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## **Draft programme**

*The Paris Agreement: What Next for Africa?*



<b>Time</b>			
<i>Coffee and lunch will be provided</i>			
<b>15-17 October 2016 – Pre-Events and Workshops</b>			
8:00 – 17:00	Arrival and registration		
<b>Large Briefing Room, Caucus Room 1</b>	<b>Conference Room 6</b>	<b>Conference Room 5</b>	<b>Caucus Room 3</b>
<b>15-17 October</b>	<b>17 October</b>	<b>17 -18 October</b>	<b>15-16 October</b>
9:00 – 10:30			
Weather Information Services for Africa (WISER) Value for Money (VfM), Social Economic Benefits (SEB) and knowledge management (KM) consultative meeting <i>Organizer: ECA</i>	African Civil Society Consultative Workshop <i>Organizer: Pan-Africa Climate Justice Alliance (PACJA)</i>	Workshop for members of the Young African Lawyers (YAL) Programme on Climate Change <i>Organizer: ECA</i>	Youth Contribution towards Implementation of Paris Agreement <i>Organizer: World Climate Youth on Climate Change</i>
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Coffee break</b>		
11:00 – 12:30			
WISER VfM, SEB and KM consultative meeting	African Civil Society Consultative Workshop	Workshop for Young African Lawyers (YAL)	Youth workshop on Paris Agreement
12:30 – 14:00	<b>Lunch break</b>		
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18 October 2016 – Day 1		
Time	Events	
8:00 – 9:30	<b>Registration</b>	
<b><i>Plenary – Official opening session and keynote presentations</i></b> <b><i>Conference Room 2</i></b>		
8:30 – 9:30	Arrival and registration of Participants	<b>Master of Ceremony:</b> Mr. James Murombedzi, ECA, Ethiopia
9:30 – 9:45	<b>Welcome Remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mr. Abdalla Hamdok, Deputy Executive Secretary and Chief Economist, Economic Commission for Africa (ECA), Ethiopia</li> </ul>	
9:45 – 10:05	<b>Opening Remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>H.E. Mrs. Rhoda Peace Tumusiime, Commissioner for Rural Economy and Agriculture, African Union Commission (AUC), Ethiopia</li> <li>Mr. Kapil Kapoor, Acting Vice-President, Africa Development Bank (AfDB), Côte d'Ivoire</li> <li>Ms. Yasmine Fouad, Asst. Minister of Environment and Representative of AMCEN, Egypt</li> </ul>	
10:05 – 10:25	<b>Official opening</b> H.E. Dr. Shiferaw Teklemariam, Minister for the Environment, Forest Development and Climate Change, Ethiopia	
10:45 – 11:15	<b>Coffee break</b> <b>Press conference (Conference Room 2)</b> <b>Photo session</b>	

<b>Plenary – High Level Segment: The Paris Climate Agreement: What Next for Africa?</b> <i>Conference Room 2</i>		
11:15 – 13:00	<p><b>Keynote address: Implications of the Paris Agreement for Africa’s development agenda, Mr. James Murombedzi, ECA, Ethiopia</b></p> <p><i>Panellists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H.E. Dr. Shiferaw Teklemariam, Minister for the Environment, Forest Development and Climate Change, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Hon. Dr. Wilber Ottichilo, Chairperson, Mediation Committee of the National Assembly of Kenya</li> <li>• Dr. Paul V. Desanker, the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), Germany</li> <li>• Ms. Yasmine Fouad, Asst. Minister of the Environment and Representative of the Africa Ministerial Conference on the Environment (AMCEN), Egypt</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p><b>Chair:</b> Mr. Abdalla Hamdok, Deputy Executive Secretary and Chief Economist, ECA, Ethiopia</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Ms. Estherine Fotabong, New Partnership for Africa’s Development (NEPAD), South Africa</p>
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch break</b>	
14:00 – 15:00	<p><b>Sub-theme 1: Unpacking the Paris Agreement and emerging challenges and opportunities for Africa</b></p> <p><i>Panellists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Paul Desanker, Team Leader Least Developed Countries Unit, UNFCCC</li> <li>• Mr. Johnson Nkem, ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Prof. Godwell Nhamo, University of South Africa</li> <li>• Mr. Xolisa Joseph Ngwadla, Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), South Africa</li> <li>• Mr. Seth Osafo, Former Senior Legal Adviser of the UNFCCC Secretariat, Ghana</li> <li>• Mr. George Wamukoya, UNFCCC, Germany</li> <li>• Mr. David Lessole, University of Botswana</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p><b>Moderator:</b> Mr. James Murombedzi, ECA, Ethiopia</p>

15:00 – 16:00	<p><b>Sub-theme 2: Linkages between the Paris Agreement, national development agendas, agenda 2063 and 2030 agenda for sustainable development</b></p> <p><i>Panellists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hon. Awudu Cyprian Mbaya, Cameroon National Assembly / PACJA</li> <li>• Hon. Dr. Wilbur Otichillo , National Assembly, Kenya</li> <li>• Mr. Samba Harouna Thiam, Head of UNEP Liaison Office to the AUC, ECA and Ethiopia</li> <li>• Ms. Thokozile Ruzvidzo, Coordinator, African Centre for Gender, ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Dr. Albert Nikiema, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Regional Office for Africa, Ghana</li> <li>• Mr. Mithika Mwenda, PACJA, Kenya</li> <li>• Mr. John Kioli, Kenya Climate Change Working Group, Kenya</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p><b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Josue Dione, African Union Commission, Ethiopia</p>
16:00 – 16:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
16:15 – 17:15	<p><b>Sub-theme 3: African Initiatives in support of the implementation of the Paris Agreement</b></p> <p><i>Panellists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Linus Mofor, ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Mr. Justus Kabyemera, AfDB, Côte d’Ivoire</li> <li>• Mr. Xolisa Joseph Ngwadla, Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), South Africa</li> <li>• Mr. Crispen Zana, AUC, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Dr. Jolly Wasambo, AUC, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Mr. Henry Diop, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), Ethiopia</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p><b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Webster Whande, Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN), South Africa</p>

17:15 – 18:15	<p><b>Sub-theme 4: Linkages between climate change and migration</b></p> <p><i>Panellists:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Maureen Achieng, International Organization for Migration (IOM) and Representative to the African Union, Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD) and UNECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Mr. Serge Bounda, UNFPA representative, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Prof. Araya Asfaw, Horn of Africa Regional Environment Center, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Mr. William Muhawava, ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Mr. Guleid Abdulkadir Artan, IGAD, Djibouti</li> <li>• Mr. Adama Ekberg Coulibaly, ECA, Ethiopia</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<b>Moderator:</b> Ms. Thokozile Ruzvidzo, ECA, Ethiopia
<i>ECA Conference Centre, 2nd Floor Banquet</i>		
18:30 –	Cocktail ACCER awards ceremony	
<b>19 October 2016 – Day 2</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Events</b>	
<i>Plenary: Conference Room 2</i>		
9:00 – 10:00	<p><b>Inaugural Prof. Godwin Olu Patrick Obasi memorial lecture – Prof. Laban Ogallo, IGAD-UNDP Disaster Risk Reduction project, Kenya</b></p> <p><i>Discussants:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Buruhani Nyenzi, Southern African Development Community-Climate Services Centre, South Africa</li> <li>• Dr. Ernest Afiesimama, the World Meteorological Organization (WMO), Geneva</li> <li>• Dr. Tony Anuforum, Nigerian Meteorological Agency</li> <li>• Dr. Degefu Workneh, Ethiopian Meteorological Society</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<b>Chair:</b> Mr. Joseph Intsiful, ECA, Ethiopia

10:00 – 11:00	<p><b>Keynote: The need for climate services in a post-COP21 Africa, Dr. Ernest Afiesimama, WMO, Switzerland.</b></p> <p><i>Discussants:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Ester De Brito, Instituto Nacional De Meteorologia E Geofisica, Cabo Verde</li> <li>• Mr. Vincent Amelie, CEO, Seychelles Meteorological Authority</li> <li>• Prof. Haraldur Olafson, University of Iceland, Iceland</li> <li>• Dr. Paul V. Desanker, UNFCCC, Germany</li> <li>• Prof. Frederick Semazzi, North Carolina State University, USA</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p><b>Chair:</b> Dr. James Kinyangi, AfDB, Côte d'Ivoire</p>
11:00 – 11:15	<b>Coffee break</b>	
<b>Plenary: Conference Room 2</b>		
11:15 – 13:00	<p><b>Coordinated Climate Information Services (CIS) approaches for addressing climate-related disasters: Lessons from El Nino and La Nina events – Prof. Laban Ogallo, IGAD-UNDP DRR project, Kenya</b></p> <p><i>Discussants:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. A. Makarau, Zimbabwe Meteorological Services, Zimbabwe</li> <li>• Mr. Youcef Ait Chellouche, International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) Representative to the AU, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Mr. Excellent Hachileka, UNDP, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Prof. Amanuel Zenebe Abraha, Mekelle University, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Dr. Mark Bynoe, Caribbean Community Climate Change Center (CCCCC), Belize</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p><b>Chair:</b> Dr. Albert Nikiema, FAO Regional Office for Africa, Ghana</p>
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch break</b>	
<b>Plenary: Conference Room 2</b>		
14:00 – 17:00	<b>Innovations in CIS Delivery in Africa: Exhibitions and Parallel Sessions</b>	



14:00 – 15:30	<p><b>Coordinated national frameworks for climate services in addressing the post-Paris Agreement, Agenda 2063 and Agenda 2030 – Dr. Arame Tall, Global Framework for Climate Services (GFCS), Switzerland</b></p> <p><i>Discussants:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. M. Bernard Srohourou, Direction de la météorologie nationale de l'ANAM, Côte d'Ivoire</li> <li>• Dr. Helena Msemo, Tanzania Meteorological Agency</li> <li>• Ms. Ester De Brito, Instituto Nacional De Meteorologia E Geofisica, Cabo Verde</li> <li>• Dr. Gulat Artan, IGAD Climate Prediction and Applications Centre (ICPAC), Kenya</li> <li>• Prof. Buruhani Nyenzi, Southern African Development Community Climate Services Centre (SADC-CSC), South Africa</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>			<p><b>Chair:</b> Mr. Excellent Hachileka, UNDP RBA, Ethiopia</p>
<b>15:30 – 15:45</b> <i>Coffee Break</i>				
<b>Ground Floor</b>	<b>Conference Room 3</b>	<b>Conference Room 5</b>	<b>Conference Room 6</b>	<b>Large Briefing Room</b>
<p><b>Exhibition</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mr. Excellent Hachileka, UNDP Regional Bureau for Africa</i></li> <li>• <i>Mr. Joseph Intsiful ECA, Ethiopia</i></li> <li>• <i>Dr. Ernest Afiesimama WMO, Switzerland</i></li> <li>• <i>Mr. Bill Leathes Weather Information Services for Africa</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Loss and Damage: Perspectives from African SIDS</b></p> <p><b>Chair: Mr. Frank Rutabingwa, ECA, Ethiopia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mr. Vincent Amelie Seychelles</i></li> <li>• <i>Ms. Ester De Brito Cabo Verde</i></li> <li>• <i>Mr. Mohamed Albirune</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Best practices and lessons in climate science</b></p> <p><b>Chair: Dr. Andre Kamga, ACMAD, Niger</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Good practice in delivering climate services at large scale in Africa</i> <i>Dr. Ólafur Rögnvaldsson</i></li> <li>• <i>African Indigenous Knowledge Systems and</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Strengthening the capacity of RECs and National Hydro-Met Agencies in provision of Climate Information Services</b></p> <p><b>Chair: Mr. Excellent Hachileka, UNDP, Ethiopia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>UNDP CIRDA Historical Climate Data Rescue Initiative</i></li> </ul>	<p><b>Best practices and lessons in climate services applications to development</b></p> <p><b>Chair: Dr. A. Makarau, Zimbabwe Meteorological Services, Zimbabwe</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Developing Radio Partners</i> <i>Mr. Charles Rice</i></li> <li>• <i>Radio and Internet Network (RANET)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Zambia</i></li> <li>- <i>Kenya</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>

<p>(WISER), United Kingdom</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Dr. Tufa Dinku</i> International Research Institute for Climate and Society (IRI), USA</li> </ul>	<p>the Comoros</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mr. Leonildo Cardoso</i> Guinea-Bissau</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<p>Climate Information Services</p> <p><i>Mr. Kudakwashe Manyanga</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Indigenous Knowledge Systems <i>Prof. Joseph Z.Z. Matowanyika</i></li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IREWS for Strengthening the capacity of IGAD in Building Resilience in the Horn of Africa</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ethiopia</li> <li>• Practices and lessons in climate services in the 5 GFCS pillars <i>Dr. Arame Tall</i></li> <li>• Initiative on sub-seasonal to seasonal (S2S) forecast in the agricultural sector <i>Wilfred Pokam</i></li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p>
<p>17:00 – 18:30</p> <p><b>Side Events</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meeting of Directors of National Meteorological and Hydrological Services in Africa Facilitator: ECA Venue: CR6</li> <li>• Launch Event of the Campaign: Making Climate Information Services Go Viral in Africa Facilitator: NorthSouthSouth Venue: CR3</li> <li>• Managing land and water and addressing climate-fragility risks for resilient development and food security Facilitator: NEPAD Venue: CR5</li> </ul>			

**20 October 2016 – Day 3 Research and Innovative Solutions**

**Plenary: *Conference Room 2***

9:00 – 11:00	<p><b>Mobilizing Africa's contribution to IPCC special report on the implications of 2.0 degrees warming, Prof. Pauline Dube, University of Botswana</b></p> <p><b>Keynote presentation: Climate change and development in Africa, key policy questions, Mr. James Murombedzi, ECA, Ethiopia</b></p> <p>Discussants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof. Godwell Nhamo, University of South Africa</li> <li>• Ms. Veronica N. Gundu Jakarasi, Ministry of the Environment, Water and Climate, Zimbabwe</li> <li>• Mr. Kebour Ghenna, Executive Director of the Pan-African Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Ethiopia</li> <li>• Mr Kwame Ababio, NEPAD, South Africa</li> <li>• Prof. Joseph Z.Z. Matowanyika, Chinhoyi University of Technology, Zimbabwe</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p><b>Chair:</b> Jennifer Clare Mohamed-Katerere, IUCN Natural Resource Governance Framework, Zimbabwe</p>
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee break	
11:15 – 12:45	<b>Parallel sessions – Paris Agreement: Means of Implementation</b>	
<i>Conference Room 3</i>	<i>Conference Room 5</i>	<i>Conference Room 6</i>
<p><b>Track 1: Climate Finance and Non-State Actors</b></p> <p><b>Chair: Dr. Arame Tall, GFCS, Switzerland</b></p>	<p><b>Track 2: Capacity Development and Partnerships</b></p> <p><b>Chair: Mr. Kwame Ababio, NEPAD, South Africa</b></p>	<p><b>Track 3: Technology Transfer and Innovations</b></p> <p><b>Chair: Ms. Leah Wanambwa Naess, AUC, Ethiopia</b></p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Dr. James Kinyangi</i> AfDB, Côte d'Ivoire</li> <li>• <i>Dr. Emmanuel Nuesiri</i> University of Illinois, USA and University of Potsdam, Germany</li> <li>• <i>Dr. Webster Whande</i> CDKN, South Africa</li> <li>• <i>Ms. Penelope Urquhart</i> Independent analyst: climate resilient development, IPCC Lead Author</li> <li>• <i>Mr. Vikrant Badve</i> UNFCCC Regional Collaborative Centre, Uganda</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Mr. Frank Rutabingwa</i> ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• <i>Mr. Bartholomew Armah</i> ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• <i>Mr. Martin Ndende</i> ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• <i>Mr. Mathew Abang</i> FAO, Ethiopia</li> <li>• <i>Mr. Nasirou Ba</i> ECA, Ethiopia</li> <li>• <i>Mr. Edward Awafo</i> Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST)</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Dr. Cosmas Ochieng</i> Africa Center for Technology Studies (ACTS), Kenya</li> <li>• <i>Dr. Peter Minang</i> ICRAF, Kenya</li> <li>• <i>Mr. Kennedy Wahome</i> ICRAF, Kenya</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p>
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch break</b>	
<b>Plenary: Conference Room 2</b>		
14:00 – 15:30	<b>Reports on pre-events, side events, conference themes and breakout sessions</b>	<b>Chair:</b> Mr. James Murombedzi, ECA, Ethiopia
15:30 – 16:00	<b>Closing remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AUC</li> <li>• AfDB</li> <li>• ECA</li> </ul>	
16:00	<b>Coffee break</b> <b>Press conference (Conference Room 2)</b>	

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CR4D Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC) meeting	Workshop on Integrating Climate Information and Services into Legislation, Development Policies, Plans and Practices	Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), Youth, Media and Women workshop on building demand climate information services
10:30 – 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00 – 12:30		
CR4D Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC) meeting	Workshop on Integrating Climate Information	CSOs, Youth, Media and Women workshop
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