Onsite Events at ADB Headquarters

WIPO GREEN Technology Matchmaking

Organizer: World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) GREEN

Date: Monday 4 June
Time: 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Location: Auditorium Zone D

Description: This half-day matchmaking event organized by WIPO GREEN will feature technology seekers from Cambodia, Indonesia and the Philippines who are on the hunt for innovative sustainable technologies and services in the areas of air, agriculture, energy and water. Participants will be able to exchange ideas and opinions, make new connections, meet potential partners, and hear from experts on specific topics such as project finance.

Asia Clean Energy Marketplace and Project Matchmaking

Organizer: International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA) and Private Financing Advisory Network (PFAN) Asia.

Date: Monday 4 June Time: 2 to 5:30 p.m.

Location: Auditorium Zone D

Description: This event will bring together finance and project development professionals for the Asia launch of IRENA's Asia Clean Energy Marketplace, and to share experience and available opportunities for project finance, project development support and managing risks in projects. The panel discussion, interactive sessions and the matchmaking activity will engage experts from project development companies, financial institutions, service providers and development institutions to interact respectively, about their business requirements, financial and risk management offerings, and service offerings to support various renewable energy technologies and business models.

White Goods Olympics

Organizer: Asian Development Bank Central and West Asia Energy Division

Date: 5-8 June 2018 Time: All day

Location: Cafeteria Hallway - front of Old Swiss Inn/Frutas

Description: ADB Central and West Asia Energy Division will exhibit electrical appliances and there will be a small contest where you can walk up and try to guess the wattage of various appliances.

Drone Demonstration

Organizer: Asian Development Bank Central and West Asia Energy Division

Date: Wednesday 6 June

Time: During coffee breaks and lunch breaks

Location: ADB Central Courtyard

Description: ADB will do 20-minute drone demonstrations in the central courtyard during the coffee breaks and the lunch breaks. These demonstrations will show that drones can use thermal imaging capabilities to track energy losses or cold leaks. There will also be a hands-on training for piloting drones.

Electric Vehicles Talk

Organizer: Asian Development Bank Central and West Asia Energy Division

Date: Thursday 7 June Time: 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Location: K-hub

Description: This event will feature experts who will discuss electric vehicles and their role in the clean energy transition.

Off-Grid Impact Stories

Organizer: Asian Development Bank Central and West Asia Energy Division

Date: Thursday 7 June Time: 12:30 to 2:00 p.m. Location: K-hub

Description: Various speakers will discuss their small off-grid lighting initiatives and carry out a hands-on activity where participants can assemble small lighting kits.

Canon Photo Talk: Creating Empowering Images - Inspiring Lives through Clean Energy

Organizer: Canon
Date: Wednesday 6 June
Time: 12:30 - 2:00 p.m.
Location: K-hub

Description: Learn some tips and techniques on how to create captivating human interest images. Photography basics combined with skills on how to bring the most emotion out of your subject matter.

Meeting of Asia-Pacific ESCO Associations

Organizers: Philippine Energy Efficiency Alliance (PE2) and the Sustainable Energy Association of Singapore (SEAS)

Date: 5 June 2018

Location: ADB HQ (by invitation only)

Description: The energy service company (ESCO) associations of China, Japan, the Philippines, Singapore and Taiwan are convening to discuss the benefits, structure and establishment of a regional platform to facilitate the flow of knowledge and other resources between mature and nascent ESCO markets in the Asia-Pacific.

REN21 Launch of Renewables 2018 Global Status Report

Organizers: Renewable Energy Policy Network for the 21st Century (REN21)

Date: 4 June 2018, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. Location: ADB HQ, Auditorium Annex 2

Description: Rana Adib, Executive Secretary, REN21, will present the Renewables 2018 Global Status Report and highlight how the power sector is driving rapid change towards a renewable energy future, yet the overall transition is not advancing with the speed needed. The heating, cooling and transport sectors, which together account for about 80% of global total final energy demand, are lagging behind. There will then be a panel discussion discussing the above disconnects, what can be done to address them, and how sector coupling plays a major role.