



PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

May 2: - Lwpg'3, 2012

A weekly update on the GEF Program Management

Contacts

"/"I GH'Ugetgvtkv'Uchh
"/"I GH'Ci gpeku"
"/"I GH'Vtwugg'Epxgpvkp'Ugetgvtkw
"

Calendar

- Council Meeting Schedules
- ~~Á~~ GHQR'O ggkpi "Uej gf wrgu

Communications

- Project Concepts, Proposals, Draft Documents Received
- ~~Á~~ RtqlgevErngtcpegu.'Crr tqxcnu.'Gpf qtugo gpw'cpf "Qvj gt'Ego o gpw
/""Kvtqf welpi "pgy 'uchh'q'vj g'I GHUGE
/""Cpqpwpago gpw"

Monique Barbut
Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson
mbarbut@thegef.org

Front Office	
Andre Laperriere Deputy Chief Executive Officer alaperriere@thegef.org +1 202 473 2464	Paul Akiwumi Senior Advisor to CEO/Secretary to the Council pakiwumi@thegef.org +1 202 458 0480
Sekou Toure Conflict Resolution Commissioner Stourel@thegef.org +1 202 458 4059	Julienne Kouame Senior Program Assistant/ Human Resources Liaison jkouame@thegef.org +1 202 473 8736
John Clyde Office Manager jclyde@thegef.org +1 202 473 5098	Malvika Monga Junior Professional Associate mmonga@thegef.org +1 202 473 9252
Marie-Constance Manuella Koukoui Senior Program Assistant/ Executive Assistant for CEO mkoukoui@thegef.org +1 202 458 9682	<u>Mailing Address:</u> GEF Secretariat 1818 H Street, NW, MSN G6-602 Washington, D.C. 20433 +1 202 473 0508; Fax: +1 202 522 3240/3245

EXTERNAL RELATIONS

William Ehlers
Head, External Relations
wehlers@thegef.org
+1 202 458 9436

Communications and Media	
John Diamond Senior Communications Specialist/ Media Spokesperson jdiamond@thegef.org +1 202 458 7953	Christian Hofer Senior Communications Officer chofer@thegef.org +1 202 458 0936
Patrizia Coca Communications Officer and KM Coordinator pcocca@thegef.org +1 202 458 0234	Yacout Yasmine Djellal Junior Professional Associate ydjellal@thegef.org +1 202 473 1449
Raul Rodriguez Senior Program Assistant rrodriguez@thegef.org +1 202 473 8935	
Country Relations	
Henry Salazar Senior Country Relations Officer Latin America, MENA hsalazar@thegef.org +1 202 473 8226	Susan Waithaka Country Relations Officer Sub-Saharan Africa swaithaka@thegef.org +1 202 473 5457
Rawlestone Moore Senior Climate Change Specialist Small Island Developing States (SIDS) Caribbean and the Pacific rmoore@thegef.org +1 202 473 8231	Minna Maria Kononen Country Relations Officer South/East Asia mkononen@thegef.org +1 202 473 9402
Elizabeth Collins Junior Professional Associate ecollins@thegef.org +1 202 473 7069	Camila Perez Gabilondo Junior Professional Associate mperezgabilondo@thegef.org +1 202 458 0895
Robert Schreiber Senior Program Assistant rschreiber@thegef.org +1 202 458 0288	Christina Bogyo Program Assistant cbogyo@thegef.org +1 202 473 6974
Tsige Kagombe Program Assistant tkagombe@thegef.org +1 202 473 6974	
Capacity Development/Civil Society	
Danielius Pivoriunas Senior Operations Officer Eastern Europe/ Central Asia, Capacity Development and Small Grants Program dpivoriunas@thegef.org +1 202 458 9588	Pilar Barrera Operations Officer Civil Society Relations and Capacity Development pbarrera@thegef.org +1 202 458 9891

Regine Mpoyi Program Assistant rmpoyi@thegef.org +1 202 473 2754	
---	--

CORPORATE OPERATIONS, POLICIES AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

Ramesh Ramankutty

Head, Corporate Operations and Financial Services

raramankutty@thegef.org

+1 202 458 2725

Operations, Budget and Finance	
Lily Uy Hale Senior Operations Officer lhale@thegef.org +1 202 458 0735	Ramon Prudencio C de Mesa Operations Officer rmesa@thegef.org +1 202 458 9285
Quynh Xuan Thi Phan Financial Officer qphan1@thegef.org +1 202 458 4760	Beatrice B. Owolabi-Jokoh Resource Management Officer bowolabi@thegef.org +1 202 458 4215
Eniola Shitta Junior Professional Associate Eshitta@thegef.org +1 202 458 7505	Akila Nazneen Financial Assistant anazneen@thegef.org +1 202 473 1760
Management Information System	
Deepak Kataria Senior Business Solutions Officer dkataria@thegef.org +1 202 473 3881	Lesly Rigaud Client Technologies Officer lrigaud@thegef.org +1 202 473 3881
Juman Byun Business Solutions Officer jbyun@thegef.org +1 202 458 7987	Bjoern Buesing Operations Analyst bbuesing@thegef.org +1 202 458 9806
Ganapathy Mani Temporary gmani@thegef.org	
Policy and Strategy Development	
Andrew Velthaus Senior Policy Officer AVelthaus@thegef.org +1 202 473 9073	Yasemin Biro Kirtman Senior Environmental Specialist ybiro@thegef.org +1 202 473 1550
Sonja Sabita Teelucksingh Environmental Specialist steelucksingh@thegef.org +1 202 458 4004	Anirudh Rao Junior Professional Associate Arao5@thegef.org +1 202 473 2560
Results-Based Management	
Dima Shocair Reda Senior Results Management Coordinator dreda@thegef.org +1 202 458 5184	Omid Parhizkar Operations Analyst oparhizkar@thegef.org +1 202 458 5506
Sara El Choufi Junior Professional Associate selchoufi@thegef.org +1 202 458 7069	

NATURAL RESOURCES

Gustavo Fonseca
Head, Natural Resources
Gfonseca1@thegef.org
+1 202 458 4818

Regional Coordinators and Point Staff

Africa (Sub-Saharan) and Middle East and North Africa (MENA)	
Mohamed Imam Bakarr Senior Environmental Specialist and Regional Coordinator for Land Degradation mbakarr@thegef.org +1 202 458 8890	Jaime Cavalier Senior Biodiversity Specialist (Biodiversity/Biosafety/ABS) jcavalier@thegef.org +1 202 473 4886
Jean-Marc Sinnassamy Environmental Specialist (Land Degradation/SFM) jsinnassamy@thegef.org +1 202 458 8060	Charlotte Gobin Senior Environmental Specialist (Biodiversity) cgobin@thegef.org +1 202 458 5843
Shakil Kayani Program Assistant (MENA) skayani@thegef.org +1 202 458 4680	Nhu Quynh Phan Program Assistant (Region-wide) nphan@thegef.org +1 202 473 4236
Europe/Central Asia/South Asia and East Asia	
Yoko Watanabe Senior Biodiversity Specialist and Regional Coordinator for Biodiversity ywatanabe@thegef.org +1 202 473 9847	Ivan Zavadsky Senior Water Resource Management Specialist (International Waters) izavadsky@thegef.org +1 202 458 8004
Ulrich Apel Senior Environmental Specialist (Land Degradation/SFM/REDD+) uapel@thegef.org +1 202 473 2573	Kettly Denis Program Assistant (Region-wide) Kdenis@thegef.org +1 202 473 0825
Aziza Akhatova Junior Professional Associate aakhatova@thegef.org +1 202 473 9893	
Indo-Malay/Pacific	
Nicole Glineur Senior Environmental Specialist and Regional Coordinator for Biodiversity/International Waters nglineur@thegef.org +1 202 473 2512	Charlotte Gobin Senior Environmental Specialist (Biodiversity) cgobin@thegef.org +1 202 458 5843
Andrew Hume Junior Professional Associate (International Waters) ahume@thegef.org +1 202 458 4680	Kathryn Cherrie Program Assistant (Region-wide) kcherrie@thegef.org +1 202 458 1460
Jean-Marc Sinnassamy Environmental Specialist (Land Degradation/SFM) jsinnassamy@thegef.org +1 202 458 8060	

Latin America and the Caribbean	
Mark Zimsky Senior Biodiversity Specialist and Regional Coordinator for Biodiversity mzimsky@thegef.org +1 202 473 7855	Gustavo Fonseca Team Leader, Natural Resources (Biodiversity) Gfonsecal@thegef.org +1 202 458 4818
Christian Severin Senior Environmental Specialist (International Waters) cseverin@thegef.org +1 202 458 2001	Ian Gray Senior Environmental Specialist (SFM/REDD+) igray@thegef.org +1 202 458 1460
Kathryn Cherrie Program Assistant (region-wide) kcherrie@thegef.org +1 202 458 1460	

FOCAL AREA CLUSTER COORDINATOR AND EXPERTS

Biodiversity Cluster	
Mark Zimsky Senior Biodiversity Specialist and Cluster Coordinator mzimsky@thegef.org +1 202 473 7855	Jaime Cavalier Senior Biodiversity Specialist jcavalier@thegef.org +1 202 473 4886
Nicole Glineur Senior Environmental Specialist nglineur@thegef.org +1 202 473 2512	Charlotte Gobin Senior Environmental Specialist cgobin@thegef.org +1 202 458 5843
Yoko Watanabe Senior Biodiversity Specialist ywatane@thegef.org +1 202 473 9847	
International Waters Cluster	
Ivan Zavadsky Senior Water Resource Management Specialist and Cluster Coordinator izavadsky@thegef.org +1 202 458 8004	Astrid Hillers Senior Environmental Specialist ahillers@thegef.org +1 202 458 8173
Christian Severin Senior Environmental Specialist cseverin@thegef.org +1 202 458 2001	Andrew Hume Junior Professional Associate ahume@thegef.org +1 202 458 4680
Nicole Glineur Senior Environmental Specialist nglineur@thegef.org +1 202 473 2512	
Land Degradation Cluster	
Mohamed Imam Bakarr Senior Environmental Specialist and Cluster Coordinator mbakarr@thegef.org +1 202 458 8890	Ulrich Apel Senior Environmental Specialist uapel@thegef.org +1 202 473 2573

Jean-Marc Sinnassamy Environmental Specialist jsinnassamy@thegef.org +1 202 458 8060	Aziza Akhatova Junior Professional Associate aakhatova@thegef.org +1 202 473 9893
Sustainable Forest Management/REDD+ Cluster	
Ian Gray Senior Environmental Specialist and Cluster Coordinator igray@thegef.org +1 202 458 1460	Ulrich Apel Senior Environmental Specialist uapel@thegef.org +1 202 473 2573
Jean-Marc Sinnassamy Environmental Specialist jsinnassamy@thegef.org +1 202 458 8060	

NATURAL RESOURCES TEAM
Country Reference List for Regional Distribution

Latin American & Caribbean (LAC)	Middle East and North Africa Region (MENA)	Sub-Saharan Africa (AFR)	Eastern Europe and Central Asia (ECA)	South Asia / East Asia (SSE ASIA)	Pacific	Global
Antigua and Barbuda	Algeria	Angola	Albania	Afghanistan	Cook Islands	
Bahamas	Djibouti	Benin	Armenia	Bangladesh	Fiji	
Barbados	Egypt	Burkina Faso	Azerbaijan	Bhutan	Indonesia	
Belize	Morocco	Cameroon	Belarus	Cambodia	Kiribati	
Costa Rica	Tunisia	Cape Verde	Bosnia & Herzegovina	China	Malaysia	
Cuba	Iran	Chad	Bulgaria	India	Marshal Islands	
Dominica	Israel	Congo, DR	Central African Republic	Korea DPR	Micronesia	
Dominican Republic	Jordan	Congo, Republic of	Croatia	Korea Rep.	Nauru	
El Salvador	Lebanon	Cote d'Ivoire	Czech Republic	Lao	Niue	
Grenada	Syria	Equatorial Guinea	Estonia	Maldives	Palau	
Guatemala	Yemen Arab Republic	Gabon	Macedonia FYR	Mongolia	Papua New Guinea	
Haiti		Gambia	Georgia	Myanmar	Philippines	
Honduras		Ghana	Hungary	Nepal	Salomon Islands	
Jamaica		Guinea	Kazakhstan	Pakistan	Samoa	
Mexico		Guinea Bissau	Kosovo	Sri Lanka	Timor-Leste	
Nicaragua		Liberia	Kyrgyz Republic	Thailand	Tonga	
Panama		Mali	Latvia	Vietnam	Vanuatu	
St. Kitts and Nevis		Mauritania	Lithuania			
St. Lucia		Niger	Moldova			
St. Vincent and the Grenadines		Nigeria	Poland			
Trinidad y Tobago		Sao tome & Principe	Romania			
Brazil		Senegal	Russian Federation			
Guyana		Sierra Leone	Montenegro			
Paraguay		Togo	Slovak Republic			
Suriname		Botswana	Slovenia			
Uruguay		Burundi	Tajikistan			
Argentina		Central African Republic	Turkey			
Bolivia		Comoros	Turkmenistan			
Chile		Ethiopia	Ukraine			
Colombia		Eriteria	Uzbekistan			
Ecuador		Kenya				
Peru		Lesotho				
Venezuela		Madagascar				
		Malawi				
		Mauritius				
		Mozambique				
		Namibia				
		Rwanda				
		Seychelles				
		South Africa				
		Sudan				
		Swaziland				
		Tanzania				
		Uganda				
		Zambia				
		Zimbabwe				

Assistant: Kathy	Assistant: Shakil	Assistant: Nhu	Assistant: Kettly	Assistant: Kettly	Assistant: Kathy	Assistant: Shakil
Back up: Kettly	Back up: Nhu	Back up: Shakil	Back up: Kathy	Back up: Kathy	Back up: Kettly	Back up: Nhu

CLIMATE AND CHEMICALS

Robert K. Dixon

Head, Climate and Chemicals

Rdixon1@thegef.org

+1 202 473 2340

Climate Change Mitigation	
Chizuru Aoki Senior Technology Transfer Officer and Cluster Coordinator caoki@thegef.org +1 202 473 6068	Monica Fernandes Program Assistant mfernandes@thegef.org +1 202 473 9647
Energy Efficiency	
David Rodgers Senior Energy Specialist (Energy Efficiency, Renewable Energy) drodgers@thegef.org +1 202 458 9869	
Transport/Urban	
Hiroaki Takiguchi Senior Environmental Specialist htakiguchi@thegef.org +1 202 458 2789	
Renewable Energy	
Ming Yang Senior Environmental Economist myang@thegef.org +1 202 473 5707	David Rodgers Senior Energy Specialist (Energy Efficiency, Renewable Energy) drodgers@thegef.org +1 202 458 9869
Henan Xu Junior Professional Associate jhxu@thegef.org +1 202 458 9074	
Land Use, Land Use Change and Forestry (LULUCF)/Sustainable Forest Management (SFM)	
Linda Heath Senior Environmental Specialist lheath@thegef.org +1 202 473 7630	Franck Jesus Senior Climate Change Specialist Fjesus@thegef.org +1 202 458 9755
Technology Transfer	
Chizuru Aoki Senior Technology Transfer Officer caoki@thegef.org +1 202 473 6068	

Climate Change Adaptation	
Bonizella Biagini Lead Climate Change Specialist and Cluster Coordinator bbiagini@thegef.org +1 202 458 7506	Glynis Barber Program Assistant mfernandes@thegef.org +1 202 473 9647
Rawleston Moore Senior Climate Change Specialist Rmoore1@thegef.org +1 202 473 8231	Junu Shresta Operations Analyst jshresta@thegef.org +1 202 473 1663
Saliha Dobardzic Climate Change Specialist sdobardzic@thegef.org +1 202 473 5943	Roland Sundstrom Junior Professional Officer ksundstrom@thegef.org +1 202 473 7510
Claudia Ortiz-Montemayor Junior Professional Associate Cortiz@thegef.org +1 202 458 9212	

Chemicals	
Ibrahima Sow Senior Environmental Specialist and Cluster Coordinator isow@thegef.org +1 202 473 2716	Tigest Tirfe Program Assistant ttirfe@thegef.org +1 202 458 9297
Anil Bruce Sookdeo Environmental Specialist asookdeo@thegef.org +1 202 458 0683	Jie Pan Junior Professional Associate jpan@thegef.org +1 202 473 8802
Evelyn Swain Environmental Specialist eswain@thegef.org +1 202 473 1151	

ADAPTATION FUND BOARD SECRETARIAT

Marcia Levaggi
Senior Program Manager
mlevaggi@thegef.org
+1 202 473 6390

Adaptation Fund Board Secretariat Staff	
Mikko Antti Ollikainen Adaptation Officer molikainen@thegef.org +1 202 458 8912	Daouda Ben Oumar Ndiaye Adaption Officer dndiaye@thegef.org +1 202 473 4611
Rolando Marcelo Jordan Arce Operations Officer rmjordan@thegef.org +1 202 458 4965	Shyla Raghav Junior Professional Associate sraghav@thegef.org +1 202 473 9083
Samer Dweik Consultant sdweik@thegef.org +1 202 458 8191	Aya Mimura Program Assistant amimura@thegef.org +1 202 458 7347
Jeannette Jin Yu Lee Temporary jlee21@thegef.org +1 202 473 7499	Rob Weirs Consultant rweirs@thegef.org +1 202 458 8191

GEF DIRECTORY OF ADDRESSEES

GEF Secretariat	
GEF Secretariat¹ Program Coordination Registry 1818 H Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20433, USA gcoordination@thegef.org	Attn: Mr. Ramesh Ramankutty Head, Operations and Business Strategy rramankutty@thegef.org +1 202 458 2725
GEF Trustee	
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (The World Bank) Registry 1818 H Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20433, USA	Mr. Praveen Desabatla Team Leader, CFPMI pdesabatla@worldbank.org +1 202 458 2099
STAP Secretariat	
Scientific and Technical Advisory Panel (STAP) Secretariat Registry 900 17 th Street, NW Suite 506 Washington, D.C. 20006, USA stapsec@unep.org	Attn: Mr. Thomas Lovejoy STAP Chair Thomas.lovejoy@unep.org <i>Copy to: Mr. Thomas Hammond</i> STAP Secretary Thomas.hammond@unep.org +1 202 621 5021
Convention Secretariats	
UN Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) 413 rue Saint-Jacques, Suite 800 Montreal, Quebec, Canada H2Y 1 N9 Secretariat@cbd.int	Attn: Mr. Bráulio F. de Souza Dias Executive Secretary <i>GEF Contact Person: Mr. Yibin Xiang</i> Program Officer Yibin.xiang@cbd.int +1 514 288 2220
UN Framework on Climate Change Convention (UNFCCC) Haus Carstanjen Martin Luther King Strasse 8 53175 Bonn, Germany secretariat@unfccc.int	Attn: Ms. Christiana Figueres Executive Secretary <i>GEF Contact Person: Mr. Yolando Velasco</i> Manager, FTC Programme gefenabling.activities@unfccc.int gefprojects@unfccc.int +45228 815 1999
Stockholms Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants UNEP International Environment House 1 11-13 Chemin des Anémones 1219 Chatelaine, Geneva, Switzerland ssc@pops.int	Attn: Mr. Jim Willis Executive Secretary <i>GEF Contact Person: Ms. Maria Cristina Cardenas</i> GEF Liaison Officer mcardenas@pops.int +41 22 9178729
UN Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD) Hermann-Ehlers Str. 10 D-53113 Bonn, Germany secretariat@unccd.int	Attn: Mr. Luc Gnacadja Executive Secretary <i>GEF Contact Person: Ms. Anja Thust</i> Program Officer, FCMI Unit athust@unccd.int +49 228 815 2828

¹ GEF Secretariat's physical address: Presidential Plaza Building, 900 19th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20006

GEF Agency Secretariats	
African Development Bank (AfDB) Registry 15 Avenue du Ghana P.O. Box 323-1002 Tunis-Belvedere, Tunisia Gef_afdb@afdb.org	Mr. Ignacio Tourino Soto GEF Program Coordinator i.tourinosoto@afdb.org +216 7110 2768 <i>Copy to: Mr. Anthony Nyong</i> <i>Division Manager, Environmental and Social Protection, anyong@afdb.org</i>
Asian Development Bank (ADB) Registry 6 ADB Avenue Mandaluyong City 1550 Metro Manila, Philippines adbgef@adb.org	Attn: Mr. Nessim Ahmad Director, Environment and Social Safeguards And GEF Official Focal Point njahmad@adb.org <i>Copy to: Mr. Bruce Dunn</i> <i>ADB/GEF Coordinator</i> bdunn@adb.org +632 683 1922/ +632 683 1923
European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) Registry One Exchange Square London EC2A 2JN, United Kingdom ebrdgef@ebrd.com	Ms. Marta Simonetti-Whitford GEF Coordinator and Principal Manager simonetm@ebrd.com +0044 (0) 20 7338 7259
United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Registry Viale Dell Terme di Caracalla 00153 Rome, Italy faogef@fao.org	Ms. Barbara Cooney GEF Coordinator, Investment Centre Division Technical Cooperation Department Barbara.cooney@fao.org +3906 5705 5478
Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) Registry 1300 New York Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20577, USA Idb-gef@idb.org	Mr. Michael Collins GEF Coordinator michaelc@iadb.org + 1 202 623 3159 <i>Copy to: Ms. Carolina Jaramillo, GEF Liaison</i> carolinaj@iadb.org
International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) Registry Via Paolo di Dono, 44 00142 Rome, Italy ECDmailbox@ifad.org	Attn: Mr. Kevin Cleaver Assistant President Kevin.cleaver@ifad.org <i>Copy to: Mr. Elwyn Grainger-Jones</i> <i>GEF Coordinator</i> e.grainger-jones@ifad.org + 39 06 5459 2151
United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) Registry United Nations Avenue Gigiri, PO Box 30552 00100 Nairobi, Kenya Unepgef@unep.org Local Office: 900 17 th Street, NW Suite 506, Washington, D.C. 20006	Ms. Maryam Niamir-Fuller GEF Executive Coordinator Maryam.niamir-fuller@unep.org +254 20 762166 <i>Copy to: Ms. Kristin McLaughlin</i> <i>GEF Liaison Officer</i> Kristin.mclaughlin@unep.org +1 202 974 1312

GEF Agency Secretariats (cont.)	
United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) Registry Vienna International Centre PO Box 300 A-1400 Vienna, Austria gef@unido.org Local office: 1800 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Suite 400 Washington, DC 20036	Mr. Juergen Hierold GEF Coordinator g.anestis@unido.org +43 1 26026 4565 <i>Copy to: Ms. Anya Onysko</i> <i>UNIDO Liaison Officer</i> g.onysko@unido.org +1 202 569 0752
United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Registry 304 East 45 th Street New York, NY 10017, USA undpgef@undp.org Local office: 1800 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Suite 400 Washington, DC 20036	Attn: Mr. Yannick Glemarec GEF Executive Coordinator Yannick.glemarec@undp.org <i>Copy to: Ms. Adriana Dinu</i> <i>Deputy Executive Coordinator</i> Adriana.dinu@undp.org +1 212 906 5143
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (The World Bank) Registry 1818 H Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20433, USA wbgefoperations@worldbank.org	Ms. Karin Shepardson GEF Executive Coordinator kshepardson@worldbank.org +202 473 8607 <i>Copy to: Ms. Siv Tokle</i> <i>Senior Operations Officer</i> stokle@worldbank.org +1 202 473 6476

DISTRIBUTION LIST WHEN SUBMITTING PROJECT PROPOSALS FOR GEF CEO APPROVAL/ENDORSEMENT

As a rule, all GEF Agencies are expected to circulate their project proposals to the GEF Secretariat, GEF Agencies, STAP and to the relevant Convention Secretariat.

Standard Distribution List for all projects (PIF, PPG, FSP, MSP, and EA):

gcoordination@thegef.org
stapsec@unep.org
thomas.hammond@unep.org
adbgef@adb.org
bdunn@adb.org
njahmad@adb.org
gef_afdb@afdb.org
i.tourinosoto@afdb.org
ebrdgef@ebrd.com
simonetm@ebrd.com
faogef@fao.org
barbara.cooney@fao.org
ldb-gef@iadb.org
michaelc@iadb.org
carolinaj@iadb.org
ECDmailbox@ifad.org
e.grainger-jones@ifad.org
unepgef@unep.org
kristin.mclaughlin@unep.org
Maryam.Niamir-Fuller@unep.org
gef@unido.org
j.hierold@unido.org
g.onysko@unido.org
undpgef@undp.org
adriana.dinu@undp.org
wbgefoperations@worldbank.org
stokle@worldbank.org

To be included in the Standard Distribution List as appropriate:

For Biodiversity Projects:

secretariat@cbd.int
yibin.xiang@cbd.int

For Climate Change Projects:

gefprojects@unfccc.int
gefenabling.activities@unfccc.int

For POPs Projects:

ssc@pops.int
mcardenas@pops.int

For Land Degradation Projects:

secretariat@unccd.int
athust@unccd.int

SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING GEF COUNCIL MEETINGS

2012

Meetings/Consultations	Dates
GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society Organizations	June 4, 2012
GEF Council Meeting	June 5 -7, 2012
LDCF/SCCF Council Meeting	June 7, 2012

Requests Received from Implementing/Executing Agencies

May 28 - June 1, 2012

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
AfDB									
4680		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	AfDB	Regional (Central African Republic, Cameroon, Niger, Nigeria, Chad)	LCB-NREE Lake Chad Basin Regional Program for the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Natural Resources and Energy Efficiency (PROGRAM)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	31-May-12
FAO									
5014		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Burkina Faso	Integrating climate resilience into agricultural and pastoral production for food security in vulnerable rural areas through the Farmers Field School approach.	Knut Sundstrom	24-May-12
4096		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP, FAO	Sri Lanka	Promoting Sustainable Biomass Energy Production and Modern Bio-Energy Technologies	Franck Jesus	29-May-12

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>Direct Access Proposals</u>									
5012		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	-	China	Update and Implementation of National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan and Preparing Fifth National Report to the CBD	Yoko Watanabe	29-May-12
4820		EA	POPs	CEO EA Approval	-	Madagascar	Enabling Activities to review and update the National Implementation Plan for the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	Ibrahima Sow	30-May-12

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
<u>UNDP</u>									
4870	4823	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	China	CBPF-MSL: Strengthening the Management Effectiveness of the Wetland Protected Area System in Hubei Province	Yoko Watanabe	21-May-12
4995	5091	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Zambia	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change - Zambia	Knut Sundstrom	24-May-12
4960	4713	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Zimbabwe	Scaling up Adaptation in Zimbabwe, with a Focus on Rural Livelihoods, by Strengthening Integrated Planning Systems	Saliha Dobardzic	24-May-12
4982	5048	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Croatia	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	25-May-12
4997	4860	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Sri Lanka	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	25-May-12
4971	4598	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Burkina Faso	Reducing vulnerability of natural resource dependent livelihoods in two landscapes at risk of the effects of climate change in Burkina Faso: Boucles du Mouhoun Forest Corridor and Mare d'Oursi Wetlands Basin	Saliha Dobardzic	25-May-12

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
5011	4929	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Turkmenistan	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	29-May-12
4096	4226	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP, FAO	Sri Lanka	Promoting Sustainable Biomass Energy Production and Modern Bio-Energy Technologies	Franck Jesus	29-May-12
5013	5010	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	El Salvador	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Andrew Velthaus	29-May-12
5015	4958	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Malawi	Implementing urgent adaptation priorities through strengthened decentralized and national development plans.	Saliha Dobardzic	30-May-12
5015	4958	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Malawi	Implementing urgent adaptation priorities through strengthened decentralized and national development plans.	Saliha Dobardzic	30-May-12
4993	5094	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Uganda	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change	Knut Sundstrom	31-May-12

UNIDO

4184		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNIDO	Thailand	Promoting small biomass power plants in rural Thailand for sustainable renewable energy management and community involvement	Ming Yang	29-May-12
------	--	-----	----------------	------------------	-------	----------	--	-----------	-----------

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
World Bank									
4645		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Zimbabwe	Hwange-Sanyati Biological Corridor (HSBC) Environment Management and Conservation Project	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	30-May-12
4505		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Peru	Strengthening Sustainable Management of the Guano Islands, Islets and Capes National Reserve System (RNSIIPG)	Ian Gray	31-May-12
4635		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Regional (China, Indonesia, Philippines, Vietnam)	LME-EA Scaling Up Partnership Investments for Sustainable Development of the Large Marine Ecosystems of East Asia and their Coasts (PROGRAM)	Christian Severin	1-Jun-12

Responses to Proponents

May 28 - June 1, 2012

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
ADB										
4512		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	ADB, UNEP	Regional	Pilot Asia-Pacific Climate Technology Network and Finance Center	Rawleston Moore	31-May-12	FSP endorsed by CEO
AfDB										
4680		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	AfDB	Regional (Central African Republic, Cameroon, Niger, Nigeria, Chad)	LCB-NREE Lake Chad Basin Regional Program for the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Natural Resources and Energy Efficiency (PROGRAM)	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	31-May-12	PPG approved by CEO
FAO										
3984		MSP	Biodiversity	CEO MSP Approval	FAO	Regional (Cote d'Ivoire, Ghana)	SPWA-Development of a trans-frontier conservation area linking forest reserves and protected areas in Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire	Charlotte Gobin	29-May-12	MSP sent to Agency for revision
5009		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	FAO	Lesotho	Alignment of Lesotho s National Action Plan with UNCCD	Mohamed Bakarr	30-May-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
5010		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	FAO	Uruguay	Alignment of National Action Programs with the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy and Reporting Process	Mohamed Bakarr	31-May-12	EA recommended for CEO approval
5010		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	FAO	Uruguay	Alignment of National Action Programs with the UNCCD 10-Year Strategy and Reporting Process	Mohamed Bakarr	1-Jun-12	EA approved by CEO

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
4662		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	FAO	China	CBPF-MSL: Piloting Provincial-level Wetland Protected Area System in Jiangxi Province	Yoko Watanabe	1-Jun-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision

IADB

4136		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Chile	TT-Pilot (GEF-4): Promotion and Development of Local Solar Technologies in Chile	Chizuru Aoki	1-Jun-12	FSP endorsed by CEO
------	--	----	----------------	------------------------	------	-------	--	--------------	----------	---------------------

UNDP

4991	5096	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Tanzania	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Tanzania to Support Climate Resilient Development	Bonizella Biagini	23-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4994	5092	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Malawi	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Malawi to Support Climate Resilient Development	Bonizella Biagini	23-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4992	5095	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Ethiopia	Strengthening climate information and early warning systems in Ethiopia to support climate resilient development	Bonizella Biagini	23-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4987	5027	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Algeria	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan in Algeria	Jaime Cavelier	29-May-12	EA approved by CEO

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
4832	4626	FP	Land Degradation	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Namibia	Sustainable Management of Namibia's Forested Lands	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	30-May-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
3844	4181	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Bhutan	Promoting Sustainable Rural Biomass Energy	Linda Heath	30-May-12	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement
4980	4804	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Indonesia	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Charlotte Gobin	30-May-12	EA approved by CEO
4997	4860	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Sri Lanka	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	31-May-12	EA recommended for CEO approval
4989	4915	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Uzbekistan	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	31-May-12	EA recommended for CEO approval
4982	5048	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Croatia	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	31-May-12	EA recommended for CEO approval
4995	5091	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Zambia	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change - Zambia	Knut Sundstrom	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
5002	5105	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Benin	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Western and Central Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change - Benin	Knut Sundstrom	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
5006	5107	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Sierra Leone	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Western and Central Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change - Sierra Leone	Knut Sundstrom	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4993	5094	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Uganda	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Eastern and Southern Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change	Knut Sundstrom	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
5003	5104	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Burkina Faso	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Western and Central Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change - Burkina Faso	Knut Sundstrom	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4982	5048	EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Croatia	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	31-May-12	EA approved by CEO

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
4997	4860EA		Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Sri Lanka	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	31-May-12	EA approved by CEO
5004	5103 FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Sao Tome and Principe	Strengthening Climate Information and Early Warning Systems in Western and Central Africa for Climate Resilient Development and Adaptation to Climate Change - Sao Tome and Principe	Knut Sundstrom	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4989	4915EA		Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Uzbekistan	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	31-May-12	EA approved by CEO
4725	4568 FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Solomon Islands	Solomon Islands Water Sector Adaptation Project (SIWSAP)	Bonizella Biagini	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4725	4568 FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Solomon Islands	Solomon Islands Water Sector Adaptation Project (SIWSAP)	Bonizella Biagini	31-May-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
5011	4929EA		Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNDP	Turkmenistan	National Biodiversity Planning to Support the Implementation of the CBD 2011-2020 Strategic Plan	Yoko Watanabe	1-Jun-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision

UNEP

4999	MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	UNEP	Mexico	Integrated Responses to Short lived Climate Forcers Promoting Clean Energy and Energy Efficiency	Linda Heath	29-May-12	MSP sent to Agency for revision
------	-----	----------------	------------------	------	--------	--	-------------	-----------	---------------------------------

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
2119		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, World Bank	Regional (Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, Rwanda)	African Rift Geothermal Development Facility (ARGeo)	David Elrie Rodgers	30-May-12	FSP recommended for endorsement (Amendment)
4512		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	ADB, UNEP	Regional	Pilot Asia-Pacific Climate Technology Network and Finance Center	Rawleston Moore	31-May-12	FSP endorsed by CEO
2119		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, World Bank	Regional (Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, Rwanda)	African Rift Geothermal Development Facility (ARGeo)	David Elrie Rodgers	31-May-12	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement

UNIDO

5001		EA	POPs	CEO EA Approval	UNIDO	Serbia	Enabling Activities to Review and Update the National Implementation Plan for the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	Ibrahima Sow	31-May-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for EA revision
------	--	----	------	-----------------	-------	--------	--	--------------	-----------	---

World Bank

2119		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, World Bank	Regional (Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, Rwanda)	African Rift Geothermal Development Facility (ARGeo)	David Elrie Rodgers	30-May-12	FSP recommended for endorsement (Amendment)
2119		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP, World Bank	Regional (Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, Rwanda)	African Rift Geothermal Development Facility (ARGeo)	David Elrie Rodgers	31-May-12	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement