



UNCTAD Symposium on International Investment *for Development*

Setting the Agenda for Policy-orientated Research: the Next Ten
Years

Date: 15–16 March 2010

Venue: Palais des Nations, Geneva

Provisional Programme

MONDAY 15 MARCH	
Opening Plenary	
10:00–10:45 Room XXVI	Plenary 1 Chair: James Zhan Opening Session In celebration of the work and vision of John H. Dunning
10:45–11:00	<i>Coffee / Tea Break</i>
11:00–13:00 Room XXVI	Plenary 2 Chair: James Zhan The Emerging TNC-Development Paradigm
13:00–14:30 3rd floor	<i>Lunch in the Escargot Bar</i>
Thematic Workshops	
14:30–16:00 Room XXVI	Workshop I Chairs: Rashmi Banga and Axèle Giroud South-South FDI
Room XXV	Workshop II Chairs: Sarianna Lundan and Sikander Khan Institutions, TNCs and Development
16:00–16:30	<i>Coffee / Tea Break</i>

16:30–18:00

Room XXVI

Workshop III

Chairs: Sam Muradzikwa and Hafiz Mirza
PPPs, TNCs and the Infrastructure Challenge

Room XXV

Workshop IV

Chairs: Rajneesh Narula and B.L. Pandit
Future directions in the theory of TNCs and FDI

19:00–21:00

Reception: Delegates Restaurant

Tuesday 16 March

Thematic Workshops

9:30–11:00

Room XXVI

Workshop V

Chairs: Rob van Tulder and Joseph Yap
Poverty and FDI: a forward-looking agenda for
developing countries

Room XXV

Workshop VI

Chairs: Jeremy Clegg and Fabienne Fortanier
Methodological issues arising from the widening TNC-
host country interface

11:00–11:30

Coffee / Tea Break

11:30–13:00

Room XXVI

Workshop VII

Chairs: Kee Hwee Wee and Stephen Gelb
Investing in the poor: TNC and Policy Maker perspectives
in the agriculture and food value chain

Room XXV

Workshop VIII

Chairs: Ans Kolk and Ralf Krueger
Defining the role of TNCs in Climate Change

13:00–14:00

3rd floor

Lunch in the Escargot Bar

Closing plenary

14:00–16:00

Room XXVI

Plenary 3

Closing Session: Marking 20 Years of the World
Investment Report and looking to the Future
Feedback from Rapporteurs
Setting the agenda for policy-related research
Building on the Symposium: the way forward

16:00–

Coffee / Tea Break

Close of Symposium