



World Bank  
Europe and Central Asia Economics of Green Growth Peer-Assisted Learning Network (EGGPAL)  
EGGPAL Inaugural Conference, May 15-17, 2013

## Conference Agenda

Wednesday, May 15	
12:00 – 17:00	Guest arrival. Please note that check-in starts at 4:00 PM, Hotel Lobby
16:00	Registration opens, Hotel 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor
17:30 – 18:00	<b>Welcome and Introduction</b> , Conference Hall, 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor Krzysztof Blusz, DemosEuropa (moderator) Aneta Wilmańska, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Environment, Poland Erika Jorgensen, World Bank
18:00 – 19:00	Green Growth Priorities and Issues: Views of the Participants
19:00	Dinner, Hotel restaurant “Koncert Levity” jazz music

**Thursday, May 16**

8:30 – 9:00	Registration continued		
9:00 – 11:00	<b>First Plenary Session: Setting the Stage for a Greener Europe and Central Asia</b>		
	<p>Welcome</p> <p>Philippe Le Houverou , Regional Vice President, World Bank (video)</p> <p>“The New Agenda for Green Growth”</p> <p>Erika Jorgensen, World Bank</p> <p>“Run-up to the COP19 Meeting in Warsaw: Bold Actions on Climate Change”</p> <p>Patrick Verkooijen, World Bank</p> <p>“A Vision of a Greener Europe: An Overview of “Europe 2020” and the European Union’s “Roadmap 2050””</p> <p>Stefaan Vergote, European Commission</p>		
11:00 – 11:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>		
11:30 – 13:00	<b>Breakout Sessions--First Round</b>		
	<p><b>Pollution, Subsidies, and Economic Analysis of Fossil Fuels</b></p> <p>“Air Pollution and Other Local Costs: Valuing Pollution Externalities from Fuel Combustion”</p> <p>Eliza Lis, IMF</p> <p>“The Environmental Impact of Fossil Fuel Subsidies in Kazakhstan and Moldova”</p> <p>Nelly Petkova, OECD</p> <p><i>Moderator: Erika Jorgensen, World Bank</i></p>	<p><b>Marginal Abatement Cost Curves</b></p> <p>“Making Marginal Abatement Cost Curves Fit for Policy Analysis”</p> <p>Grzegorz Peszko, EBRD</p> <p>“Scrutinizing the “Free Lunch”: Improving the Costing of Energy Efficiency Measures in MAC Curves”</p> <p>Maciej Bukowski, IBS Institute</p> <p><i>Moderator: Ryszard Malarski, World Bank</i></p>	<p><b>Economic Analysis of Climate Issues Using Modeling</b></p> <p>“A Quick Introduction to Economywide Modeling of Climate Policies”</p> <p>“Hands-On Climate and Energy Policy Analysis using a CGE User Interface”</p> <p>Ali Bayar, EcoMod Network</p> <p><i>Moderator: Leszek Kasek, World Bank</i></p>
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch		

14:30 – 16:00	<b>Breakout Sessions—Second Round</b>		
	<b>Green Innovation and Green Jobs</b>  “Innovation Capabilities for Greener Growth: Broadening the Policy Agenda for Greener Growth with More and Better Jobs” Mark Dutz, World Bank (via VC)  <i>Moderator: Jovana Sljivancanin, World Bank</i>	<b>Climate Modeling in Practice</b>  “Building Economic Climate Modeling Capacity within Poland’s Government” Magdalena Zachłód-Jelec, Jakub Boratyński, Ministry of Finance, Poland Krzysztof Wójtowicz, Ministry of Economy, Poland  “Cross-Country Lessons from Model Building” Ali Bayar, EcoMod Network  <i>Moderator: Leszek Kasek, World Bank</i>	<b>Country Experience with Green Growth Strategies and Promotion</b>  “Moving towards Green Growth in the Asia Pacific Region: the Experience of Vietnam and Cambodia” Joosueb Joseph Lee, GGGI  “Promoting Green Economies in Eastern Europe and Central Asia: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine” Nelly Petkova, OECD  <i>Moderator: Markus Repnik, World Bank</i>
16:00 – 16:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>		
16:30 – 18:00	<b>Second Plenary Session: Investigating the Economic Impact of Greening and Climate Action</b>		
	“Environmental and Climate Change Modeling using a CGE Approach” Ali Bayar, EcoMod Network “Integrating Economic and Engineering Models in Energy and Climate Policy Analysis” Christoph Boehringer, University of Oldenburg		
18:00 – 18:30	<b>Closing Remarks for the Day</b>		
	Krzysztof Blusz, DemosEuropa (moderator) Erika Jorgensen, World Bank Peer Learning Activity: Sharing Priorities		
19:30	Dinner, Hotel restaurant		

**Friday, May 17**

9:00 – 10:30	<b>Breakout Sessions—Third Round</b>		
	<p><b>Renewables: Policy and Potential</b></p> <p>“Support for Renewables: Global Lessons and European Approaches” Grzegorz Peszko, EBRD</p> <p>“Solar Energy and Biomass Potential in Europe and Central Asia” Markus Tum, German Aerospace Center</p> <p><i>Moderator: Ryszard Malarski, World Bank</i></p>	<p><b>Climate Policy and Spillovers, Leakage, and Competitiveness</b></p> <p>“The Role of Border Carbon Adjustment in the Design of Unilateral Climate Policy Insights From An EMF Model-Comparison Study” Christoph Boehringer, University of Oldenburg</p> <p>“Redefining Carbon Leakage: CGE Analysis of EU Abatement Programs” Tomasz Żylicz, Warsaw University</p> <p><i>Moderator: Erika Jorgensen, World Bank</i></p>	<p><b>How to Measure Green Growth</b></p> <p>“Measuring Green Growth: Natural Capital Accounting and the WAVES Partnership” Hannah Behrendt, World Bank</p> <p>“A New Approach to Environmental National Accounts” Grzegorz Jabłonowski, Central Statistical Office, Poland</p> <p><i>Moderator: Malcolm Smart, DfID</i></p>
10:30 – 11:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>		
11:00 – 12:30	<b>Breakout Sessions—Fourth Round</b>		
	<p><b>Expenditure on Climate Action</b></p> <p>“Measuring and Monitoring Climate Action in Government Budgets: Climate Change Public Expenditure Reviews” Adrian Fozzard, World Bank</p> <p>“Experience in Creating and Tracking Key Performance Indicators” Malcolm Smart, DfID</p>	<p><b>Green Taxes</b></p> <p>“The Move to Green Taxes” Eliza Lis, IMF</p> <p>“Modeling environmental taxes using a CGE model for the Czech Republic” Olga Kiuila, Warsaw University</p> <p><i>Moderator: Grzegorz Peszko, EBRD</i></p>	<p><b>The EU Emissions Trading Scheme</b></p> <p>“Carbon Trading in the European Union: Country Experience with the Emissions Trading Scheme and Prospects” Sylvia Waśniewska, Emissions Center (Kobize), Poland</p> <p>“Outlook for the ETS within the Framework of EU Climate Policy”</p>

	<p><i>Moderator: Emilia Skrok, World Bank</i></p>		<p>Stefaan Vergote, European Commission</p> <p><i>Moderator: Leszek Kasek, World Bank</i></p>
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch		
13:30 – 15:00	<p><b>Third Plenary Session: The Path Ahead for Green Growth and Climate Action</b></p> <p>“The Journey toward Green Growth: Lessons to Date from the Global Green Growth Institute” Joosueb Joseph Lee, GGGI</p> <p>“Greenprint: A New Approach to Cooperation on Climate Change” Aaditya Mattoo, World Bank (via VC)</p>		
15:00 – 15:30	<p><b>Concluding Session</b></p> <p>Krzysztof Blusz, DemosEuropa (moderator)</p> <p>Identifying Communities of Practice</p> <p>Future of the EGGPAL Network</p> <p>Erika Jorgensen, World Bank</p> <p>Concluding Remarks</p>		
15.30 – 20:00	Local excursions and informal dinner in Warsaw		