

Risks, insurance and investments - Supporting low carbon energy technologies

Roundtable - Thursday 17 December – 8:30-13:00

Venue: The WWF Arctic Tent, at Nytorv in the centre of Copenhagen

The United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), The WWF and RSA, with the support of Munich RE and Carbon RE, have joined forces to organise this roundtable on "Risks, insurance and investments - Supporting low carbon energy technologies", with a focus on emerging and developing markets.

The goal is to bring together a number of key stakeholders representing private and public investors, donors, beneficiaries and the insurance industry as well as representatives from national governments and international organizations to discuss how to remove barriers restraining investments in low carbon energy technologies.

Against the backdrop of negotiations in Copenhagen (COP15), the roundtable will focus on the prospects for a post Kyoto deal and ensuing developments. It will provide participants with a private environment for discussing policies and innovation needed to manage the risks of low carbon energy deployment.

The participants

On invitation only, the roundtable will bring together 50 leading experts from industry, civil society and government. The participants will represent some of the most influential and largest international organizations including private and public institutional investors, nongovernmental organizations, and producers of low carbon energy technologies from both developed and developing economies.

Opening statements and welcome by

- Rickard Gustafson - Director RSA Scandinavia
- Pavan Sukhdev - Special Adviser and Head, Green Economy Initiative
United Nations Environment Programme
- Ken Norgrove - CEO, RSA Group Renewable Energy

Key notes by

- Nick Robins, Head of Climate Change Centre of Excellence, HSBC Bank plc and co-chair of the UNEP Finance Initiative Climate Change working group
- Dr. Peter Hoeppe, Head of Corporate Climate Center, Munich Re

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