

CARBON MARKET NETWORKING ROUNDTABLE
25th August 2010
Ballroom 1 & 2, Marriott Hotel, Singapore



On the road to Cancun and Carbon Market Outlook

The carbon market endured its most challenging year to date in 2009. The global economic crisis, which started in late 2008 and intensified early in 2009, negatively impacted both the demand and supply sides of the market. Yet even as global GDP declined by 0.6% in 2009, and at a more perilous rate of 3.2% in industrialized economies, the carbon market demonstrated resilience. The total value of the market grew 6% to US\$144 billion (EUR103 billion) by year's end with 8.7 billion tCO₂e traded.

After the Copenhagen summit, the next decisive round of climate talks and discussions on a global agreement will be at COP16 in Mexico in early December 2010. On a national scale in Singapore, the Government has announced that it would cut carbon emissions by 7% to 11% below business-as-usual levels, which was planned as part of the Sustainable Singapore Blueprint published in April 2009. The full 16% cut will be implemented when a global agreement is reached in the future.

Why you should Attend

Carbon Market Networking Roundtable participants will receive the benefit of acquiring the latest insight and knowledge dealing with the most current issues and developments in the Carbon Market – in the Asia-Pacific and beyond. Participants will also enjoy unique intimate networking opportunities and be inspired and empowered to work towards sustainable environment management.

PROGRAM

4.00 pm Registration

4.30 pm Welcome Address

Michael Dreyer, Managing Director Asia Pacific, Koelnmesse

Opening Address

Edwin Khew, Chairman, Sustainable Energy Association Singapore, CEO & MD, IUT Global

4.40 pm Asian Carbon Markets in a Global Context

Henry Derwent, President & CEO, International Emissions Trading Association

2013 is getting closer, and with it, the prospect that the carbon market may have to live for a while without the support of a suite of commonly agreed targets across the world along the lines of the Kyoto Protocol. Yet emissions trading in the EU is secure, and new national and regional trading systems are getting closer elsewhere in the world. What will the new world look like? Will movement in the UN and at national levels ramp up in time to dictate the framework of a post-2012 regime? Or will voluntary carbon markets and regional schemes expand to compensate? How much difference will a more fragmented world make, and how can market players best prepare for the threats and the opportunities?

5.10 pm BP representative (invited)

5.30 pm Roundtable Q & A

Henry Derwent, President & CEO, International Emissions Trading Association

Edwin Khew, Chairman, Sustainable Energy Association Singapore, CEO & MD, IUT Global

Michael Dreyer, MD Asia Pacific, Koelnmesse

Lawrence Wong, CE, Energy Market Authority (invited)

BP representative

6.00 pm Networking Reception

8.00 pm End of Event

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