



PROGRAMME

4th Global Meeting of the Mountain Partnership

17-19 September 2013, Erzurum, Turkey

Tuesday 17 September

09:00-09:40	<p>Opening ceremony</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening statements İbrahim Çiftçi, General Director, General Directorate of Forestry Thomas Hofer, Interim Coordinator, Mountain Partnership Secretariat Eduardo Rojas-Briales, Assistant Director-General for Forestry, Food and Agriculture Organization Ahmet Küçükler, Mayor of Erzurum Nurettin Akman, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs Ahmet Altıparmak, Governor of Erzurum 	<p>Plenary Hall/Erzen</p> <p>Chair: Mahir Küçük <i>Deputy Undersecretary, Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs, Turkey</i></p>
09:40-10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key note speeches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Why mountains matter <i>Bruno Messerli - University of Bern</i> - Reconciling conservation, development and community benefits in mountain ecosystems <i>Sam Kanyamibwa - Albertine Rift Conservation Society (ARCOS)</i> 	<p>Plenary Hall/Erzen</p> <p>Chair: Mahir Küçük <i>Deputy Undersecretary, Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs, Turkey</i></p>
10.30-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-13:00	<p>Formal introduction and approval of the agenda Formal session 1: The new Mountain Partnership Strategy and Governance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explaining the process and presentation of the Strategy and Governance document <i>Thomas Hofer, Interim Coordinator, Mountain Partnership Secretariat</i> • Approval of the document 	<p>Plenary Hall/Erzen</p> <p>Chair: Eduardo Rojas <i>Forestry Department, Food and Agriculture Organization</i></p>



13:00-14:30	Lunch	
14:30-16:00	Partnership fair 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short presentations from members of on-going and planned activities in the context of the Mountain Partnership 	Plenary Hall/Erzen
16:00-16.30	Coffee break	
16:30-18:00	Parallel geographic meetings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North & Central America and the Caribbean • South America • Europe • Asia and Pacific (inc. Central Asia) • Sub-Saharan Africa • Middle East and North Africa 	Rooms: Private Astrila Kalikala Erzen Sports Karin
18:00-19:00	Parallel side events UNESCO, UNEP, FAO and ICIMOD <i>Findings of regional workshops</i> Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs, Turkey <i>Anatolian approach for mountain development</i> FSDA, Altai, Aigine and UCA <i>Cultural values of mountains</i>	Sports Meeting Room Astrila Meeting Room Kalikala Meeting Room



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09:00-10:30	<p>Discussion on mountains in Rio+20 and the Post-2015 Sustainable Development Goals</p> <p><i>Presentation of the process and next key steps</i></p>	<p>Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: André Wehrli <i>Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)</i></p>
10:30-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-12:00	<p>Knowledge platform for sustainable mountain development</p> <p><i>Miguel Saravia - Consortium for Sustainable Development of the Andean Ecoregion (CONDESAN)</i></p>	<p>Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Musonda Mumba, <i>UNEP</i></p>
12:00-13:00	<p>Regional coordination mechanisms: Sharing experiences from Europe and the Himalayas</p> <p><i>Euromontana, Alpine Convention, Carpathian Convention, International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD)</i></p>	<p>Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Musonda Mumba, <i>UNEP</i></p>
13:00-14:30	Lunch	Rooms:
13:30-14:30	<p>Parallel side events</p> <p>CDE – FDDM <i>Walk the talk! Actions of sustainable mountain development at sub-national level – examples from Canton Valais, Switzerland</i></p> <p>ETE – Carpathian Convention (UNEP) <i>Strategy for the future sustainable tourism development of the Carpathians</i></p> <p>Tunisia et al <i>Regional initiative for mountains for the MENA region</i></p> <p>Prakriti Group and CEE Himalaya <i>Adaptation and mitigation in increasing disasters in the mountains</i></p>	<p>Karin</p> <p>Sports</p> <p>Kalikala</p> <p>Private</p>



14:30-16:00	Partnership fair 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short presentations from members of on-going and planned activities in the context of the Mountain Partnership 	Plenary Hall/Erzen
16:00-16:30	Coffee break	
16:30-18:00	Working groups: Putting the Mountain Partnership into practice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advocacy • Joint action • Knowledge management and communication • Capacity development and technology transfer • Innovation • Resource mobilization 	Karin Astrila Erzen Kalikala Sports Private
18:00-19:00	Parallel side events SDC – ADA – CDE <i>Knowledge management on sustainable mountain development areas</i> Mab-6 <i>Scientific network in the Caucasus mountain region</i> UCA and Central Asia members <i>Mountain livelihood and transformational role of women</i> ARCOS et al <i>MP Africa: Progress in sustainable mountain development</i>	Rooms: Kalikala Karin Astrila Sports



Thursday 19 September

09:00-11:00	Working groups: Putting the Mountain Partnership into practice	Karin Astrila Erzen Kalikala Sports Private
11:00-11:30	Coffee break	
11:30-13:00	Reports of the working groups Next steps 1: Roadmap and workplan	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Baldomero Casillo, <i>Argentina</i>
13:00-14:30 13:30-14:30	Lunch Parallel side events CDE – SDC <i>Mountains, our life, our future: Launch of the Global Synthesis Report</i> Tunisia et al <i>Vers une initiative sur les montagnes méditerranéennes forte et active</i> BIND, CONDESAN, Pan Himalayan Grassroots Development Foundation <i>Tropical mountain forest conservation</i> Fundacion Ecohabitats <i>The role of women in access to land and adaptation to climate change</i>	Rooms: Sports Kalikala Astrila Karin
14:30-16:00	Next steps 2: Roadmap and workplan	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Eklabya Sharma, <i>ICIMOD</i>



16:00-16:30	Coffee break	
16:30-18:00	Formal session 2: Selection of the Steering Committee members	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Alfredo Guillet <i>Italian Cooperation – Ministry of Foreign Affairs</i> Rooms: Sports Kalikala Karin Astrila Erzen Private
18:00-18:30	Closing ceremony	Plenary Hall/Erzen Chair: Alfredo Guillet <i>Italian Cooperation – Ministry of Foreign Affairs</i>
18:30-20:00	First Formal Meeting of the Mountain Partnership Steering Committee (closed meeting)	Karin Meeting Room

Friday 20 September

08:30-18:00	Field trip – Uzundere, Ulubağ plateau and waterfall
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