

CGE side-event at COP 28

“Achievements of the CGE, upcoming activities and national insights into the preparation of BTRs”

13:15—14:45, 8 December

Side Event Room 5, Building 83 (map on second page)

Event Objective

This Consultative Group of Experts (CGE) side event aims to:

- Present the achievements in its support to developing country Parties and upcoming activities;
- Present the latest findings from the capacity-building needs assessment report and stocktake survey;
- Present and discuss the lessons learned and experiences of Parties in their transition to the ETF; and
- Hear directly from developing countries on any new and emerging areas that require technical assistance and support.

Agenda (90 minutes)

Time	Item
Moderator – CGE chair	
15 min	Welcome and opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Xiang Gao, CGE Chair • Mr. Nabeel Munir, SBI Chair • Mr. Don Cooper, Director, UNFCCC secretariat
10 min	Session 1 - Scene setting presentation by the CGE The presentation will showcase CGE’s support to the developing country Parties, with a focus on the key findings from the latest CGE report and stocktake survey on problems, constraints, lessons learned and capacity-building needs of developing country Parties in preparing NCs, BURs and BTRs. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presenter: Prof. Xiang Gao, CGE Chair
45 min	Session 2 – Insights sharing and moderated panel discussion At this session, the national transparency experts will share insights, experiences and lessons learned in preparing to implement the ETF and preparing the first BTRs. The Co-Chair of the PAICC will share her insights into the linkages between the PAICC and the ETF. Presentation (5 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Kakha Mdivani, Georgia Panel discussion (40 minutes)

	<p><i>Panelists</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Carles Miquel, Andorra• Ms. Cristina Figueroa, Chile• Mr. Kakha Mdivani, Georgia• Ms. Toby Hedger, US• Professor Dr. Christina Voigt, Co-Chair of Paris Agreement Implementation and Compliance Committee
15 min	Q & A session and feedback on the event and CGE
5 min	Closing remarks by the moderator

Location of side event room 5, building 83

