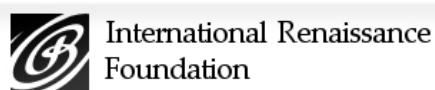
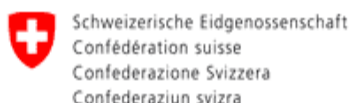




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December 16, 2010, Kyiv

### DRAFT AGENDA

#### **9:00 – 10:15 Opening session**

Moderator’s introduction

*Welcomes:*

**Mr. Christophe Bouvier**, Regional Director UNEP RoE

**Mr. Mykola Zlochevskiy**, Minister of Environment of Ukraine, (tbc)

Ukrainian Parliament Committee of Environmental Policy, (tbd)

**Oleksandr Matviychuk**, Head of State Committee for Technical Regulation and Consumer Policy of Ukraine

**Georg Zubler**, The Ambassador of the Swiss Embassy in Ukraine (tbc)

**Yevgen Bystrytskiy**, Executive Director of International Renaissance Foundation

**Kyryl Savin**, Head of Heinrich Boll Foundation Representative Office in Ukraine

*Key-notes:*

- Greening economy – the way towards EU integration, (tbd)
- Green economy: the global concept, Mahir Aliyev, UNEP RoE
- New National Environmental Policy Strategy of Ukraine – paving the way for Green economy, Volodymir Bilokon’, Head of Environmental Policy department, Ministry of Environment of Ukraine
- Presentation of report “New Green Deal for Europe”, Heinrich Boll Foundation, Kyiv office (tbc) / tailor-made comments, Zoriana Mishchuk, ISD (tbc)

*Questions, answers*

#### **10:15 – 11:45 Session 1. Greening Ukrainian economy – modern challenge**

*Presentations*

- Perspectives for development of green economy in Ukraine, Ministry of Economy of Ukraine (tbc)
- Structural re-building of Ukrainian economy: fantasy or reality? Ildar Gazizullin, ICPS
- Law-carbon society: why to strive? Gunnar Boye Olesen, INFORSE
- Greening Coal Mining in Ukraine: what to do about risk of environmental impact?, Andriy Demydenko, EuropeAid Coal Sector Policy Support Programme
- Index of environmental balance as a tool for greening economy, Taras Bebesko, International environmental safety committee

*Interventions, questions, answers*

**11:45 – 12:00 Coffee-break**

**12:00 – 13:30 Session 2. Green economy: main obstacles and incentives**

*Presentations*

- Present and future opportunities for EU-Ukraine cooperation for drawing financial support and green investments, Victoria Gumeniuk, expert
- Budget support of EU to the energy sector of Ukraine as a tool for ecologization of economy, National Agency for Effective Energy Use (tbc)/ Housing in Ukraine: 50% potential for energy saving. How to fulfill? The Ministry of Housing of Ukraine (tbc)
- Basic legislative trends towards energy efficiency, Polina Zagnitko, Mykhailo Shchitka, European Business Association Fuel & Energy Committee, Vasil Kisil & Partners
- Agriculture and rural sector of Ukraine on the way to transition to green economy. Tamara Malkova, ICO "Green Dossier"
- "Green growth" perspectives in Ukraine, Tetiana Tymochko, VEL

*Interventions, questions, answers*

**13:30 – 14:30 Lunch**

**14:30 – 16:00 Session 3. Green economies: who are stakeholders?**

*Presentations*

- Why does social component have great significance in green economy? Leida Rijnhout, executive director of ANPED
- Green jobs in Ukraine, Rodion Kolyshko, adviser to Ukrainian Employers Confederation
- Extended social corporate responsibility and green economy, East European Foundation,(tbc)
- What "greening" can mean to an industrial company? Tetyana Rabczak, European Business Association, Fuel & Energy Committee, CMS Cameron McKenna
- "Developing the Green Economy at city and district level: opportunities and lessons", Chris Church, ANPED

*Interventions, questions, answers*

**16:00 – 16:15 Coffee-break**

**16:15 – 17:45 Session 4. SCP policy as a basis for green economy**

*Presentation*

- Beyond GDP – Measurements for Green Economy, Janis Brizga, Green Liberty
- Ethical aspects of greening economy, Gennadiy Marushevskiy, NECU
- Environmental standards and labelling in Ukraine and EU: what convergence? State Committee for Technical Regulation and Consumer Policy of Ukraine (tbc)
- SCP policy and CSOs role, MAMA-86, Action town project (presentation of 3 publications on Guidelines for CSOs on SCP, Russian translation)

*Interventions, questions, answers.*

**17:45 – 18:00 Conclusions, closing**