



Media Event on Climate Change, the Activities of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) & the African Climate Policy Centre (ACPC)

hosted by the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (ECA)

29 April 2017, Saturday, 11.10 am - 01.00 pm Room CR3, United Nations Conference Centre in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Objectives:

- To foster a better understanding among the news media about climate science, solutions to climate change and the IPCC process
- To present the Fifth Assessment Report (AR5) findings, as well as the work of the IPCC in the coming years
- To present the work of the African Climate Policy Centre (ACPC)

Audience:

- Locally based media organizations
- Independent journalists
- Weather presenters
- Media focal persons and communications specialists in NGOs, IGOs, UN Agencies

Web page: http://ipcc.ch/apps/outreach/eventinfo.php?q=379

Registration by 6.00 pm (Addis Ababa time) on 28 April 2017 at: https://goo.gl/IXvns2

Draft Schedule:

- Welcome by Ernest Cho Chi, Moderators, Communications Section, ECA (5 min)
- Opening Remarks, by **Representative** (tbc) of the Special Initiatives Division, ECA (5 min)
- Introduction to climate science by **Jan Sigurd Fuglestvedt**, Vice-Chair, Working Group (WG) I, IPCC (15 min)
- Impacts, risks and future opportunities by **Petra Tschakert**, Author WGII, AR5, IPCC (15 min)
- Climate Change: Mitigation by **Gabriel Blanco**, Author WGIII, AR5, IPCC (15 min)
- IPCC Mandate, History, Structure and Future Work by Thelma Krug, Vice-Chair, IPCC (15 min)
- Activities of ACPC by **Representative** (tbc) of the Special Initiatives Division, ECA (15 min)
- Climate Change in Ethiopia from a journalist perspective (15 min) (tbc by Sophia)
- Q&A session (20-30 min)