

**13<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the GBEP Working Group on Capacity Building  
for Sustainable Bioenergy (WGCB)**  
*Online - 12.00 – 14.30 CET time (UTC +1)*  
Monday, 15 November 2021

**AGENDA**

- 12:00 – 12:10**      **Opening and adoption of the agenda**  
*Miguel Almada (Argentina), Co-Chair*  
*Bah Saho (ECREEE), Co-Chair*
- 12:10 – 13:55**      **Overview of the WGCB work in 2021 and plans for 2022**  
✓ Reports on main activities, results and accomplishments, and related discussions and agreement on next steps, *Constance Miller (GBEP Secretariat)*
- 12.10 – 12.35      **Activity Group 2 “Raising awareness and sharing of data and experiences from the implementation of the GBEP indicators”**  
Updates on recent experiences in the measurement of the GBEP indicators:
  - Implementation on the biodiesel value chain in Paraguay, *Stephania Spitale, CEAMSO, Paraguay*
  - Demo of the WebGIS tool developed by the BIOPLAT-EU project on the basis of the GBEP Indicators, *Marco Colangeli, FAO*
  - Discussion and agreement on next steps
- 12.35 – 12.50      **Activity Group 3 “Study Tour for capacity building and training”**
  - Main messages from the Bioenergy Week 2021, Ethiopia, Addis Ababa (online event), and introduction to the Bioenergy Week 2022, Paraguay
  - Discussion and agreement on next steps
- 12.50 – 13.15      **Activity Group 4 “Towards sustainable modern wood energy development”**
  - Progress report on activities and next steps
  - Overview of biohydrogen from woody biomass, *Franco Cotana, University of Perugia, Italy*
  - Discussion and agreement on next steps
- 13.15 – 13.25      **Activity Group 7 “Biogas”**
  - Progress report on activities and next steps
  - Discussion and agreement on next steps
- 13.25 – 13.35      **Activity Group 8 “Advanced Liquid Biofuels”**
  - Progress report on activities and next steps
  - Discussion and agreement on next steps
- 13.35 – 13.55      **Youth involvement**
  - Report on activities, events and next steps

- Youth involvement in High Schools in Ghana, *Julius Nkansah-Nyarko, Energy Commission, Ghana*
- Discussion and agreement on next steps

**13.55 – 14.20**

**Proposals of new Activity Groups**

- ✓ Presentation of proposals
  - “*Bioenergy in Displacement Settings*”
  - “*Linking Bioenergy with Food Security and Nutrition*”
- ✓ Discussion and agreement on next steps

**14.20 – 14.30**

**WGCB further activities and capacity development events**

- ✓ 2021 WGCB events
- ✓ Proposals on 2022 WGCB events

**14.30**

**Conclusions of the WGCB**

*Miguel Almada (Argentina), Co-Chair*  
*Bah Saho (ECREEE), Co-Chair*

## 19<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the GBEP Task Force on Sustainability

*Online – 12.00 – 13.30 CET time (UTC +1)*

Tuesday, 16 November 2021

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- 12:00 – 12:05**      **Opening and adoption of the agenda**  
*Takashi Hayashi, TF Co-Chair (Japan)*  
*Annalisa Zezza, TF Co-Chair (Italy)*  
*Ahmed Abdelati Ahmed, TF Co-Chair (Egypt)*
- 12:05 – 12:15**      **Overview of the TFS work in 2021**  
✓ Presentation of main results and accomplishments, *Constance Miller (GBEP Secretariat)*
- 12:15 – 12:45**      **Rapid Implementation Framework (RIF) of the GSI**  
✓ FAO Report on the RIF, *Federica Matteoli, CSA team, FAO and Andrea Rossi and Constance Miller, FAO/GBEP Secretariat*  
✓ Discussion on next steps
- 12:45 – 13:20**      **Bioenergy in the context of a broader bioeconomy**  
✓ Progress of GBEP work on bioeconomy, *Uwe Fritsche, Germany*  
✓ Cooperation with Biofuture Platform on Biomass quantification and Sustainability Governance, *Paolo Frankl, IEA and Maria Michela Morese, GBEP Secretariat*  
✓ Discussion on next steps
- 13:20 - 13.30**      **Conclusions and next steps**  
*Takashi Hayashi, TF Co-Chair (Japan)*  
*Annalisa Zezza, TF Co-Chair (Italy)*  
*Ahmed Abdelati Ahmed, TF Co-Chair (Egypt)*

## **24<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the GBEP Steering Committee**

*Online 13.30 – 14.45 CET time (UTC +1)*

Tuesday, 16 November 2021

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- 13.30 – 13.40**      **Welcome speech**  
*Eduardo Mansur, Director, Office on Climate Change, Biodiversity and Environment, FAO*
- 13.40 – 13.50**      **Opening and adoption of the agenda**  
*Amb. Alex Giacomelli, Brazil, GBEP Co-Chair*  
*Ms Emily Marthaler, USA, GBEP Co-Chair*
- 13.50 – 14.00**      **GBEP Co-Chairmanship and Membership**  
✓ GBEP co-chairmanship confirmation of the on-line decision  
✓ Welcoming new GBEP Observers
- 14.00 – 14:40**      **GBEP Programme of Work and funding arrangements**  
✓ Presentation of progress report from WGCB and TFS, *Maria Michela Morese, GBEP Secretariat*  
✓ GBEP funding arrangements for the future, *Maria Michela Morese, GBEP Secretariat*  
✓ Discussion and endorsement of the way forward
- 14:40 – 14:45**      **Conclusions and next steps**