



UNIDO Global Call 2023 Launching Ceremony 12 June 2023

Agenda (as of 9 June 2023)

Theme: Clean and Smart Energy for Inclusive and Sustainable Industrial Development

Date: 12 June 2023

Time: 14:00-15:35 (CET), (Check in: 13:30-14:00)

Venue: Vienna International Centre, 7th floor, Conference Room (CR3)

Moderator: Mr. GONG Weixi, Chief, Division of ITPOs and Institutional Partnerships, Global Partnerships and External Relations of UNIDO (5 mins)

I. Welcome remarks (5 mins) 14:05-14:10

- Mr. Gerd Müller, Director General, UNIDO ([video message](#))

II. Keynote speeches (15 mins) 14:10-14:25

- Ms. Kai BETHKE, Director and Officer-in-Charge of Division of Member States and Funding Relations ([confirmed](#))
- A representative from National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC), China ([video message](#), TBC)

III. Global Call 2023 Launch video (10 mins) 14:25-14:35

IV. Highlights and achievements from previous Global Calls (10 mins) 14:35-14:45

- Mr. Rolf Steltmeir, Head of UNIDO Investment and Technology Promotion Office in Bonn, Germany (UNIDO ITPO Bonn) ([confirmed](#))
- Mr. Hou Feng, Chairman of the Board, China Water Environment--Global Call 2022 Award Winner ([confirmed](#))

V. Remarks from the relevant stakeholders (35 mins) 14:45-15:20

- Ms. Petra Schwager, Chief of the Climate and Technology Partnerships Division, UNIDO ([confirmed](#)): Global Partnership for Green Hydrogen in Industries (tentative topic)
- Mr. Guo Peng, Deputy Director of the Administrative Committee of Zhengzhou Airport Economy Zone ([confirmed](#)): Green Hydrogen and Clean Energy: Practices from Zhengzhou, China ([video message](#))



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- Mr. Alois Mhlanga, Chief of Climate Technologies Innovation Unit, Decarbonization and Sustainable Energy Division, UNIDO (**confirmed**): Accelerating innovation for the energy transition: The A2D Facility

VI. Global Call Wrap-up Remarks (5 mins) 15:20-15:25

- Mr. Gong Weixi, Chief of the Division of ITPOs and Institutional Partnerships, UNIDO

VII. Special Session & Group Photo (5 mins) 15:25-15:30

- Institutional Partnership between Beijing Xicheng District Bureau of Commerce and Internationaler Wirtschaftssenat e.V