



2016 Advanced Course on Trade and Environment

Enhancing Synergies between Trade and Environment Policies

27 June – 8 July, Geneva, Switzerland

Please note that most sessions will be held in Room F of the CWR building (WTO Headquarters) unless otherwise indicated in this programme

Monday 27 June <i>Introduction</i>	
8:45 - 10:00	PARTICIPANTS REGISTRATION AND LUMP SUM COLLECTION
10:00-10:50 (ROOM F)	OPENING CEREMONY: WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION TO THE COURSE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Welcome and introduction, <i>Hoe Lim, TED and Maarten Smeets, ITTC</i> – Administrative matters, <i>ITTC, TED</i> – Tour de table, <i>participants and TED team</i> – Expectations and gap analysis, <i>participants</i> – Presentation of the programme, <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED</i>
10:50-11:20	<i>Coffee/tea (hosted by WTO, outside of Room F)</i>
11:20-13:00 (ROOM F)	<u>MODULE 1: IS TRADE GOOD OR BAD FOR THE ENVIRONMENT?</u> <i>Karsten Steinfatt, TED</i>
13:00-14:30	<i>Lunch and lump sum collection</i>
14:30-16:00 (ROOM F)	<u>MODULE 1: IDENTIFYING WIN-WIN OPPORTUNITIES</u> <i>TED team</i>
16:00-16:20	<i>Break and group photo (in front of the WTO building, weather permitting)</i>
16:20-17:30 (ROOMS F/T3/T5)	<u>PROJECT: USING TRADE AS A TOOL TO SUPPORT THE SDGs</u> <i>TED team</i>

Tuesday 28 June, Morning Environmental Technologies	
9:30-11:00 (ROOM F)	MODULE 2: ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES - <i>Environmental technologies and trade, Karsten Steinfatt, TED</i> - <i>Negotiations on trade in environmental goods in the WTO, Ludivine Tamiotti, TED</i> - <i>Environmental services, Hoe Lim, TED</i>
11:00-11:20	<i>Break</i>
11:20-12:30 (ROOM F)	MODULE 2: IDEAS LAB ON IDENTIFYING ENVIRONMENTAL GOODS <i>Karsten Steinfatt, Ludivine Tamiotti, TED and course participants</i>
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>
Tuesday 28 June, Afternoon Climate Change Mitigation and Trade	
14:00-15:00 (ROOM F)	MODULE 3: CLIMATE CHANGE SCIENCE <i>Amir H. Delju, Senior Scientific Coordinator, Climate and Water Department, World Meteorological Organization (WMO)</i>
15:00-15:15	<i>Break</i>
15:15-17:00 (ROOM F)	MODULE 3: THE NEGOTIATIONS IN THE UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE (UNFCCC) - <i>The UNFCCC negotiations and the Paris Outcome, Debapriya Roy, Programme Officer, Process Management, Sustainable Development Mechanisms, UNFCCC Secretariat</i> - <i>A negotiator's perspective, Peter Govindasamy, Director, International Trade Cluster, Singapore Ministry of Trade & Industry</i>
Wednesday 29 June, Morning Climate Change Mitigation and Trade	
9:30-10:40 (ROOM F)	MODULE 3: NATIONAL MITIGATION EFFORTS AND THE ROLE OF TRADE - <i>The role of trade and the WTO, Ludivine Tamiotti, TED</i> - <i>Questions and Answers on Intended Nationally Determined Contribution (INDCs): Debapriya Roy (UNFCCC) and Peter Govindasamy (Singapore)</i>
10:40 -11:00	<i>Break</i>
11:00-12:30 (ROOM D)	MODULE 3: ROUNDTABLE ON TRADE AND CLIMATE MITIGATION <i>Moderated by Ludivine Tamiotti, TED</i> <i>Speakers:</i> - <i>Mr. Peter Govindasamy (Singapore)</i> - <i>Ms. Debapriya Roy (UNFCCC)</i> - <i>Ms. Maria Cristina Hernandez, Deputy Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of Mexico to the WTO</i> - <i>Mr. Mohamed Nasr, Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Egypt to the WTO</i>
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>

Wednesday 29 June, Afternoon	
14:00-14:45 (ROOM F)	MODULE 4: INTRODUCTION TO THE CTE AND ASSIGNMENTS TO COURSE PARTICIPANTS <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED, WTO</i>
14:45-15:00	<i>Break</i>
15:00-17:30 (ROOM D)	MODULE 2 (CONT'D): UNLOCKING TRADE FOR CLEAN ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES (Expert panel organized with Grantham Institute, Imperial College London) <i>Speakers:</i> -Mr. Aik Hoe Lim (Moderator), Director, Trade and Environment Division, WTO - Dr. Laila Read, Project Manager, Grantham Institute - Professor Stefaan Simons, Professor of Energy Systems Engineering and Dean of the College of Engineering, Design & Physical Sciences at Brunel University, London - Mr. Assaad Razzouk, Group Chief Executive of Sindicatum Sustainable Resources - Ms. Jayashree Watal, Counsellor, Intellectual Property Division, WTO <i>Discussant: Dr. Syed Tauqir Shah, Ambassador and WTO Permanent Rep. of Pakistan</i>
17:30-18:30 (ATRIUM)	RECEPTION (WTO ATRIUM)
Thursday 30 June <i>WTO Committee on Trade and Environment</i>	
10:00-13:00 (ROOM W)	MODULE 4 (CONT'D): COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT (PARTICIPANTS ATTEND THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT)
13:00-15:00	<i>Lunch</i>
15:00-18:00 (ROOM W)	MODULE 4 (CONT'D): COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT (PARTICIPANTS ATTEND THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT)
Friday 01 July <i>Environment-related WTO Disciplines and Disputes</i>	
10:00-11:15 (ROOM F)	MODULE 4: CTE DEBRIEF AND IDEAS LAB: HOW CAN WTO MEMBERS IMPROVE THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE CTE <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED and course participants</i>
11:15-11:30	<i>Break</i>
11:30-12:30 (ROOM F)	MODULE 5: USING TRADE AS A TOOL TO SUPPORT THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS: A NATIONAL EXPERIENCE ON HOW TO FURTHER WIN-WIN-WIN GAINS <i>Ms. Fátima Estefanía Flores Vaca, Head of Quality Control and New Product Development, FEPP - CAMARI (Sistema Solidario de Comercialización del Grupo Social Fondo Ecuatoriano Populorum Progressio), Quito, Ecuador</i>
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>
14:00-15:00 (ROOM F)	BRIEFING ON THE NAIROBI MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE: WHAT'S NEXT? <i>Keith Rockwell, WTO spokesperson</i>
15:00-15:20	<i>Break</i>
15:20-17:00 (ROOMS VR1-4, F)	PROJECT: USING TRADE AS A TOOL TO SUPPORT THE SDGs <i>TED team</i>

Monday 04 July <i>Using Trade as a Tool</i>	
9:30-10:15 (ROOM F)	MODULE 5: THE FORESTRY SECTOR: INTRODUCTION TO CTE DISCUSSIONS <i>Daniel Ramos, TED</i>
10:15-10:30	<i>Break</i>
10:30-12:30 (ROOM E)	MODULE 5: THE FORESTRY SECTOR: MEET THE EXPERTS <i>Expert Panel moderated by Daniel Ramos, TED</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Tetra Yanuariadi and Li Qiang, ITTO (video-conference)</i> - <i>Jeff Campbell, Forest and Farm Facility, FAO</i> - <i>Thorsten Arndt, Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC)</i> - <i>John Bazill (tbc), Senior Trade & Environment Officer, Directorate-General for Trade, European Commission</i>
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>
14:00-16:00 (ROOM E)	MODULE 5: THE BIODIVERSITY SECTOR: MEET THE EXPERTS <i>Expert Panel moderated by Karsten Steinfatt, TED</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Juan Carlos Vasquez, Sofie Flensburg, CITES Secretariat</i> - <i>Alexander Kasterine (tbc), International Trade Centre</i> - <i>Kenza Le Mentec, Standards and Trade Development Facility</i> - <i>Xiaoping Wu, Intellectual Property, Government Procurement and Competition Division (WTO)</i>
16:00-16:15	<i>Break</i>
16:15-17:30 (ROOMS VR1-3 + F)	PROJECT
Tuesday 5 July, morning <i>Using trade as a tool</i>	
9:30-10:15 (ROOM F)	MODULE 5: THE FISHERIES SECTOR: INTRODUCTION TO CTE DISCUSSIONS <i>Sajal Mathur, TED</i>
10:15-10:30	<i>Break</i>
10:30-12:30 (ROOM S2)	MODULE 5: THE FISHERIES SECTOR: MEET THE EXPERTS <i>Expert Panel moderated by Sajal Mathur, TED</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>David Vivas Eugui, UNCTAD</i> - <i>Alice Tipping, ICTSD</i> - <i>Clarisse Morgan, Rules Division (WTO)</i>
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>

Tuesday 5 July, afternoon <i>The MEAs/WTO Relationship</i>	
14:00-16:10 (ROOM F)	MODULE 6: INTRODUCTION TO THE MEAs/WTO RELATIONSHIP NEGOTIATIONS <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED</i> EXAMPLE OF AN MEA: THE BASEL CONVENTION ON THE CONTROL OF TRANSBOUNDARY MOVEMENTS OF HAZARDOUS WASTES AND THEIR DISPOSAL <i>Amelie Taoufiq and Matthias Kern, BSR Conventions Secretariat</i>
16:10-16:30	<i>Break</i>
16:30-17:30 (ROOM F)	MODULE 6: IDEAS LAB: HOW CAN WE ENHANCE COORDINATION BETWEEN MEAs AND THE WTO? <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED and course participants</i>
Wednesday 06 July <i>Making Environmental Policies and Trade Mutually Supportive</i>	
9:30-10:00 (ROOM F)	MODULE 7: GROUP EXERCISE: EXAMPLES OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES AND TRADE IMPLICATIONS <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, Daniel Ramos, TED and course participants</i>
10:00-11:00 (ROOM F)	MODULE 7: TAXONOMY OF ENVIRONMENTAL MEASURES AND THE WTO LEGAL FRAMEWORK (GATT, TBT AGREEMENT, SCM AGREEMENT) <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED and Daniel Ramos, TED</i>
11:00-11:20	<i>Break</i>
11:20-12:30 (ROOM F)	MODULE 7: ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AS A LEGITIMATE POLICY OBJECTIVE: GATT ART. XX <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED</i>
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>
14:00-15:00 (ROOM F)	MODULE 7: MANAGING TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT DISPUTES AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL <i>Mario Matus, Deputy Director General, WIPO, Former Chilean Ambassador to the WTO</i>
15:00-15:15	<i>Break</i>
15:15-16:00 (ROOM F)	MODULE 7: ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AS A LEGITIMATE POLICY OBJECTIVE: ART. 2 TBT AGREEMENT <i>Daniel Ramos, TED</i>
16:00-17:00 (ROOMS F/T3/3070)	PROJECT

Thursday 7 July, Morning <i>Making Environmental Policies and Trade Mutually Supportive (Cont'd)</i>	
9:30-10:30 (ROOM F)	MODULE 7: KEY TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT CASES <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED and Daniel Ramos, TED</i>
10:30-10:50	<i>Break</i>
10:50-12:30 (ROOM F)	MODULE 7: MOOT CASE ON TRADE AND ENVIRONMENT (EXERCISE) <i>Ludivine Tamiotti, TED and Daniel Ramos, TED</i>
12:30-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>
Thursday 7 July, Afternoon <i>Recap and Project Preparations</i>	
14:00-15:00 (ROOM F)	RECAP SESSION <i>TED Team</i>
15:00-16:10 (ROOMS 1111; 1175; 2111; 2175 + T3)	PROJECT
16:10-16:30	<i>Break</i>
16:30-17:30 (ROOMS 1111; 1175; 2111; 2175 + T3)	PROJECT
Friday 08 July <i>Project Presentations and Closing Ceremony</i>	
9:30-12:00 (ROOM F)	PROJECT PRESENTATIONS
12:00-12:45	<i>Working lunch</i>
12:45-14:00 (ROOM F)	PROJECT PRESENTATIONS (CONT'D)
14:00-14:30	FINAL EVALUATION AND GAP ANALYSIS
14:30-15:00	CLOSING CEREMONY