



Preliminary Programme

Wednesday, 17 March 2021

Hybrid meeting

- 10:00 - 12:00** **Opening and High-level Policy Segment**
Sustainable and resilient recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic and action and delivery on the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in the UNECE Region
- 12:00 - 14:00** Lunch break
- 14:00 - 16:00** **Plenary Session**
Key actions and accelerators to tackle the socio-economic impact of COVID-19 and to promote a sustainable recovery
The session will take into account key messages from the virtual peer learning sessions (thematic clusters: People, Prosperity, Planet and cross-cutting issues).

Thursday, 18 March 2021

Hybrid meeting

- 10:00 - 12:00** **Plenary Session and Closing**
Experiences from the region with Voluntary National Reviews (VNRs)
Experiences from UNECE member States that have presented or will present VNRs at the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development, including linkages between multiple VNRs and the inclusion of SDG implementation at the local level.

Peer learning round tables

10-16 March 2021

(virtual sessions – exact dates to be communicated and titles to be confirmed)

- Cluster 1:**
PEOPLE

Strengthening health, food and social protection systems towards COVID-19 recovery and resilience
 Session 1-1: Health and social protection
 Session 1-2: Accelerating SDG progress in the time of a pandemic: making healthy diets accessible to all
 Session 1-3: Road safety (target 3.6)
- Cluster 2:**
PROSPERITY

Building back innovative, inclusive and sustainable economies and providing decent and productive jobs for all
 Session 2-1: Recovering from COVID-19 through a sustainable and human-centred approach to the future of work
 Session 2-2: The socio-economic impact of COVID-19 on youth
 Session 2-3: Transforming tourism for a sustainable, prosperous and inclusive post-COVID19 world
- Cluster 3:**
PLANET

Pathways to a sustainable COVID-19 recovery for climate and the environment
 Session 3-1: Partnerships for a sustainable recovery: Initiatives to accelerate the achievement of the environment and climate goals of the 2030 Agenda
 Session 3-2: Sustainable consumption and production patterns
 Session 3-3: Building back better: Climate-resilient recovery
 Session 3-4: Snapshot on Boreal forests' contribution to the SDGs
- Cross-cutting sessions**
 Session 4-1: SDG data and statistics
 Session 4-2: Digital Transformation for SDG implementation