**NEWS AND EVENTS**
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**DGA’S CORNER**

**Director General’s opening remarks at the 20th UNIDO General Conference**

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**IN FOCUS**

- Twelfth Ministerial Conference of the Least Developed Countries
- Tenth session of the General Conference of UNIDO
- After hard work and spirited debates, the 20th UNIDO General Conference comes to an end

**PARTNERS**

- Uruguay and UNIDO renew partnership for another five years
- ILO and UNIDO reinforce their cooperation
- EU Industry Days 2023: UNIDO promotes industrial solutions for a green, digital, and resilient transition

**NEWS**

- **UNIDO at the 6th Paris Peace Forum**
- **UNIDO urges sustainable local production of pharmaceuticals and health commodities for equitable access to all**
- **Pre-launch of UNIDO’s Industrial Development Report 2024 stresses need for industrial policies for fairer globalization**
- **Alliance for Special Agro-Industrial Processing Zones commits $3bn investment to boost African agriculture and food production**

**EVENTS**

- **The International Vienna Energy and Climate Forum: Delivering solutions for sustainable and climate-resilient development worldwide**
- **UNIDO and the African Union Commission showcase success stories of women’s economic participation in Africa at the Intra-African Trade Fair 2023**
- **Addressing the need for skills development in global supply chains at the LKDPF Forum 2023**

**DID YOU KNOW**

- **592 Delegates representing 131 Member States participated at the UNIDO 20th General Conference**

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