



WORLD CLIMATE SUMMIT

3-4 December 2011 Southern Sun Elangeni Durban South Africa

FACT SHEET

TIME AND PLACE

3rd – 4th December 2011, The Southern Sun, Elangeni, Durban, South Africa

PURPOSE

The 2011 World Climate Summit in Durban, during COP 17, is positioned as the most prominent and exclusive conference convening leaders across business, finance and government to accelerate large-scale solutions to climate change.

TARGET GROUP

The high-level conference is aimed at the climate arena’s leading decision-makers, CEOs, thought-leaders, business executives, investors, entrepreneurs, government officials, and philanthropic figures.

FORMAT

The Summit will focus on the overarching theme of accelerating solutions to global clean growth and climate change, addressing the broad issues of: finance and scale; public-private partnerships; renewable energy; legislation and policy; cities and regions; transportation; carbon pricing; energy efficiency; and business leadership. The Summit will span over two days and will consist of the following elements:

- Key note plenary sessions addressing the major global clean growth issues (CEO level)
- Interactive workshops and breakout sessions (C-level)
- A series of exclusive roundtables (CEO level)
- Orchestrated matchmaking, networking and exhibiting in an outdoor pavilion (CEO / C-level)
- The Gigaton Awards and dinner - dubbed as ‘the Oscars of the low carbon economy’
- Exclusive ‘CEO-a-day’ multimedia conferences
- A themed day-long side event focusing on the role of cities and regions

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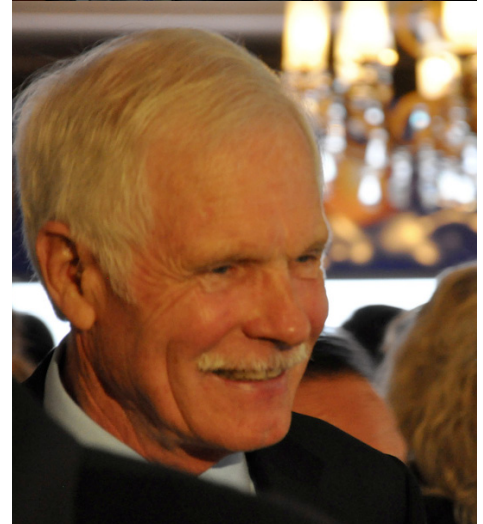
The World Climate Summit is backed by the best global media corporations, the climate arena's strongest institutional partners, and the most relevant decision-makers and leaders. The 2011 summit is set to succeed the inaugural summit in Cancun which was supported by: 30 sponsor such as Siemens, Coca-Cola, and Deutsche Bank; 30 different institutional partners including OECD, World Bank and UN Global Compact; five global media partners such as CNN, Reuters, Financial Times, Dow Jones and Wall Street Journal; and more than 150 high-level speakers including Sir Richard Branson, Ted Turner, Christiana Figueres, and Lord Stern.

COP 17

The World Climate Summit is the high profile business event of COP 17 and take place in close proximity, within one kilometre, of the negotiations. As a high-level conference that predominantly focuses on accelerating clean growth on a global scale, the Summit falls in line and complements the remit of the UNFCCC.

CLEAN GROWTH 2020

The unique conference is the second of Clean Growth 2020 (CG2020), an independent ten-year framework fostering a profitable path for the new clean growth revolution. CG2020 is the leading platform for leadership, influence, and solutions in the global green economy. In the run up to the World Climate Summit, CG2020 will run a series of regional clean growth roundtables in the most important markets for climate change (EU, U.S & China).



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