

# REGIONAL FORUM

ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT FOR THE UNECE REGION

## Side Events Preliminary Timetable

### 27 March

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| Water pressure (WASH): Sector specific public allocation for women's empowerment: clean, affordable and gender equitable access to water<br>9:00 - 10:00 | Alternative Models for Affordable Housing<br>10:00 - 11:30   |
| Scaling up renovations of multi-apartment buildings in the context of current energy crisis in Central and Eastern Europe<br>12:00 - 13:30               | Partnerships for Solidarity in Times of Crisis<br>13:00 - 14:30  |
| Localizing the SDGs: Agri-food systems transformation as a key accelerator<br>14:00 - 15:30  | Scaling-up the 2030 Agenda means of implementation for sustainable structural transformation in the South-Eastern Europe Region<br>15:00 - 16:30       |
| Intersectionality in policy and practice: a tool for operationalising the Leave No One Behind principle<br>15:00 - 16:20                                 | Strengthening partnership enabling factors to foster transformative change – A global campaign towards and beyond the 2023 SDG Summit<br>15:30 - 17:00 |
| Voluntary Metropolitan Review<br>16:00 - 17:30   | Gender-Responsiveness in Partnerships for the Goals (SDG 17): Tools, Strategies, and Approaches<br>17:30- 19:00  |

### 28 March

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| Gathering and applying evidence for development: an entry point for progress for all<br>10:00 - 11:30                     | Unleashing the power of youth through Education: Sustainable solutions for a Better Future<br>10:00 - 12:00                                   |
| Gender and Energy: Overcoming Energy Poverty and Advancing Just Energy Transitions<br>11:00 - 12:30                       | Cities as front-line actors for the inclusion of people on the move - building sustainable structures to leave no-one behind<br>12:30 - 14:00 |
| Early Warnings for All – UN Global Early Warning Initiative for the Implementation of Climate Adaptation<br>14:00 - 15:30 | From planning to implementation, how to localise SDGs in times of crisis<br>14:30 - 15:30   |
|   | Towards sustainable cities and communities for all ages<br>15:00 - 16:30  |

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**29 March**

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| <p>Successful stakeholder engagement to advance SDG6 in the Western Balkans and EECCA Region</p> <p>8:00 - 9:30 (tbc)</p> | <p>Progress on SDGs under Review: Civil Society Perspectives from the EECCA Region</p> <p>8:00 - 9:30</p> |
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| <p>Feminists approaches to Sustainable cities</p> <p>(Details soon)</p> |
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**30 March**

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| <p>The city of the future is a green city: why we need trees in our cities for the SDGs</p> <p>8:00 - 9:40</p> | <p>The UN We Need - Regional Messages from Global Futures Forum 2023</p> <p>8:00 - 9:45</p> |
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| <p>Rural women, agri tourism and digitalization</p> <p>08:00 - 09:45</p> |
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### MAIN SESSIONS

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| <p>SDG9 and the fashion industry</p> <p>13:00 - 14:30</p>  | <p>Health in the City: Enhancing Trust at Times of Crises</p> <p>13:00 - 15:00</p>  | <p>Multi-level acceleration for the SDGs in the UNECE Region</p> <p>13:00 - 15:00</p>  | <p>Access to water and sanitation in informal settlements and its significance during the COVID 19 pandemic</p> <p>13:00 - 14:30</p>                     |
| <p>Sustainable cities and communities for Roma and other Communities Discriminated on Work and Descent (CDWD)</p> <p>13:15 - 14:45</p> | <p>How to ensure the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development with inclusive STEM societies in the ECE Region?</p> <p>13:30 - 15:00</p>                        | <p>Solar Radiation Modification and youth perspectives on its governance</p> <p>13:00 - 15:00</p>  | <p>Closing financial gaps on gender equality to accelerate SDG implementation</p> <p>13:00 - 14:30</p>   |
| <p>Effects of War in Ukraine on SDG implementation in the UNECE region</p> <p>13:00 - 14:50</p>  | <p>Game-changing actions in the digital age for gender equality and empowerment of women and girls: Localizing CSW67 in the Europe and Central Asia Region</p> <p>13:30 - 15:00</p> | <p>Halfway towards 2030 - Russian regions, cities and businesses - accelerating transformations to achieving SDGs in the ECE region</p> <p>13:00 - 15:00</p> | <p>VNR-VLR studio "Evidence-based approaches to the development of the Voluntary Local Reviews: experiences and best practices"</p> <p>13:15 - 14:45</p> |