

14th Meeting of the GBEP Working Group on Capacity Building for Sustainable Bioenergy (WGCB)

Online - 12.00 – 14.30 CET time (UTC +1)

Monday, 21 November 2022

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| 12:00 – 12:10 | Opening and adoption of the agenda
<i>Miguel Almada (Argentina), Co-Chair</i>
<i>John Yeboah (ECREEE/ECOWAS), Co-Chair</i> |
| 12:10 – 14:20 | Overview of the WGCB work in 2021 and plans for 2022 <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Reports on main activities, results and accomplishments, and related discussions and agreement on next steps, <i>Maria Michela Morese, GBEP Secretariat</i> |
| 12:15 – 12:30 | Activity Group 2 “Raising awareness and sharing of data and experiences from the implementation of the GBEP indicators” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• “The use of the GBEP indicators used as a reference for biofuels production at low ILUC risk for European sustainable bioeconomy”, <i>Marco Colangeli, FAO</i>• Discussion and agreement on next steps |
| 12:30 – 12:40 | Activity Group 3 “Study Tour for capacity building and training” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Main messages from the Bioenergy Week 2022, Asunción, Paraguay, and introduction to the Bioenergy Week 2023, Viet Nam• Discussion and agreement on next steps |
| 12:40 – 12:50 | Activity Group 4 “Towards sustainable modern wood energy development” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Progress report on activities and next steps• Discussion and agreement on next steps |
| 12:50 – 13:15 | Activity Group 7 “Biogas” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Progress report on activities and next steps• “Biomethane: short value chain - good practice from Sicily, Italy”, <i>Edoardo Bonaccorsi, CEO Assoro Biometano, Italy</i>• Discussion and agreement on next steps |
| 13:15 – 13:40 | Activity Group 8 “Advanced Liquid Biofuels” <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Progress report on activities and next steps• “Advanced liquid biofuels for aviation and maritime sectors - from scenarios to reality”, <i>David Chiaramonti, Polytechnic University of Turin, Italy</i>• Discussion and agreement on next steps |

13.40 – 13.55

Youth involvement

- Report on activities, events and next steps
- Presentation of the “Energy Challenge Badge - Bioenergy Supplement” developed by GBEP as a contribution to the Youth and United Nations Global Alliance (YUNGA), *Constance Miller, GBEP Secretariat*
- Discussion and agreement on next steps

13.55 – 14.20

Informal e-group “Linking Bioenergy with Food Security and Nutrition”

- Report on activities, events and next steps
- Presentation of the Literature Review of the Linkages between Bioenergy and Nutrition (April 2022), *Constance Miller, GBEP Secretariat*
- Discussion and agreement on next steps

14.20 – 14.30

WGCB further activities and capacity development events

- ✓ 2022 WGCB events
- ✓ Proposals on 2023 WGCB events

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Conclusions of the WGCB*Miguel Almada (Argentina), Co-Chair**John Yeboah (ECREEE/ECOWAS), Co-Chair*

20th Meeting of the GBEP Task Force on Sustainability

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Tuesday, 22 November 2022

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- 12:00 – 12:05** **Opening and adoption of the agenda**
Takashi Hayashi, TF Co-Chair (Japan)
Guido Bonati, TF Co-Chair (Italy)
Ahmed Abdelati Ahmed, TF Co-Chair (Egypt)
- 12:05 – 12:15** **Overview of the TFS work in 2022**
✓ Overview on main results, *Maria Michela Morese, GBEP Secretariat*
✓ Progress of GBEP work on bioeconomy, *Uwe Fritsche, IEA Bioenergy*
✓ Discussion on next steps
- 12:15 – 13:25** **Bioenergy in the context of a broader bioeconomy**
✓ Progress of GBEP work on bioeconomy
✓ Examples of Bioeconomy strategies from various countries and how the GBEP indicators could be of support to these strategies
Moderator: Hugo Chavarria, IICA
 - *Bioeconomy in Argentina - Miguel Almada and Maria Murmis, Secretariat of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries, Argentina*
 - *Bioeconomy in Latin America and the Caribbean - IICA*
 - *Bioeconomy in Africa*
 - *Bioeconomy in Europe*✓ Discussion on next steps
- 13:25 - 13.30** **Conclusions and next steps**
Takashi Hayashi, TF Co-Chair (Japan)
Guido Bonati, TF Co-Chair (Italy)
Ahmed Abdelati Ahmed, TF Co-Chair (Egypt)

27th Meeting of the GBEP Steering Committee

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| 13.30 – 13.40 | Welcome speech
<i>Zitouni Ould-Dada, Deputy Director, Office on Climate Change, Biodiversity and Environment, FAO</i> |
| 13.40 – 13.50 | Opening and adoption of the agenda
<i>Amb. Alexandre Ghisleni, Brazil, GBEP Co-Chair</i>
<i>Ms Emily Marthaler, USA, GBEP Co-Chair</i> |
| 13.50 – 14.00 | GBEP Co-Chairmanship and Membership <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ GBEP co-chairmanship confirmation for the biennium 2023-2024✓ Welcoming new GBEP Observers |
| 14.00 – 14.25 | GBEP Programme of Work and funding arrangements <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Presentation of progress report from WGCB and TFS, <i>Maria Michela Morese, GBEP Secretariat</i>✓ GBEP funding arrangements for the future, <i>Maria Michela Morese, GBEP Secretariat</i>✓ Discussion and endorsement of the way forward |
| 14.25 – 14.30 | Conclusions and next steps |