



This Week

5-9 DECEMBER 2011



Meetings and events

Informal Consultations of the President of the Trade and Development Board, 5 Dec. 2011, 9 a.m., Room XXVI, Palais des Nations.

Multi-year expert meeting on investment for development, fourth session, 5-6 Dec. 2011, Geneva. [More >>](#)

Multi-year expert meeting on transport and trade facilitation, fourth session, 7-9 Dec. 2011, Geneva. [More >>](#)

Expert group meeting: Addressing the vulnerabilities of small island developing States more effectively – UNCTAD XIII pre-event, 5-6 Dec. 2011, Mauritius. [More >>](#)

Module 3 of UNCTAD Port Training Programme, 5-9 Dec. 2011, Takoradi, Ghana. [More >>](#)

Newly published

Technology and Innovation Report 2011

The newly released report focuses on the important role of renewable energy technologies in responding to the dual challenge of reducing energy poverty while mitigating climate change. [More >>](#)

[Statements and presentations](#), [audio](#) and [video](#) from the Trade and Development Board, fifty-fourth executive session (LDCs).

Making Aid Work for Inclusive Development: Turning Words into Deeds, ALDC Policy Focus no. 1 ([PDF](#))

Investment Promotion Handbook for Diplomats ([PDF](#))

Services, Trade and Development ([PDF](#))

Updates

Strengthening the South-South development agenda

South-South cooperation is on a strongly rising trend, but developing countries' economies remain in many ways dependent on those of the North. Participants of the joint UNCTAD-South Centre workshop call for a broader South-South agenda to build productive capacities across the developing world. [More >>](#)

Coming up

Short courses on key international economic issues – Science, technology and innovation for development: Key policy issues, 12 Dec. 2011, Geneva. [More >>](#)

Third seminar of the UNCTAD Port Training Programme, 12-16 Dec. 2011, Dar-es-Salaam, United Republic of Tanzania. [More >>](#)

[Commission on Science and Technology for Development](#) 2011-2012 Inter-sessional Panel, 13-15 Dec. 2011, Manila, Philippines. [More >>](#)

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