

IPCC Fifth Assessment Report Outreach Event

18 August 2015

United Nations Conference Centre, Conference Room 3, Level 1

Bangkok, Thailand

Provisional Programme

Tuesday 18 August 2015 Fifth Assessment Outreach Event	
08.00–09.00	Registration
	Master/s of Ceremony to introduce speakers (tbc)
09.00–09.20	Official Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome & opening address by <i>Shamshad Akhtar, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations & Executive Secretary of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP)</i> Opening remarks by <i>Hoesung Lee, Vice-Chair of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)</i>
09.20–09.50	Synthesis Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of the Fifth Assessment Report and Key Messages of the Synthesis Report by <i>Hoesung Lee, IPCC Vice-Chair</i> and <i>Jean-Pascal van Ypersele, IPCC Vice-Chair</i> (15 min) Q&A
09.50–10.10	IPCC Special Report on Managing the Risks of Extreme Events and Disasters to Advance Climate Change Adaptation (SREX) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flood Risks and Disaster Management in Thailand and the ASEAN region <i>Seree Supratid, SREX Lead Author of the Chapter on Managing the Risks from Climate Extremes at the Local Level</i> (10 min) Q&A
10.10–11.00	WGI: the Physical Science Basis Moderator: Jonathan Lynn, IPCC Head of Communications and Media Relations (tbc) a) The Physical Science Basis: Overview of AR5 Working Group (WG) I contribution <i>Fredolin Tangang, IPCC WGI Vice-Chair</i> (13 minutes) b) Climate Change Observations – Regional Perspectives <i>Edvin Aldrian, IPCC WGI LA</i> (12minutes) e) Q&A (20 minutes)
11.00–11.20	Coffee break
11.20–12.30	WGII: Impacts, Adaptation And Vulnerability Moderator: Katinka Weinberger, OiC Environment and Development Division, ESCAP a) Impacts, Adaptation and Vulnerability: Overview of AR5 WGII contribution <i>Purnamita Dasgupta, WGII Coordinating Lead Author (CLA), Chapter on Rural Areas</i> (10 minutes) b) Food security and food production systems <i>Liyong Xie, WII CLA</i> (7-8 minutes)

	<p>c) Urban Settlements <i>Aromar Revi (video presentation), WGII CLA (7-8 minutes)</i></p> <p>e) Q&A (30 minutes)</p>
12.30–13:30	<p>Lunch (for participants) Press Conference (reserved for media): Moderator: Jonathan Lynn, IPCC Head of Communications Panelists: Hoesung Lee, Jean-Pascal van Ypersele, Youba Sokona, Fredolin Tangang</p>
13:30–14:40	<p>WGIII: Climate Change 2014: Mitigation of Climate Change</p> <p>Moderator: Donovan Storey, Chief Sustainable Urban Development Section, ESCAP</p> <p>a) Mitigation of Climate Change: Overview of AR5 WGIII contribution <i>Youba Sokona, IPCC WGIII Co-Chair (10 minutes)</i></p> <p>b) Energy Systems <i>Bundit Fungtammasan, IPCC WGIII Lead Author (7-8 minutes)</i></p> <p>c) Human Settlements and the Role of the Transport Sector in Cities <i>Shobhakar Dhakal, WGIII CLA, Chapter on Human Settlements, Infrastructure and Spatial Planning (7-8 minutes)</i></p> <p>e) Q&A (30 minutes)</p>
14:40-14:50	<p>Presentation on the Global Sustainable Development Report <i>David O'Connor, Chief, Policy and Analysis Branch, Division for Sustainable Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs United Nations (10 min)</i></p>
14:50-15:10	Coffee break
15.10-17.00	<p>Parallel Seminars:</p> <p>SCIENCE-POLICY INTERFACE DIALOGUE, CONFERENCE ROOM F Audience: Government representatives/researchers/NGOs Moderator: Youba Sokona Panellists: Hoesung Lee, Jean-Pascal van Ypersele, Shobhakar Dhakal, Liyong Xie Objective: This workshop will discuss the key messages of the AR5 Working Group reports with a specific focus on Thailand and the ASEAN Region. It will provide an opportunity for dialogue between local, regional and national policymakers and other stakeholders on the challenges and priority actions on climate change with the input from IPCC scientists.</p> <p>CAPACITY BUILDING FOR LOCAL SCIENCE AND RESEARCH COMMUNITY, CONFERENCE ROOM H Audience: Research and Academia Moderator: Fredolin Tangang Speakers: Edwin Aldrian, Purnamita Dasgupta, Bundit Fungtammasan Objective: This workshop will raise awareness on the role of the IPCC and its authors, the IPCC process in general and the opportunities for local scientists. It will provide an opportunity for a dialogue between local research community and IPCC scientists. The short presentations will be followed by discussions and Q&As.</p>