

PROGRAMME

4th Global Meeting of the Mountain Partnership 17-19 September 2013, Erzurum, Turkey

Tuesday 17 September

09:00-10:30	Opening ceremony	
	 Opening statements İbrahim Çiftçi, General Director, General Directorate of Forestry Thomas Hofer, Interim Coordinator, Mountain Partnership Secretariat Eduardo Rojas-Briales, Assistant Director-General for Forestry, Food and Agriculture Organization Nurettin Akman, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs Ahmet Altiparmak, Governor of Erzurum Key note speeches Why mountains matter Bruno Messerli - University of Bern Reconciling conservation, development and community benefits in mountain ecosystems Sam Kanyamibwa - Albertine Rift Conservation Society (ARCOS) 	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Mahir Küçük Deputy Undersecretary, Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs, Turkey
10.30-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-13:00	Formal introduction and approval of the agenda Formal session 1: The new Mountain Partnership Strategy and Governance	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair:
	 Explaining the process and presentation of the Strategy and Governance document <i>Thomas Hofer, Interim Coordinator, Mountain Partnership Secretariat</i> Approval of the document 	Eduardo Rojas Forestry Department, Food and Agriculture Organization



13:00-14:30	Lunch	
14:30-16:00	Short presentations from members of on-going and planned activities in the context of the Mountain Partnership	Plenary Hall/Erzen
16:00-16.30	Coffee break	
16:30-18:00	 Parallel geographic meetings North & Central America and the Caribbean South America Europe Asia and Pacific Sub-Saharan Africa Middle East and North Africa 	Rooms: Private Astrila Kalikala Erzen Sports Karin
18:00-19:00	Parallel side events UNESCO, UNEP, FAO and ICIMOD Findings of regional workshops Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs, Turkey Anatolian approach for mountain development FSDA, Altai, Aigine and UCA Cultural values of mountains	Sports Meeting Room Astrila Meeting Room Kalikala Meeting Room



Wednesday 18 September

09:00-10:30	Discussion on mountains in Rio+20 and the Post-2015 Sustainable Development Goals Presentation of the process and next key steps	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: André Wehrli Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC) (tbc)
10:30-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-12:00	Knowledge platform for sustainable mountain development Miguel Saravia - Consortium for Sustainable Development of the Andean Ecoregion (CONDESAN)	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Musonda Mumba, <i>UNEP</i>
12:00-13:00	Regional coordination mechanisms: Sharing experiences from Europe and the Himalayas Euromontana, Alpine Convention, Carpathian Convention, International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD)	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Musonda Mumba, UNEP
13:00-14:30	Lunch	Rooms:
13:30-14:30	Parallel side events CDE – FDDM Walk the talk! Actions of sustainable mountain development at sub-national level – examples from Canton Valais, Switzerland	Karin
	ETE – Carpathian Convention (UNEP) Strategy for the future sustainable tourism development of the Carpathians	Sports
	Tunisia et al Regional initiative for mountains for the MENA region	Kalikala
	Prakriti Group and CEE Himalaya Adaptation and mitigation in increasing disasters in the mountains	Private



14:30-16:00	Partnership fair 2	Plenary Hall/Erzen
	 Short presentations from members of on-going and 	
	planned activities in the context of the Mountain	
	Partnership	
16:00-16:30	Coffee break	
16:30-18:00	Working groups: Putting the Mountain Partnership into practice	
	 Advocacy 	Karin
	Joint action	Astrila
	 Knowledge management and communication 	Erzen
	 Capacity development and technology transfer 	Kalikala
	 Innovation 	Sports
	Resource mobilization	Private
18:00-19:00	Parallel side events	Rooms:
	SDC – ADA – CDE Knowledge management on sustainable mountain development areas	Kalikala
	Mab-6 Scientific network in the Caucasus mountain region	Karin
	UCA and Central Asia members Mountain livelihood and transformational role of women	Astrila
	ARCOS et al MP Africa: Progress in sustainable mountain development	Sports



Thursday 19 September

09:00-11:00	Working groups: Putting the Mountain Partnership into practice	Karin
		Astrila
		Erzen
		Kalikala
		Sports
		Private
11:00-11:30	Coffee break	
11:30-13:00	Reports of the working groups Next steps 1: Roadmap and workplan	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Baldomero Casillo, Argentina (tbc)
13:00-14:30	Lunch	Page 1991
13:30-14:30	Parallel side events	Rooms:
15:50-14:50	Parallel side events	
	CDE – SDC Mountains, our life, our future: Launch of the Global Synthesis Report	Sports
	Tunisia et al Vers une initiative sur le montagne Méditerranéenes forte et active	Kalikala
	BIND, CONDESAN, Pan Himalayan Grassroots Development Foundation Tropical mountain forest conservation	Astrila
	Fundacion Ecohabitats The role of women in access to land and adaptation to climate change	Karin
14:30-16:00	Next steps 2: Roadmap and workplan	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Eklabya Sharma, ICIMOD



16:00-16:30	Coffee break	
16:30-18:00	Formal session 2: Selection of the Steering Committee members	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Alfredo Guillet
		Italian Cooperation — Ministry of Foreign Affairs
		Rooms:
		Sports Kalikala Karin Astrila Erzen Private
18:00-18:30	Closing ceremony	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Alfredo Guillet Italian Cooperation – Ministry of Foreign Affairs
18:30-20:00	First Formal Meeting of the Mountain Partnership Steering Committee (closed meeting)	Karin Meeting Room

Friday 20 September

08:30-18:00 Field trip – Uzundere, Ulubağ plateau and waterfall	
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