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SUSTAINABILITY INVESTMENT EXPO

Fostering Partnerships for a Greener Tomorrow

19 — 20 November 2023

Organised by: Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Islamabad, Pakistan

Day 1	
Sunday, 19 November 2023	
Sustainability Investment Expo	
19 November 2023	Inaugural & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
10:00am – 11:30am	Stall Visits by Chief Guest and Dignitaries
Venue: Marquee	
	Host: Dr Abid Qaiyum Suleri, Executive Director, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	Chief Guest: Senator Sherry Rehman, Former Federal Minister for Climate Change and Environmental Coordination, Government of Pakistan
	Organisers: Ms Zainab Naeem & Ms Laraib Kiani, SDPI

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40 November 2022	Fireside Chats/ Podcasts	
19 November 2023	Fireside Chat - 1	
11:30am – 12:00pm Venue: Hall CR2	Sustainable Consumption and Production and Green Jobs	
venue: Hall CR2	Host: Ms Zainab Naeem, Associate Resarch Fellow, Sustainable	
	Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan	
	Guest:	
	1. Mohammad Bin Shahzad, Sustainability Manager, Tetra Pak	
	Pakistan	
	2. Ms Ayesha Aziz, Group Manager Sustainability, Packages Group	
	3. Mr Tayyab Aijaz, CEO, Roshan Packages	
	 Ms Youngran Hur, United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), Thailand 	
	Mr Hafiz Jawad Sohail, Senior Project Officer, World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)	
	Organiser: Ms Zainab Naeem, SDPI	







12:30pm – 1:15pm	Podcast - 2
Venue: Hall CR2	Beyond the Farm: How Sustainable Agriculture Practices Impact the
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	Larger Ecosystem (Online)
	In collaboration with USSEC
	Host: Dr Vagar Ahmed, Joint Executive Director, Sustainable Development
	Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	In Conversation with: Ms Deeba Giannoulis, Regional Head, U.S. Soybean
	Export Council (USSEC), Dubai, UAE
	Organiser: Mr Yahya Gulraiz, SDPI
1.30 3.10	Fireside Chat 2
1:30pm – 2:10pm	Fireside Chat - 3
Venue: Hall CR2	Multi-Crises Diplomacy for Green Transition: The Way Forward for South
	Asia
	In collaboration with UNEP
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	Host: Mr Ubaid ur Rehman Zia, Senior Research Associate, Sustainable
	Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
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	Speakers:
	1. Ms Mandavi Singh, The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI), India
	2. Ms Trinayana Kaushik, The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI),
	India
	3. Dr Hassan Daud Butt, Senior Advisor, China Energy Engineering
	Group Co. Ltd
	4. Dr Khalid Waleed, Research Fellow, Sustainable Development
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	Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	Organisers: Dr Khalid Waleed & Mr Ubaid ur Rehman Zia, SDPI
3:30pm - 4:10pm	Fireside Chat - 4
Venue: Hall CR2	Navigating the Crossroads: Climate Crises and Global Trade
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	Host: Mr Wasif Naqvi, Senior Research Associate, Sustainable
	Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	Guest: Mr Joshua Setipa, Senior Director Strategy, Portfolio, Partnerships &
	Digital Division, Commonwealth Secretariat
	Organiser: Mr Wasif Naqvi, SDPI
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5:00pm – 5:30pm	Fireside Chat - 5
Venue: Hall CR2	Disaster Risk Financing and Insurance (DRFI) Programme for a Resilient
	Pakistan
	In collaboration with NDRMF
	Moderator: Mr Bilal Anwar, Mr Bilal Anwar, CEO, National Disaster Risk
	Management Fund (NDRMF), Government of Pakistan
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	Speakers: 1. Dr Mubashir Hussain, Manager DRR & DRF, National Disaster Risk Management Fund (NDRMF), Government of Pakistan 2. Mr Raja Rehan Arshad, Senior Advisor, National Disaster Risk Management Fund (NDRMF), Government of Pakistan Organiser: Ms Reema Zuberi, NDRMF
6:00pm – 6:30pm	Fireside Chat - 6
Venue: Hall CR2	Climate Smart Communities
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	In collaboration with HDF
	Host: Dr Khalid Waleed, Research Fellow, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	Guest: Mr Mehboob ul Haq, CEO, Human Development Foundation (HDF), Pakistan
	Organiser: Mr Huzaifa Rehman, SDPI
7:00pm – 7:30pm	Fireside Chat - 7
Venue: Hall CR2	Loss & Damage Fund Status
	In collabration with NDRMF
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	Moderator: Mr Muhammad Fawad Hayat, Head Climate Change, National Disaster Risk Management Fund (NDRMF), Government of Pakistan
	Speakers:
	Mr Bilal Anwar, CEO, National Disaster Risk Management Fund
	(NDRMF), Government of Pakistan
	Dr Abid Qaiyum Suleri, Executive Director, Sustainable
	Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	Organisers: Ms Reema Zuberi, NDRMF Dr Khalid Waleed, SDPI

Day 2 Monday, 20 November 2023 Sustainability Investment Expo Fireside Chats/ Podcasts	
20 November 2023	Fireside Chat - 8
10:00am – 11:10pm	Women Empowerment through Entrepreneurship
Venue: Hall CR2	In collaboration with FNF
	Host: Ms Mahnoor Arshad, Research Associate, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	Guest: Ms Birgit Lamm, Head, Friedrich Naumann Foundation for Freedom (FNF), Pakistan







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	Organisers: Ms Mahnoor Arshad, SDPI Ms Aniqa Arshad, FNF
11:30am – 12:30pm	Panel Discussion - 9
Venue:	Harnessing the Private Sector's Role in Climate Resilient Development
Ambassador Hall	In collaboration with GIZ-Pakistan
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	Moderator: Mr Gregor Stocker-Thamri, Communications Specialist,
	Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH
	Opening Remarks: Dr Vaqar Ahmed, Joint Executive Director, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	Speakers:
	1. Ms Sobiah Becker, Adviser, Pak-German Climate & Energy
	Partnership, German Development Cooperation, Islamabad
	2. Mr Florian Karner, Senior Policy Officer (Central Asia, Afghanistan
	and Pakistan), Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation &
	Development (Germany)
	3. Dr Khalid Waleed, Research Fellow, Sustainable Development
	Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan
	4. Ms Nazish Shekha, Head of Initiative, Centre of Excellence in
	Responsible Business (CERB), Pakistan Business Council
	5. Ms Kehkeshan Usman, Sustainability Manager, Mahmood Group
	Organisers: Ms Zainab Naeem & Mr Ubaid ur Rehman Zia, SDPI
20 November 2023	Fireside Chat - 10
1:30pm – 2:30pm	Towards Green Energy Transition
Venue: Hall CR2	
	Host: Ms Zainab Naeem, Associate Research Fellow, Sustainable
	Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Islamabad, Pakistan
	Guest: Mr Ahmed Hayat Lak, Managing Director, Oil and Gas Development Company Limited (OGDCL), Pakistan

Monday, 20 November 2023 SDC-Sustainability Investment Expo Awards Plenary	
20 November 2023 2:30pm – 4:00pm	Fostering Partnerships for Sustainable Development
Venue: Marquee	Moderator: Ms Zainab Naeem, Associate Research Fellow, Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Islamabad, Pakistan
	Welcome Remarks: Dr Abid Qaiyum Suleri, Executive Director, Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Islamabad, Pakistan
	Guest of Honour: Mr James McNee, First Secretary, Canada's High Commission to Pakistan

Organiser: Dr Sajid Amin Javed, SDPI







Special Remarks: Mr Joshua Setipa, Senior Director, Strategy, Portfolio, Partnerships and Digital Division, Commonwealth Secretariat

Awards Ceremony:

1. Awards for Food Security Hackathon Winners

2. Sustainability Awards 2023

Organisers: Ms Zainab Naeem, Mr Asif Javed & Dr Vaqar Ahmed, SDPI

Rapporteurs:

PR: Mr Huzaifa Rehman PRs: Durr e Shahwar