

## **Bioenergy towards a low carbon future: meeting the challenges of sustainable development and climate change mitigation**

Congress Centre Poznan International Fair  
Pavilion 14B, Fox Room, 7.30 – 9.00 pm  
Poznan, 11 December 2008

### AGENDA

*A buffet will be offered prior to the side event*

**7.30 pm**

#### **Welcome speech**

H.E. Stefania Prestigiacomo (tbc),  
Minister for the Environment Land and Sea, Italy

#### **Introduction to the Global Bioenergy Partnership (GBEP)**

Corrado Clini,  
GBEP Chair  
Director General, Ministry for the Environment Land and Sea, Italy

**Presentations:**

#### **Bioenergy: opportunities, risks and the way ahead**

Alexander Müller,  
Assistant Director-General, Natural Resources Management and  
Environment Department, FAO

#### **A methodological framework for measuring GHG emission reductions from the use of bioenergy towards a low carbon future**

Drew Nelson,  
Co-Chair of the GBEP Task Force on GHG Methodologies  
Foreign Affairs Officer, Office of Global Change, US Department of State

#### **From 1<sup>st</sup>- to 2<sup>nd</sup>-generation biofuel technologies: an overview of current industry and RD&D activities**

Lew Fulton,  
Senior Transport Energy Specialist, International Energy Agency (IEA)

#### **The biofuels market: current situation and alternative scenarios**

Simonetta Zarrilli,  
Legal Officer, Division on International Trade and Commodities,  
UNCTAD

**Discussion**

**8.50 pm**

#### **Conclusions**

Melinda Kimble,  
Co-Chair of the GBEP Task Force on GHG Methodologies  
Senior Vice-President, UN Foundation