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First Global Authors' Meeting of the Sixth Global Environment Outlook (GEO-6) for Youth

Location: United Nations Conference Centre (UNCC), in Bangkok

Dates: 25-27 June 2018

Provisional Annotated Agenda

Organization of work

First Authors' Meeting of the GEO-6 for Youth, will be held from Monday 25 to Wednesday 27 June 2018 in the United Nations Conference Centre (UNCC), in Bangkok, and conducted in English only. This provisional Annotated Agenda outlines the proposed sessions, tasks, timing and meeting rooms.

Registration of participants will take place at the UNCC gate, 0800-0900, Monday, 25 June 2018.

First Authors' Meeting of GEO-6 for Youth, will be conducted under the supervision of selected experts involved in the main global assessment process. This interaction with senior figures in the global science community is aimed to inspire the GEO-6 for Youth authors and introduce them to global science-policy processes and collaborative mechanisms in policy consensus building.

Meeting objectives

- Develop the storyline, structure and deliverables of the Global GEO-6 for Youth, report, and agree on the work plan for its preparation:
 - structure and length, report style in e-book format;

- identify key advocacy, communication and educational material supporting the main report [GEO 6];
- preliminary ideas on content for each chapter and section: narratives, data, indicators, case studies, etc.
- work plan, timetable and drafting responsibilities,
- Identify new potential authors
- Expose young upcoming scholars and practitioners to global science-policy process:
 - interaction with multidisciplinary scientists from across the world;
 - understanding of collaborative mechanisms in policy consensus building, as well as the GEO participatory approach and the assessment methodology.

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Monday June. 25, 2018 – 08h00 to 18h00

Registration and daily subsistence allowance from 08h00 to 09h00: In front of the meeting room H

09h00 – 10h00 Opening sessions: introductory remarks and meeting objectives

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- Self-introduction by participants
- Charles Mwangi and Nibedita Mukherjee (GEO-6 for Youth co-chairs, *the importance of the process in the broader context*)
- Pierre Boileau (GEO-6 Head at UN Environment, *the role of the GEO in the broader political context*)
- Simone Targetti Ferri (UN Environment, *GEO-6 derivative products, and GEO for Youth meeting objectives*)
- Monika MacDevette (UN Environment, *the Education and Communication components*)
- Subrata Sinha (UN Environment, *follow up on the Education component*)
- Ananda Dias (UN Environment, *the ongoing regional process, lesson learnt and key messages*)

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/768622077>

10h00– 10h15 Coffee Break

Location: Outside conference room H

10h15-10h30 Group photo

10h30 – 12h00 Session 1: Inception Session of GEO-6 for Youth:

- Presentation on the ongoing regional processes (*GEO for Youth regional authors*)
- Presentation of the online participation system (*Sharif, UN Environment*)
- Presentation on innovative tools for the environment (focus on virtual reality and climate change) (*Willice Onyango*)

- Presentation on the quality control procedures and guidelines of the GEO Process (*Caroline, UN Environment*)
- Discussions

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/487380493>

[12h00 – 13h00](#) Lunch

[13h00 – 15h00](#) **Session 2:** Identifying GEO-6 key messages and their implications for the Youth

- Brief introduction of the session (*Charles, GEO-6 for Youth co-chairs*)
- Breakout groups by topic (Discussing first 2 key questions)
(4 groups of around 4/5 people: the CLAs should lead the discussion and the Secretariat will act as rapporteur)

Location: Plenary + Breakout rooms (Meeting rooms H, I, C)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/470239949>

[15h00 – 15h30](#) Coffee Break

Location: Outside conference room H

[15h30 – 16h30](#) **Session 3:** Identifying GEO-6 key messages and their implication for the Youth

- Breakout groups by topic (Discussing first 2 key questions)
(4 groups of around 4/5 people: the CLAs should lead the discussion and the Secretariat will act as rapporteur)

Location: Breakout rooms (Meeting rooms H, I, C)

[16h30 – 18h00](#) **Session 4:** Teams reporting on the first 2 key questions

- Spokesperson reporting on the different groups work

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/661764381>

[Tuesday June. 26, 2018: 08h30 to 16h00](#)

[08h30 – 08h45](#) Group plenary session on work and plan of the day

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/883981053>

[08h45 – 10h30](#) **Session 5:** Identifying youth contribution to the Environmental dimension of the SDGs

- Breakout groups by topic (Discussing question N.3)

(4 groups of around 4/5 people: the CLAs should lead the discussion and the Secretariat will act as rapporteur)

Location: Breakout rooms (Meeting rooms H, I, C)

[10h30 – 11h00](#) Coffee Break

Location: Outside conference room H

[11h00 – 12h00](#) **Session 6:** Identifying youth contribution to the Environmental dimension of the SDGs

○ Breakout groups by topic (Discussing question N.3)

(4 groups of around 4/5 people: the CLAs should lead the discussion and the Secretariat will act as rapporteur)

Location: Breakout rooms (Meeting rooms H, I, C)

[12h00 to 13h00](#) Lunch

[13h00 – 15h30](#) **Session 7:** Teams reporting on Question N.3

○ Spokesperson reporting on the different groups work

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/809910549>

[15h30 to 16h00](#) Coffee Break

Location: Outside conference room H

[16h00 to 18h30](#) **Session 8:** The Secretariat and the Co-chairs create a preliminary draft of the GEO-6 for Youth outline and the workplan (*The GEO for youth authors are allowed to leave*)

Location: (Meeting room H)

[19h00 to 21h00](#) **Reception**

Location: Public Foyer

Wednesday June. 27, 2018: 08h30 to 16h30

[08h30 – 08h40](#) Group plenary session on work and plan of the day

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/216215221>

[08h40 – 10h30](#) **Session 9:** Presentation of the preliminary draft of the GEO-6 for Youth outline

- The Co-Chairs present the consolidated version of the first day discussion on question N.1 and 2 and the preliminary outline of the GEO-6 for Youth
- Group Discussion

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/216215221>

[10h30 – 11h00](#) Coffee Break

Location: Outside conference room H

[11h00 – 12h00](#) **Session 10:** Presentation of the preliminary draft of the GEO-6 for Youth workplan

- The Co-Chairs present the consolidated version of the first day discussion on question N.3 and on a preliminary workplan

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/216215221>

[12h00 – 13h00](#) Lunch

[13h00 – 14h00](#) **Session 11:** Presentation of the preliminary draft of the GEO-6 for Youth workplan

- Group Discussion

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/755555693>

[15h00 to 15h30](#) Coffee Break

Location: Outside conference room H

[15h30 – 16h30](#) **Session 12:** Tasks assignment: Who does What?

- The authors, supported by the Secretariat and the Co-chairs, work on tasks assignment for the next phase of the GEO-6 for Youth global process

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)

Go to meeting link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/755555693>

[16h30 – 17h30](#) **Closing ceremonies:**

- Local dignitaries (TBC)
- UN Environment Representatives
- Completing satisfaction survey

Location: Plenary (Meeting room H)
