

**Investment, Enterprise and Development Commission, ninth session
Geneva, 20–24 November 2017, Room XXVI**

TIMETABLE

	Monday, 20 November	Tuesday, 21 November	Wednesday, 22 November	Thursday, 23 November	Friday, 24 November
10 a.m.– 1 p.m.	<p align="center">Opening plenary</p> <p align="center">Item 1: Election of officers</p> <p align="center">Item 2: Adoption of the agenda and organization of work</p> <p>Opening statement: Secretary-General, UNCTAD (tbc)</p> <p>General statements by regional groups and member States</p> <p>Recent trends and policies in the area of investment and enterprise: Mr. James Zhan, Director, Division on Investment and Enterprise Ms. Shamika N. Sirimanne, Director, Division on Technology and Logistics</p>	<p align="center">Second informal meeting</p> <p align="center">Item 4 (a): Investment (continued)</p> <p>Investment policy review: The Gambia</p>	<p align="center">Fourth informal meeting</p> <p align="center">Item 4: From decisions to actions – Investment and enterprise development as catalysts for accomplishing the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development:</p> <p align="center">(b) Enterprise and information and communications technology</p> <p>Enterprise development for the Sustainable Development Goals</p> <p align="center">Plenary</p> <p align="center">Item 3: Reports of expert meetings:</p> <p align="center">(a) Report of the Multi-year Expert Meeting – Investment, Innovation and Entrepreneurship for Productive Capacity-building and Sustainable Development on its fifth session</p> <p align="center">(b) Report of the Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting on its thirty-fourth session</p>	Informal consultations	<p align="center">Sixth informal meeting</p> <p align="center">Item 5: Progress report on promoting and strengthening synergies among the three pillars</p> <p align="center">Presentations Mr. James Zhan, Director, Division on Investment and Enterprise Ms. Shamika N. Sirimanne, Director, Division on Technology and Logistics</p>
1–3 p.m.	Lunch				
3–6 p.m.	<p align="center">First informal meeting</p> <p align="center">Item 4: From decisions to actions – Investment and enterprise development as catalysts for accomplishing the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development:</p> <p align="center">(a) Investment</p> <p>High-level panel on investing in the Sustainable Development Goals</p> <p align="center">Followed by United Nations awards for excellence in promoting investment in the Sustainable Development Goals</p>	<p align="center">Third informal meeting</p> <p align="center">Item 4 (a): Investment (continued)</p> <p>Investment policy review: South-East Europe</p>	<p align="center">Fifth informal meeting</p> <p align="center">Item 4 (b): Enterprise and information and communications technology (continued)</p> <p>Science, technology and innovation as catalysts for the Sustainable Development Goals</p>	Informal consultations	<p align="center">Plenary</p> <p align="center">Item 6: Other business</p> <p align="center">Closing plenary</p> <p align="center">Item 7: Adoption of the report of the Commission to the Trade and Development Board</p>
6 p.m. 8th floor	Reception	Networking cocktail			