





# Workshop for Policymakers on the Activities and Findings of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)

# hosted by the African Climate Policy Centre (ACPC) of the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (ECA)

30 April 2017, Sunday, 02.00 pm - 04.00 pm Room LBR, United Nations Conference Centre in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

## Objectives:

- To present the Fifth Assessment Report (AR5) findings, as well as the work of the IPCC in the coming years;
- To promote knowledge about the Sixth Assessment Report (AR6) cycle work plan, priorities of the IPCC, its role, processes and activities.

## Audience:

- · Ambassadors in Ethiopia;
- Climate sensitive ministries in Ethiopia;
- · City official;
- Ethiopia parliamentarians;
- PACC Pan African Chamber of Commerce;
- Business Community;
- UN Agencies in Ethiopia;
- International NGOs in Ethiopia.

Web page: <a href="http://ipcc.ch/apps/outreach/eventinfo.php?q=379">http://ipcc.ch/apps/outreach/eventinfo.php?q=379</a>

Registration by 6.00 pm (Addis Ababa time) on 28 April 2017 at: https://goo.gl/IXvns2

#### **Draft Schedule:**

Welcome by the moderator, Fatima Denton, Director, Special Initiatives Division, ECA (3 min)

### Opening session:

- Opening remarks by **Abdalla Hamdok**, Executive Secretary, ECA (5 min)
- Introductory remarks by **Abdalah Mokssit**, Secretary, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) (5 min)

### Fifth Assessment Report (AR5):

- Framing the IPCC Assessments by Youba Sokona, Vice-Chair, IPCC (5 min)
- Key messages on Climate Change: the Physical science Basis by **Gian-Kasper Plattner**, Former Head, Working Group (WG) I Technical Support Unit, IPCC (10 min)
- Key messages on Climate Change: Impacts, Adaptation, and Vulnerability by **Debra Roberts**, Co-Chair, WGII, IPCC (10 min)
- Climate-resilient pathways by Fatima Denton, Director, Special Initiatives Division, ECA and Author, AR5, IPCC (10 min)
- Key messages on Climate Change Mitigation by Jim Skea, Co-Chair, WGIII, IPCC (10 min)
- Overview of the Synthesis Report by Youba Sokona, Vice-Chair, IPCC (10 min)
- Q&A Session (20 min)

#### IPCC and the Sixth Assessment Cycle:

- Plans for the Sixth Assessment Cycle in the context of the Paris Agreement, including the production of the IPCC special report on the impacts of global warming of 1.5°C above pre-industrial levels and related global greenhouse gas emission pathways, in the context of strengthening the global response to the threat of climate change, sustainable development, and efforts to eradicate poverty (SR1.5) by **Thelma Krug**, Vice-Chair, IPCC (15 min)
- Q&A Session with all IPCC representatives (15 min)