# 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 10:00am – 11:30am | Inaugural & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony  
Stall Visits by Chief Guest and Dignitaries |
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| **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 |

## Day 1

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### Sustainability Investment Expo  
**Fireside Chats/ Podcasts**

| 19 November 2023 11:30am – 12:00pm | **Fireside Chat - 1**  
Sustainable Consumption and Production and Green Jobs |
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| **Venue:** Hall CR2 | **Host:** Ms Zainab Naeem, Associate Research 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  
4. Ms Youngran Hur, United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), Thailand  
5. Mr Hafiz Jawad Sohail, Senior Project Officer, World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)  
**Organiser:** Ms Zainab Naeem, SDPI |
### 12:30pm – 1:15pm
**Venue: Hall CR2**

**Podcast - 2**

**Beyond the Farm: How Sustainable Agriculture Practices Impact the Larger Ecosystem** (Online)

*In collaboration with USSEC*

**Host:** Dr Vaqar 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

### 1:30pm – 2:10pm
**Venue: Hall CR2**

**Fireside Chat - 3**

**Multi-Crisis Diplomacy for Green Transition: The Way Forward for South Asia**

*In collaboration with UNEP*

**Host:** Mr Ubaid ur Rehman Zia, Senior Research Associate, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan

**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 Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan

**Organisers:** Dr Khalid Waleed & Mr Ubaid ur Rehman Zia, SDPI

### 3:30pm – 4:10pm
**Venue: Hall CR2**

**Fireside Chat - 4**

**Navigating the Crossroads: Climate Crises and Global Trade**

**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

### 5:00pm – 5:30pm
**Venue: Hall CR2**

**Fireside Chat - 5**

**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
### Day 2

**Monday, 20 November 2023**

#### Sustainability Investment Expo

**Fireside Chats/ Podcasts**

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<td>1. Dr Mubashir Hussain, Manager DRR &amp; 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</td>
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<td>1. Ms Mahnoor Arshad, Research Associate, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan</td>
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<td><strong>Moderator:</strong> Mr Gregor Stocker-Thamri, Communications Specialist, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH&lt;br&gt;<strong>Opening Remarks:</strong> Dr Vaqar Ahmed, Joint Executive Director, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan</td>
<td><strong>Speakers:</strong>&lt;br&gt;1. Ms Sobiah Becker, Adviser, Pak-German Climate &amp; Energy Partnership, German Development Cooperation, Islamabad&lt;br&gt;2. Mr Florian Karner, Senior Policy Officer (Central Asia, Afghanistan and Pakistan), Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation &amp; Development (Germany)&lt;br&gt;3. Dr Khalid Waleed, Research Fellow, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad, Pakistan&lt;br&gt;4. Ms Nazish Shekha, Head of Initiative, Centre of Excellence in Responsible Business (CERB), Pakistan Business Council&lt;br&gt;5. Ms Kehkeshan Usman, Sustainability Manager, Mahmood Group</td>
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<td><strong>Moderator:</strong> Ms Zainab Naeem, Associate Research Fellow, Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Islamabad, Pakistan&lt;br&gt;<strong>Welcome Remarks:</strong> Dr Abid Qaiyum Suleri, Executive Director, Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Islamabad, Pakistan&lt;br&gt;<strong>Guest of Honour:</strong> Mr James McNee, First Secretary, Canada’s High Commission to Pakistan</td>
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**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