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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

### We need you!



**Be a co-lead of the Sustainable Tourism Programme: [Apply](#) by 15<sup>th</sup> of February!** Support the integration of Sustainable Consumption and Production in the tourism sector worldwide, with the mandate of the United Nations! The Sustainable Tourism Programme is currently looking for co-leads to manage and support the Programme. Co-leadership of the Programme is a four year term that offers the opportunity to drive global and national action on SDG12 while setting the agenda for Sustainable

Consumption and Production in Tourism. Find out [more](#) !



**Set the agenda on Sustainable Public Procurement worldwide, with the mandate of the United Nations: be a co-lead of the One Planet Sustainable Public Procurement Programme!** The programme is looking for a co-lead to manage and support the programme for the next four years. Co-leading gives you the opportunity to drive global and national action on SDG12, and set the agenda for Sustainable Public Procurement. The new strategy plan 2019-2022 is currently being developed. More on the [strategic plan development](#) and the benefits of being a co-lead are available [here](#)! **Applications are accepted until the 6<sup>th</sup> of February 2019!**

## Announcements



**The 2nd Global Conference of the Sustainable Food Systems Programme, 'Good Food for People and the Planet - Working together towards 2030'** will be held from the 5-7 February 2019 in San José, Costa Rica. Following the call for action of the Pretoria Resolution, the purpose of the second conference will be to further strengthen multi-stakeholder action, and to trigger increased political commitment for the creation of enabling policy environments, in order to address the urgent need to transition to sustainable food systems. More information [here](#), registration [here](#).



**The Hotspot Analysis Tool for Sustainable Consumption and Production (the SCP-HAT) is now available!** The One Planet Network, together with the [Life Cycle Initiative](#), the [International Resource Panel](#) and technical partners ([WU Vienna](#) and [Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation](#)) are pleased to announce the SCP-HAT Tool—is [now publicly available](#)! *What is a SCP Hotspot?* This intuitive online tool provides information on decoupling trends for 171 countries looking at material use, climate change, air pollution and land use. It uses a unique framework that combines national environmental and socio-economic data with trade information for the estimation of supply-wide environmental pressures and impacts. Piloted by Argentina, the Ivory Coast and Kazakhstan, the tool's goal is to identify key entry points and inform national SCP policy-making processes.



**Newly released report shares science to support healthy diets from sustainable food systems.** Co-chaired by Prof. Walter Willett and Prof. Johan Rockström, the EAT-Lancet Commission brings together world-leading researchers in nutrition, health, sustainability and policy from across the world. The findings shared in their report, 'Food in the Anthropocene: the EAT-Lancet Commission on healthy diets from sustainable food systems' offers a perspective that relates directly to the One Planet network's current

cross-cutting theme of food. More on the report can be found [here](#).

## Call for Proposals

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**“SWITCH Asia and Central Asia II – Promoting Sustainable Consumption and Production” – 3<sup>rd</sup> SWITCH-Asia call for proposals has been launched!** Proposals from business intermediaries, as well as SME business partners and policy makers at the regional and local level are welcome. 32,700,000 Euro is allotted for South and South-East Asia while 13,000,000 Euro is available for Central Asia. Each funding grant ranges from 1-3 million Euro. **The deadline for submitting concept notes is February 28<sup>th</sup>.** Application forms and guidelines for applications can be found [here](#).



**The Innovate Green Competition “Achieving the SDGs through Entrepreneurship and Innovation”** aims to stimulate and unleash entrepreneurship and innovation in university students in the Middle East and North Africa. The competition is organized by the [United Nations Industrial Development Organisation \(UNIDO\)](#), the [UN Environment West Asia Regional Office](#), [Investment Technology and Promotions Office \(ITPO\) Bahrain](#), with sponsorship by the [First Energy Bank](#). It takes place in Nairobi, Kenya from March 11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup>. **Deadline for submission: February 9<sup>th</sup>!** [Find out more.](#)



The [Stockholm Environment Institute \(SEI\)](#) is currently accepting concept notes for environmental and sustainable development policy forums until February 28<sup>th</sup>! Through the Strategic Collaborative Fund, SEI provides opportunities to support regional environmental forums and events. This programme aims to promote regional collaboration to better inform policy dialogue in advancing sustainable and inclusive development, with the integration of gender equality and a rights-based approach towards achievement of the UN Sustainable Development Goals. Recipient organizations should be based in Asia, but if they are based outside the region, the proposed event

should address issues relevant to Asia and engage stakeholders in Asia. Further information [here](#).



**Public authorities can now submit their candidacies to the 2019 edition of the Procura+ Awards.** The prestigious award offers major recognition of procurement and related initiatives with remarkable economic, environmental and social impacts, or innovation elements. The Procura+ Awards is an initiative of [ICLEI](#), in co-operation with the EU-funded [Procure2Innovate](#) project. The application period is open until 31st March. For more information on the 2019 Awards, and to download an application form, visit the [Procura+ website](#).

## Events



**The Sustainable Food Systems Programme will be leading the next One Planet Network 2019 Webinar Series on 25<sup>th</sup> of February at 2pm CET!** Learn more about the Food Programme as we strengthen information exchange between our programmes and national focal points. [The webinar](#) will present an overview of the Sustainable Food Systems Programme with its achievements and partnerships.



**The Fourth Session of the UN Environment Assembly (UNEA 4) will take place from 11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> March in Nairobi, Kenya.** Under the overall theme of “Innovative solutions for environmental challenges and sustainable consumption and production”, the 2019 UN Environment Assembly will address three focus areas:

- Environmental challenges related to poverty and natural resource management, including sustainable food systems, food security and halting biodiversity loss
- Life-cycle approach to resource efficiency, energy, chemicals and waste management
- Innovative sustainable business development at a time of rapid technological change

Check the [official webpage](#) for further information.



**The online course “Feeding a Hungry Planet: Agriculture, Nutrition and Sustainability” by the [SDG Academy MOOC](#) starts on 11<sup>th</sup> of February.** This 7-week course examines key questions including how to ensure healthy and sustainable diets for a growing population, and how should agriculture adapt to support the Sustainable Development Goals? All course materials are available for free. [Register and learn more.](#)



**The International Conference of Life Cycle Assessment in Latin America (CILCA) will take place from 15<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> July in Cartago, Costa Rica.** It will convene professionals, researchers, decision makers and the public to exchange experiences under the umbrella of life cycle thinking. This year’s overarching topic “Life Cycle Assessment: Global Competitiveness” will cover discussions relevant to the regional context. Topics include life cycle thinking and international agreements, life cycle methodology and its applications to agriculture, buildings and energy sectors, fishing and marine litter, tourism, procurement, education and lifestyles among others. [More](#) about the event.