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The One Planet network formed to implement the 10 Year Framework of Programmes on Sustainable Consumption and Production (10YFP).

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Monthly update

Achievements



Congratulations to the entire One Planet network for collectively promoting Sustainable Consumption and Production at the Fourth United Nations Environment Assembly! (UNEA 4) Due to the dedicated negotiation of key stakeholders from across the One Planet network, not only is the One Planet Network referenced in the 'Ministerial Declaration Of The 2019 United Nations Environment Assembly' but it is referenced in the resolutions as well, 15 times alone in 'Innovative Pathways to Achieve Sustainable Consumption and Production.' All of the resolutions and the Ministerial Declaration are [available online](#).

The interactive [Camp One Planet exhibition](#) welcomed over 1600 visitors (AKA: 'campers!') This iteration of our Camp featured the [Good Life Goals](#), content on the network's cross-cutting theme of Food (including the [Sustainable Rice Platform](#)) and daily live demos with the newly [launched SCP Hotspot Analysis Tool \(SCP HAT\)](#). This included special visits from the media (including BBC Africa- pictured here) as well as members the One Planet community including National Focal Points, Programme Leads/Partners and Ministers of Environment. Thank you very much to all who stopped by and helped make the interactive experience such a success! Don't forget, you can visit our [virtual campsite](#) anytime and check out our 'SCP in 360°' [Video Series](#)!



[‘Ready to Drive the Market: Experiences from Road Testing the Guidelines for Providing Product Sustainability Information’](#) was launched by the Consumer Information Programme, together with the International Trade Centre and UN Environment. This report complements the [Guidelines for Providing Product Sustainability Information](#) by offering insights into the practical application of the Guidelines’ ten principles. Based on a global road-testing exercise, the report presents its case studies as well as the process’ results, challenges, and lessons learned.

The report was launched at [‘Innovative Solutions for Sustainable Consumption & Production: Partnerships in Action - The One Planet Network Response’](#), a UNEA 4 Side Event that featured cross-programme collaboration between our Consumer Information and Sustainable Food Systems Programmes. This builds upon the [collaboration](#) from the [2nd Global Conference of the Sustainable Food Systems Programme](#), where a side event on the low consumer awareness of sustainable food options was featured. You can learn more about the [collaborative UNEA event](#) and [explore the theme of Food!](#)



[‘Leveraging sustainable procurement to transform tourism’](#) a collection of 16 case studies that illustrate successful sustainable procurement practices in the tourism sector were launched by UN Environment as a contribution to our Sustainable Tourism Programme. These stories show how corporate buyers have effectively embedded sustainability in their procurement processes to improve resource efficiency and reduce GHG emissions. Learn a little more about the ‘Leveraging Sustainable Procurement to Transform the Tourism Sector’ [panel](#) and its [discussions](#).

Announcements



The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) has joined the [Global Fund for SDG 12](#)! The One Planet Multi-Partner Trust Fund for SDG 12 began as a collaboration between five UN agencies: the UN Environment Programme (UN Environment), the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), the UN World Tourism Organisation (UNWTO), UN-Habitat (United Nations Human Settlements Programme) and the UN Office for Project Services (UNOPS), with support from the UN Multi-Partner Trust Fund Office. The fund now warmly welcomes the addition of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) who bring a wealth of expertise, notably in a key area of focus for our network: national implementation. [Watch the fund's origin story video](#) to learn more about the One Planet Multi-Partner Trust Fund.



New One Planet network video, '[10 tips to support Sustainable Food Systems](#)' is now available! The universality of Food makes it a great conversation starter for Sustainable Consumption and Production. Following the 2018 UN High Level Political Forum, the One Planet network adopted the cross-cutting theme of Food for the year. Produced with the aim of helping audiences formulate personal actions, '10 tips to support Sustainable Food Systems' is the first video in a series. A tool for all of One Planet's programmes, this video communicates a key message that is in line with our Sustainable Food System programme's vision: *Your relationship with food can transform our food systems!* Please watch and share!

Call for proposals



Call for Proposals for the 'Green Public Procurement Plus Project.' Following the successful 2017-2018 Asia Pacific GPP Partnership project in Thailand and Viet Nam, partners of the Sustainable Public Procurement programme, the Korea Environmental Industry & Technology Institute (KEITI), in cooperation with the UN Environment Programme, are now calling for proposals for the 'Green Public Procurement Plus Project'. The purpose of the project is to lay a strong foundation for market development for eco-friendly products and services, and to facilitate achievement of SDG 12.7. More information and access to the application form [available here](#). For any inquiries please contact Ms. Aran Chae, aranchae@keiti.re.kr. Applications are accepted until 14 April.

Webinars



National Implementation: [Regulatory Instruments for Sustainable Consumption and Production](#), the next session in the One Planet Network 2019 Webinar Series is on the 18th of April at 13h (CET)! This webinar in the One Planet network series will focus on Regulatory Instruments for SCP at national level. Participants will discuss the use of regulatory instruments in the SCP policy mix, share experience and examples of regulatory approaches to SCP at national or sectoral level, and exchange lessons learned. To join the meeting on Skype, click [here](#)







The Sustainable Tourism Programme is kicking off their 4th online training series! Designed to support tourism practitioners in integrating sustainable consumption and production patterns in their everyday operations, these trainings provide guidance to tourism practitioners on use of free tools and methodologies that are designed to support resource and energy efficiency. The first webinar in the series, '[How to map tourism value chains & identify key actions](#)' takes place on both the 17th April from 10:00 – 11:30 (CET) and the 18th April from 15:00 – 16:30 (CET).

In order to ensure that these webinars respond to the needs and expectations of the network, please complete this [brief survey](#) to help ensure the 4th tourism webinar series is the best one yet!



The upcoming online learning course 'Sustainable Tourism for Small Island Developing States (SIDS)-- Policy-Maker edition' will take place from 25 April to 13 June! Are you a policy-maker or a destination manager in a Small Island Developing State (SIDS) who is interested in learning more about sustainable tourism management? This free 7-week course was developed by partners in our Sustainable Tourism Programme, Sustainable Travel International. Offered by the Hamburg University of Applied Sciences and the Hamburg Open Online University (HOOU), you can [register now!](#)

Events

	<p>The 2019 One Planet Network Executive Meeting will be held in Paris from 23-24 May! Based upon interactive sessions and open discussion, this event was created to foster collaboration and determine strategic direction moving forward. The annual event brings together stakeholders from across the network including: all six thematic programmes; the 10YFP Board; members from the UN Inter-Agency group; and special guests.</p>
	<p>Switzerland hosts the 3rd Meeting of the 10YFP National Focal Points of the Western Europe and Others Group (WEOG) from 9-10 May 2019 in Thun.</p>
	<p>Consumers International's 'The Digital Hive: Putting Consumers at the Heart of Digital Innovation' Summit is in Estoril, Portugal 30th April – 1st May. Use the code SUMMIT20 at check-out to receive a 20% discount!</p>
	<p>'Clean Planet, Happy People & Shared Prosperity - Emerging Concepts for Sustainable Built Environment' The 2019 Sustainable Built Environment (SBE19) – will take place from 22th to 24th May in Helsinki, Finland. Early bird registration closes 15th April.</p>