

Roadmap for the UN Environment Programme Governing Bodies **April – December 2019**

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| Meetings of the Governing Bodies of the UN Environment Programme | Key Agenda Items | Other relevant meetings |
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| April 2019 | | |
| <p>23 April – Meeting of the Bureau of the CPR (15:00 – 16:00, UNEP Executive Office Boardroom)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organization of work for the bureau and the CPR - Assessment and lessons learned from UNEA-4 - Preparations for upcoming subcommittee and regular CPR meetings - Follow up on the resolution on UNEA5 - Additional items TBC | <p>1 – 3 April – First Global Conference on Synergies between the 2030 Agenda and Paris Agreement (Copenhagen, Denmark)</p> <p>4 April – OceanVisions2019: Climate Summit (Atlanta, US)</p> <p>4 April – Third Meeting of the Open-Ended Working Group for SAICM (Montevideo, Uruguay)</p> <p>2 – 5 April – Regional Consultation on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework for Africa (Addis Ababa, Ethiopia)</p> <p>3, 8, 11,12, 15, 17, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30 April – Meeting of the Subcommittee on Policy & Programme of Work Objective of UN-Habitat (Nairobi)</p> <p>8 – 12 April – World Summit on the Information Society Forum 2019 (Geneva, Switzerland)</p> <p>10 April – 100th anniversary of the ILO (New York, US)</p> <p>10 April – 72nd Regular Meeting of the CPR of UN-Habitat (Nairobi)</p> <p>24 April – UNGA High-level Event on Multilateralism (New York, US)</p> <p>27 April TBC – Joint Steering Committee Meeting of Global Partnership on Nutrient Management and GWWI</p> <p>29 April – 4 May – The 7th session of the plenary of the Intergovernmental Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (Paris, France)</p> <p>29 April – 9 May – Basel Convention COP14, Rotterdam Convention COP9 and Stockholm Convention COP9 (Geneva, Switzerland)</p> |

| May 2019 | | |
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| <p>7 May – Meeting of the Subcommittee of the CPR (2:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m., CR4)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Initial assessment of the fourth session of UN Environment Assembly. - Consideration of the contribution of the UN Environment Assembly to the 2019 High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development. - Briefing on UN Decade on Ecosystem Restoration (2021 – 2030). - Secretariat briefing on the preparations for the World Environment Day 2019. - Additional items TBC | <p>3, 6, 9, 13, 15,17 May – Meeting of the Subcommittee on Policy & Programme of Work Objective of UN-Habitat (Nairobi)</p> <p>7 May – UN-Habitat Meeting of the Bureau of the Committee of Permanent Representatives (Nairobi)</p> <p>6 – 10 May – 14th Session of the UN Forum on Forests (New York, US)</p> <p>8 – 10 May – UN Sustainable Development Group and UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination meeting (Geneva, Switzerland)</p> <p>8 – 12 May – The 49th session of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (Kyoto, Japan)</p> <p>20 – 22 May – Third Substantive session on the Global Pact for the Environment (Nairobi)</p> <p>23 May – COP 18 to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna a and Flora (Colombo, Sri Lanka)</p> <p>27 – 31 May – First Session of the UN-Habitat Assembly (Nairobi)</p> <p>30 May – First Session of the Executive Board of UN-Habitat Assembly (Nairobi)</p> |
| June 2019 | | |
| <p>11 June – Meeting of the Subcommittee of the CPR (10:00 – 13:00, CR4)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lessons learned from the fourth session of the UN Environment Assembly - A new draft strategy on South-South and Triangular Cooperation. - Secretariat update on private sector engagement and on the development of a private sector strategy. - Secretariat briefing on the preparations for the UN Climate Summit | <p>2 – 5 June – Annual General Meeting (AGM) of China Council for International Cooperation on Environment and Development (Hangzhou, China)</p> <p>5 June – World Environment Day (Hangzhou, China)</p> <p>15 – 17 June – The G20 Ministerial Meeting on Energy Transitions and Global Environment for Sustainable Growth (Karuzawa, Japan)</p> <p>21 June – Bureau meeting of the Executive Board of UN Habitat</p> <p>28 – 29 June – G20 Summit 2019 (Osaka, Japan)</p> <p>30 June – Preparatory conference for the UN 2019 Climate Summit (Abu Dhabi)</p> |

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| <p>18 June – Meeting of the Bureau of the CPR (12:00 - 15:00, Executive Office Boardroom) Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organization of work of the Bureau and the CPR - Preparations for the 146th meeting of the CPR on 20 June - Additional items TBC | |
| <p>20 June – 146th meeting of the CPR (10:00 - 12:30, 14:00 – 17:00, CR1) Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Election of Officers to the CPR Bureau - Report of the Executive Director - Follow-up of the fourth session of the UN Environment Assembly. - Back to Basics: A roadmap for strengthened foundational controls and principles for management and administration | |
| <p>20 June – Reception for the outgoing Bureau of the CPR (17:00 – 19:00, VIP Lounge)</p> | | |
| July 2019 | | |
| <p>3 July – Meeting of the Bureau of UNEA (Trondheim, Norway) Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Joint vision for UNEA5 - Defining the theme for UNEA 5 - From vision to reality | <p>2 – 5 July – 9th Trondheim Conference on Biodiversity (Trondheim, Norway)</p> <p>1 – 5 July – 41st Meeting of the Open-ended Working Group of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol (Bangkok, Thailand)</p> <p>9 – 18 July – High-level political forum on sustainable development in 2019 convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council, ministerial session from 16 - 18 July (New York, US)</p> <p>29 – 30 July – 12th Meeting of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Whole on the Regular Process for Global Reporting and Assessment of the State of the Marine Environment, including Socioeconomic Aspects (New York, US)</p> |
| August 2019 | | |
| <p>Summer Break</p> | | <p>2 – 6 August – The 50th session of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (Geneva, Switzerland)</p> <p>17– 28 August – COP 18 of CITES (Colombo, Sri Lanka)</p> <p>23 – 24 August – 31st UN-Water Meeting (Stockholm, Sweden)</p> <p>24 – 26 August – G7 Leaders’ Summit (Biarritz, France)</p> <p>25 August – Global Consultation Workshop on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework, Biosafety and the Cartagena Protocol and in relation to Access and Benefit-sharing and the Nagoya Protocol (Nairobi, Kenya)</p> |

| September 2019 | | |
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| <p>3 September – Meeting of the Bureau of the CPR (10:00 – 12:00, UNEP Executive Board Room)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outcomes from the meetings of the UNEA Bureau in Trondheim and of the High-Level Political Forum in July 2019 - Visual identity of the UN Environment Programme - Organization of work of the Bureau and the CPR | <p>2 – 13 September – UNCCD COP14 (New Delhi, India)</p> <p>8 – 13 September – 14th International Conference on Mercury as a Global Pollutant (Cracow, Poland)</p> <p>9 – 11 September – Workshop on International Environment Governance: Towards a Stockholm+50 and Function and Interplay of UNEP Governing Bodies (Chexbres, Switzerland)</p> <p>17 – 30 September – 74th session of the UN General Assembly (New York, US)</p> <p>20 – 23 September – The 51st session of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (Monaco)</p> <p>23 September – UN Climate Action Summit 2019 (New York, US)</p> <p>24 – 25 September – UN High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development under UNGA (New York)</p> <p>27 September – World Maritime Day</p> <p>30 September – 1 October – Third meeting of the intersessional process considering the Strategic Approach and sound management of chemicals and waste beyond 2020 (Bangkok, Thailand)</p> |
| <p>5 September – Secretariat briefing and consultation (14:00 – 16:00, CR4)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Development of a new strategy for south-south and triangular cooperation | |
| <p>12 September – Meeting of the Subcommittee of the CPR (10:00 – 13:00, CR4)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Briefing on the outcome of the 1st meeting of the Bureau of the UN Environment Assembly - Preparations for the 6th Annual Subcommittee - Implementation of UNEP/EA.4/HLS.1 Ministerial Declaration - Implementation of the UN Environment Programme Marine Strategy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o UNEP/EA.4/Res.6 Marine plastic litter and microplastics o UNEP/EA.4/Res.11 Protection of the marine environment from land-based activities o UNEP/EA.4/Res.14 Sustainable nitrogen management - Visual Identity of the UN Environment Programme | |
| October 2019 | | |
| <p>1 October – Meeting of the Bureau of UNEA (16:00 – 18:00, Executive Boardroom)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consideration of the theme of UNEA-5 - Consideration of relevant recommendations endorsed by the General Assembly in its resolution 73/333 - Update on the implementation of decision UNEP/EA.4.2 | <p>1 October - First Bureau meeting of the CPR of UN-Habitat</p> <p>2 October - Second Bureau meeting of the Executive Board of UN-Habitat</p> <p>6 – 7 October – Fifth meeting of the Executive Board of the Special Programme (Bangkok, Thailand)</p> |

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| <p>4 October – Meeting of the Bureau of the CPR (8:30 – 10:00, Executive Boardroom)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Follow-up of the meeting of the Bureau of the UN Environment Assembly - Implementation of decision UNEP/EA.4.2 and of resolution UNEP/EA.4/Res.22 | <p>7 – 11 October – International Conference on Climate Change and the Role of Nuclear Power (Vienna, Austria)</p> <p>7 – 11 October – Intergovernmental Forum on Mining, Minerals, Metals and Sustainable Development - 15th Annual General Meeting (Geneva, Switzerland)</p> <p>8 – 10 October – Pre-COP to UNFCCC (San Jose, Costa Rica)</p> <p>23 – 24 October – Launch of UN Global Campaign on Sustainable Nitrogen Management (Colombo, Sri Lanka)</p> <p>23 – 24 October – The Ministerial Segment of the 31st session of the Council of the Arab Ministers responsible for the Environment (Cairo, Egypt)</p> <p>23 – 26 October – 2019 International Renewable Energy Conference (Seoul, Korea)</p> <p>29-31 October – Informal Advisory Committee on Capacity-Building for the Nagoya Protocol (Montreal, Canada)</p> |
| <p>7-11 October – Meeting of the 6th Annual Subcommittee of the CPR (10:00 – 13:00; 14:00 – 17:00 CR1)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Programme performance review 2018-2019, including relevant UN Environment Assembly Resolutions - Implementation of decision UNEP/EA.4/2, “Provisional agenda, date and venue of the fifth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly” and resolution UNEP/EA.4/22 “Implementation and follow-up of United Nations Environment Assembly resolutions” - Preparation of Medium-Term Strategy for the period 2022-25. - Consideration of the draft Chair’s summary | |
| <p>11 October – Bureau meeting of the CPR (10:00 – 11:00, CW115)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consideration of the draft Chair’s summary | |
| <p>11 October – 147th meeting of the CPR (14:00 – 17:30, CR1)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Endorsement of a Chair’s Summary of the 6th Annual Subcommittee - Report from the Executive Director | |
| <p>31 October – Meeting of the Subcommittee of the CPR (10:00 – 13:00, CR4)</p> <p>Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Implementation of selected UNEA-4 resolutions and decisions - Discussion on the theme of UNEA-5 - Consideration of a draft new strategy for south-south and triangular cooperation | |
| November 2019 | | |
| <p>25 November – Meeting of the Bureau of the CPR (15:00 – 16:30, TBC)</p> <p><i>Additional information available here.</i></p> | <p>Tentative agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discussion on the theme of UNEA-5 | <p>4 November – Third meeting of the Bureau of the Executive Board of UN-Habitat (Nairobi, Kenya)</p> <p>6 November – Informal briefing by the Executive Director to Permanent</p> |

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| <p>26 November – Meeting of the Subcommittee of the CPR (10:00 – 13:00, 14:00 – 17:00, CR4) <i>Additional information available here.</i></p> | <p>Tentative agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discussion on the theme of UNEA-5 - Implementation of selected UNEA-4 resolutions and decisions - Additional items TBC | <p>Representatives to UN-Habitat on preparations of the 10th World Urban Forum (Nairobi, Kenya) 4 – 9 November – 31st Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol (Rome, Italy) 11-15 November – 17th Ordinary Session of African Ministerial Conference on the Environment (South Africa) 11-15 November – World Summit of Local and Regional Leaders and UCLG Congress (Durban, South Africa) 12 – 15 November – 4th Meeting of the Sessional Committee of the Scientific Council of CMS (CMS ScC-SC4) (Bonn, Germany) 18 – 22 November – 3rd Ad-Hoc Open-Ended Expert Group on Marine Litter and Micro-Plastics (Bangkok, Thailand) 19 - 20 November – Meeting of the Bureau of the Executive Board of UN-Habitat (Nairobi, Kenya) 25 – 29 November – 23rd Meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice of the CBD (Montreal, Canada) 25 – 29 November – COP3 of Minamata Convention (Geneva, Switzerland)</p> |
| December 2019 | | |
| <p>3 December – Joint meeting of the Bureau of UNEA-5 and of the CPR (16:00 – 18:00, Executive Boardroom) <i>Additional information available here.</i></p> | <p>Tentative agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discussion on the theme of UNEA-5 - Organization of work - Additional items TBC | <p>2 – 13 December – 2019 UN Climate Change Conference (UNFCCC COP 25) (Santiago, Chile) 5 December – World Soil Day 2019 17 – 19 December – 57th Meeting of the GEF Council (Washington DC, US)</p> |
| <p>10 December – 148th meeting of the CPR (10:00 – 12:30, 14:00 – 17:30, CR1) Additional information available here.</p> | <p>Tentative agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Report of the Executive Director - Follow-up of the 6th Annual Subcommittee - Additional items TBC | |