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Just Transition Multi-Stakeholder Dialogue Sessions

Fostering a Just Transition in Jamaica: Collaborative Approaches for Sustainable Development

Kingston, Jamaica

14-15 October 2024

Agenda

Monday, 14 October 2024

9:30AM – 10:00 AM	Opening Ceremony Welcome Remarks ▶ United National Development Programme ▶ International Labour Organization
10:30AM – 10:45AM	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:45AM – 11:30AM	Introduction to Just Transition ▶ Global Perspective on Just Transition and Green Jobs – ILO Moustapha Kamal Gueye ▶ Jamaica's Nationally Determined Contribution and its considerations – Mr Omar Alcock

11:30AM – 12:15PM	Panel Discussion Regional outlook: ► CARICOM Just Transition and Climate Focus: How to prepare for climate Challenges in the World of Work – CARICOM ► Just Transition and Labour market Adaptation in Barbados: Ensuring Workforce resilience – Barbados ► Jamaica and Just Transition: Ministry of Labour and Social Security
	Q&A
12:30PM – 1:45PM	<i>Lunch</i>
1:45PM - 2:15PM	Jamaica's Current National Development Plans and Just Transition ► Planning Institute of Jamaica - Representative ► Representative from The Jamaica Employer's Federation ► Representative from the Jamaica Confederation of Trade Unions ► Representative from Civil Society (youth) • Interactive Session: Small group discussions (15 minutes) • Participants divided into groups of 5-6 • Each group discusses one aspect of Jamaica's development plans and how it relates to Just Transition • Groups prepare a brief summary to share with the larger audience
2:15PM - 2:30PM	Presentation of Gender Assessment <i>A gender assessment provides crucial baseline data for planning Just Transition strategies. -Asha Kambon</i> ► Q&A session (10 minutes)
2:30PM – 3:30PM	Stakeholder Perspectives on Just Transition ► Discussion with representatives from different sectors ► Interactive element: Audience participation through live polling or Q&A app
3:30PM - 4:30PM	Mapping Just Transition challenges and opportunities Interactive activity: World café format ► Set up stations for different sectors (e.g., energy, agriculture, tourism) ► Participants rotate through stations, discussing challenges and opportunities ► Facilitators at each station capture key points
4:30PM - 5:00PM:	Day one wrap-up and reflection ► Brief presentations from each World Café station ► Open floor for participants to share key takeaways

Tuesday 15 October - Developing Strategies for Just Transition	
09.00 AM – 9.30AM	Recap of day 1 ► SLIDO activity to review key concepts
9:30AM – 10:30AM	Education and skills development and workforce transition in a greener economy ► HEART/NSTA Trust ► The University of the West Indies ► Youth Representative Education and skills development and workforce transition in a greener economy ► Breakout sessions (30 minutes) • Groups discuss specific skills needed for green jobs in Jamaica • Each group presents a "skills roadmap" for one sector
10:30AM – 10:45AM	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:45 AM – 11:45 AM	Social protection and green jobs and Just Transition ► Jamaica Employers Federation ► Government Ministry of Labour and Social Security ► Jamaica Confederation of Trade Unions Representative Role-playing exercise (20 minutes) ► Participants take on roles of different stakeholders ► Simulate a negotiation for implementing social protection measures
11:45 AM - 12:45 PM	Just Transition and the labour market ► Case study analysis (30 minutes) • Real-world examples of labour market transitions presented • Small groups analyze and present lessons learned
12:45PM -1:45PM	<i>Lunch</i>
1:45PM - 3:15PM	Developing a Just Transition roadmap for Jamaica ► Interactive activity • Participants divided into sector-specific groups • Each group develops a draft roadmap for their sector • Groups present their roadmaps for feedback

3:30PM - 4:30PM	Policy recommendations and action planning ► Facilitated discussion to synthesize ideas from the two days ► Collaborative document creation: draft key policy recommendations
4:30PM - 5:00PM	Closing session: commitments and next steps ► Individual reflection: Participants write personal commitments ► Plenary sharing of key commitments and discussion of follow-up actions
5:00PM - 5:30PM	Closing remarks and evaluation ► Official closing statements ► Participants complete evaluation forms <i>(include questions about most valuable sessions and suggestions for future events)</i>