



Programme

Climate Resilient Development Strategies

Meeting of climate experts and development practitioners

Copenhagen, September 26, 2006

Venue: Eigtveds Pakhus, Asiatiske Plads 2 G, 1448 Copenhagen K, Denmark



- 8.30 - 9.00 Coffee and registration
- 9.00 - 9.15 **Climate Resilient Development: From goals to strategies for action**
Summary of Council meeting
Ole Moesby, Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs
John Christensen, UNEP Risø Center
- 9.15 - 10.45 **Key issues on implementation of climate resilient development strategies**
- Costs and benefits of addressing the climate change challenge
Robert Watson, World Bank
- Building institutional capacity to address climate change
Mark Mwandosya, Minister for Environment, Tanzania
- Millennium Development Goals and Climate Vulnerability and Adaptation
P. R. Shukla, Indian Institute of Management
- Climate change in development planning and Poverty Reduction Strategies
Richard Manning, OECD
- 10.45 - 11.00 **Danish Climate & Development Action Programme: Initial experiences from Vietnam, Tanzania and Mozambique**
Kirsten Halsnæs, UNEP Risø Center

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11.00 - 12.30 **Sector perspectives on climate vulnerability and coping strategies in relation to key issues presented in the morning session**

Break-out groups on sector focus:

Group 1: Agriculture and forestry

➤ Michael Linddal,

Group 2: Water

➤ Karen Edelvang, UNEP Collaborating Centre on Water and Environment

Group 3: Infrastructure and energy

➤ Shardul Agrawala, OECD

Group 4: Health

➤ Bettina Menne, WHO

12.30 - 13.30 **Lunch**

13.30 - 15.00 **Cross-cutting issues on climate vulnerability and coping strategies**

Cross-sector break-out groups with focus on climate resilient development strategies and:

A: Linkages to the Millennium Development Goals

➤ P. R. Shukla, Indian Institute of Management

B: Linkages to national development planning, incl. PRSPs and NAPAs

➤ Saleemul Huq, International Institute for Environment and Development

C: Costs and benefits of action and inaction

➤ Robert Watson, World Bank

D: Institutional capacity to address climate change

➤ Richard Myungi, Vice President's Office, Division of Environment, Tanzania

15.00 - 15.30 **Coffee**

15.30 - 16.45 **Panel discussion and presentations from break-out groups**

Chaired by John Christensen, URC

- **Mark Mwandosya**
- **Robert Watson**
- **Richard Manning**
- **P. R. Shukla**

Discussion on how to move forward on climate friendly development strategies, climate screening and other tools in development planning and cooperation

16.45 - 17.00 **Closing of the meeting**

Geert Aagaard Andersen, Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs