



This Week

17–21 OCTOBER 2011



Meetings and events

UNCTAD XIII Preparatory Committee, 17 October 2011, Geneva. [More >>](#)

Training of Trainers workshop on Modern Port Management for developing countries, 18–27 October 2011, Dublin, Ireland. [More >>](#)

Launch of the Information Economy Report 2011, 19 October 2011, Geneva. [More >>](#)

Pacific Regional Capacity Building Workshop on Enhancing Access to Finance for the Agricultural Sector, 20–21 October 2011, Nadi, Fiji. [More >>](#)

Newly published

UNCTAD Investment Policy Monitor No. 6 ([PDF](#))

The deepening of the financial and economic crisis has not yet had an impact on foreign investment policies, although there are signs that countries are becoming more and more concerned about the impact of inward and outward investment on their economies. [More >>](#)

Report of the Trade and Development Board on its fifty-eighth session ([PDF](#))

Updates

UNCTAD signs memorandum of understanding with Spain's Puertos del Estado

The MoU will enhance cooperation between UNCTAD and the Spanish port authorities through a training programme aimed at strengthening the capacities of port managers. [More >>](#)

Coming up

Short courses on key international economic issues: The general state of food security and agricultural commodity markets in developing countries, 24 October 2011, Geneva. [More >>](#)

Third meeting of the Working Group on Improvements to the Internet Governance Forum (IGF), 31 October – 2 November 2011, Geneva. [More >>](#)

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