

Lin-gang, Shanghai

Project on Resilient, Green and Transformative Development in Asian Belt and Road Countries

Programme

9-10 July 2025

Venue: Radisson Collection Lingang, Shanghai

Day I: 09 July 2025, 8.30 a.m. -5.30 p.m.

8.30 – 9.00 a.m. Registration and Coffee

9.00 – 9.20 a.m. Opening Remarks

Dr. Stephanie Blankenburg, Chief of Branch, UNCTAD, Geneva, Switzerland

Mr. WANG Xuekun, President, Chinese Academy of International Trade and Economic Cooperation (CAITEC), China

9.20 – 10.50 a.m. **Session 1: Green transformative development in the Global South: Binding constraints and opportunities**

Chair Ms. YAO Ling, Senior Research Fellow, Director of the Institute of European Studies, CAITEC

Presentations Dr. Stephanie Blankenburg, Chief of Branch, UNCTAD

Dr. Jeronim Capaldo, Senior Economic Officer, UNCTAD

	Mr. JIN Xiaoming, Director of the China Association for International Science and Technology Cooperation Professor DONG Birong, President of Nanjing Audit University, China
	Questions and Answers
10.50–11.00 a.m.	Coffee Break
11.00 a.m - 12.45 p.m.	Session 2: Green industrial and development policies: Experiences from the project countries
Chair	Dr. Stephanie Blankenburg, Chief of Branch, UNCTAD
Presentation(s)	Dr. Yin Shao Loong , Deputy Director of Research and Mr. Afzar Hanif Azizi, Research Associate, Khazanah Research Institute, Malaysia Dr. Safdar Sohail, Director, Social Protection Research Centre, and Dr. Abid Raza Khan, University of Punjab, Pakistan Dr. Özge İzdeş Terkoğlu, Istanbul University-Cerrahpaşa, and Dr. Ahmet Atıl Aşıcı, Istanbul Technical University , Türkiye Prof. Rafis Abazov, Director, International Institute for Green and Sustainable Development, Kazakhstan
	Questions and Answers
12.45 pm--2.15 p.m.	Lunch
2.15– 3.15 p.m	Keynote Addresses
Chair	Mr. WANG Xuekun, President of CAITEC, China <i>Mr. Pedro Manual Moreno</i> , Deputy Secretary-General, UNCTAD [virtual] <i>Mr. YANG Zhengwei</i> , Executive Deputy Director, Shanghai Lingang Special Area Administration, China.
3.15 – 3.30 p.m.	Coffee Break
3.30– 5.30 p.m.	Session 3: Green industrial and developmental strategies in other parts of the Asia region: Perspectives and priorities
Chair	Mr. Vatacharin Sirimaneetham, Chief of Section, UNESCAP, Bangkok, Thailand

Presentation(s)	<p>Ms. YANG Yun, Professor of National Center for Science & Technology Evaluation, China</p> <p>Ms. Mardhiyyah Anggu, Energy Transition Policy & Legal Specialist, Energy Transition Implementation Joint Office, Indonesia</p> <p>Ms. Humkala Pandey, Joint Secretary, Office of the Company Registrar, Nepal</p> <p>Ms. Chamindry Deshnie Samaranayake, Saparamadu, Executive Director DevPro Guarantee Limited, formerly Director General of the Sustainable Development Council, Sri Lanka</p> <p>Mr. Ongart Rukkhawattanakul, Plan and Policy Analyst, Professional Level, National Economic and Social Development Council, Thailand</p>
	Questions and Answers
Evening	<p>Conference Dinner</p> <p>For speakers, organisers and invited guests</p>

Day II: 10 July 2025, 9.00 a.m. -5.00 p.m.

9.00 – 9.30 p.m.	Registration and Coffee
9.30 – 11.15 a.m.	Session 4 : Launching the Asian Green Development Partnership Network (AGDPN)
Chair	Mr. Dawei Wang, Economic Affairs Officer, UNCTAD
Presentation	<p>Introduction to the Terms of Reference of the AGDPN and the virtual platform</p> <p>Mr. Dawei Wang, UNCTAD</p>
Discussion	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Comments and ideas on the ToRs and a virtual platform 2) Possible activities for 2026
11.15-11.30 a.m.	Coffee Break
11.30 a.m-12.00 p.m.	<p>AGDPN and virtual platform launch with scenarios briefing for next steps</p> <p>Mr. Dawei Wang, UNCTAD</p>
12.00 -12.30 p.m.	<p>Closing Remarks</p> <p>Dr. Stephanie Blankenburg, UNCTAD</p> <p>Ms. YAO Ling, Senior Research Fellow, CAITEC</p>

12.30 – 1.30 p.m. Lunch

1.30 – 5.00 p.m.. Field Trip to local green enterprises
Yangshan Deep-Water Port
Contemporary Amperex Intelligent Technology (Shanghai)
Limited