakers:*

- **Mr. B.O. Oromah**, Executive Vice-President, Afrexim Bank
- **Mr. Jean-François Lambert**, Global Head of Structured Finance, HSBC
- **Expert**, Structured Finance, BNP Parisbas (TBC)
- **Mr. Gilles Thieffry**, Solicitor, GT Law
- **Ms. Veronika Koroleva**, SNR Denton Law
- **Ms. Celia Gardner**, Watson, Farley and Williams Law

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**PARALLEL SESSION B4/5**

**EXPANDING ACCESS TO MARKETS AND TRADE-ENABLING TOOLS**

*Moderator:*

- **Mr. Pierre Etoa Abena**, Technical Advisor, International Trade, National Coffee and Cocoa Board of Cameroon (NCCB)

*Speakers:*

- **Mr. Jean-François Casanova**, Managing Partner, Strategic Risk Management
- **Mr. Bogdan Rascanu**, Head of Business Development, Audit Control and Expertise Global (ACE)
- **Mr. Bharat Kulkarni**, Independent Consultant
- **Expert**, Access to credit in LDCs (TBC)
- **Expert**, Inspections (TBC)
- **Expert**, Intelligence in the commodities sector (TBC)

**13:00–15:00**

**LUNCH BREAK**

**15:00–17:30**

**PARALLEL SESSION B6/7**

**IDENTIFYING POTENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR COLLABORATION, INCLUDING PRESENTATIONS BY SERVICE PROVIDERS**

*Moderator:*

- **H.E. Dante Martinelli**, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Switzerland in Geneva (TBC)

*Speakers:*

- **Mr. Daouda Fall**, CEO, Brahms Consulting Company
- **Expert**, Next Maritime, Spain (TBC)
- **Other speakers** TBC

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