

Briefing: Preparations for Stockholm+50: a healthy planet for the prosperity of all – our responsibility, our opportunity

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25-29 October 2021
Agenda item 6

The Stockholm+50 mandate – General Assembly Resolutions

Enabling resolution (A/RES/75/280 of 24 May 2021) for the international meeting:

- Theme: “*Stockholm+50: a healthy planet for the prosperity of all – our responsibility, our opportunity*”
- UNEP was requested to “*serve as the focal point for providing support to the organization of the international meeting, with appropriate support from the Secretariat and other relevant United Nations entities.*”

Modalities Resolution (A/RES/75/326 of 10 September 2021) which provided the modalities:

- The structure and organizational arrangements: opening segment, 4 plenaries, 3 leadership dialogues and a closing segment
- Each leadership dialogue to be presided by 2 Co-Chairs (appointed by co-hosts, Kenya/Sweden) and be collaborative and multi-stakeholder in nature
- Concept note & background papers by March 2022
- 1-day preparatory meeting before April 2022
- UN SG to appoint UNEP ED as the Secretary-General of the meeting (appointed on 11 Oct.)
- Will produce a “summary of discussions”

Theme:

Stockholm+50: A Healthy Planet for the Prosperity of All our Responsibility, Our Opportunity

Principles of engagement



**OUR INTERGENERATIONAL
RESPONSIBILITY**



**OUR IMPLEMENTING
OPPORTUNITY**



INTERCONNECTED AND INCLUSIVE

Stockholm+50: Our 'Implementing Opportunity' for the coming 50 years

Pathways towards a healthy planet for the prosperity of all

- **Regeneration:** of nature and ecosystems, social and community resilience and institutions of solidarity; (LD1)
- **Recovery:** from COVID, social and environmental and implementation deficits, from loss of jobs and income, through enhancing capacity and financing; through skill building opportunities for youth and vulnerable populations; (LD2)
- **Rebalance:** relations with nature, resource use and access, unequal footprints and access to income, repurposing subsidies, aligning finance and environment; (LD2)
- **Renewal:** stronger multilateralism; focus on aligning private and public agendas including financial, economic, normative, and others; thinking around global public goods; (LD3)
- **Reimagine:** a common future through listening and responding to the voices of current and future generations.

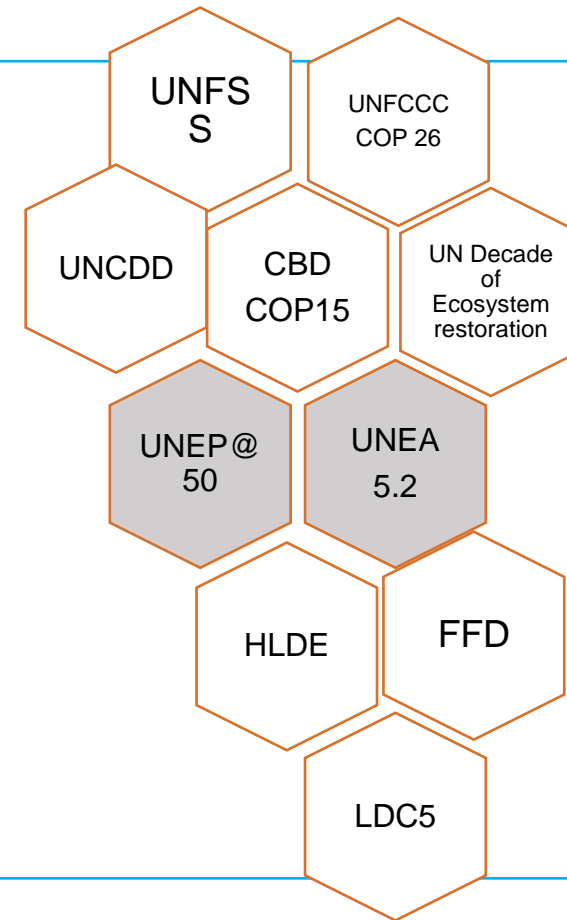
Leadership Dialogue 1:
Reflecting on the urgent need for actions to achieve a healthy planet and prosperity of all

Leadership dialogue 2:
Achieving a sustainable and inclusive recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic

Leadership dialogue 3:
Accelerating the implementation of the environmental dimension of Sustainable Development in the context of the Decade of Action

Global processes in 2021/2022 – drawing in key messages into the Stockholm+50 process

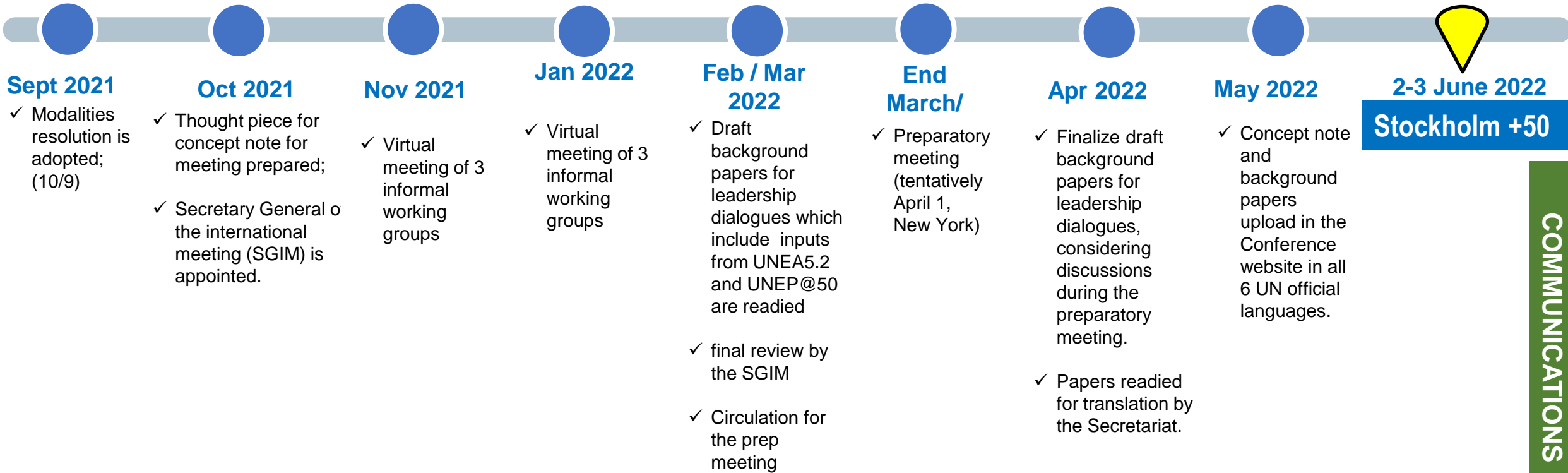
What messages from the 2020/21 and ongoing global processes can feed into the S+50 international meeting?



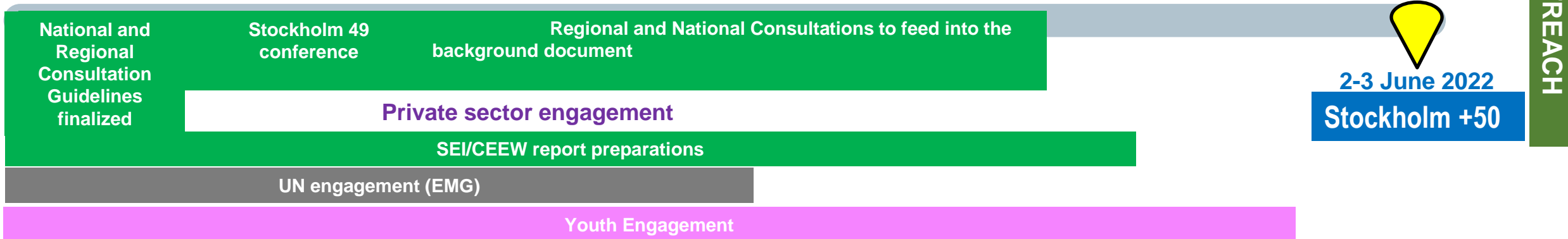
Outcome of Stockholm+50

- **Recommendations** that contribute to the environmental dimension of sustainable development to accelerate the implementation of commitments in the context of the decade of action and delivery for sustainable development, including a sustainable recovery
- A **summary of the discussions** held during the international meeting presented by the Co-Chairs

An inclusive process towards Stockholm + 50



PATHWAYS TO LEADERSHIP DIALOGUES



COMMUNICATIONS & OUTREACH

UNEP@50 and Stockholm+50

Mutually reinforcing, avoiding overlap and duplication (A/RES/75/326)

- Both will speak to a renewed, reinvigorated multilateralism that is inclusive and networked as articulated in “Our Common Agenda” and accelerate the achievement of the 2030 Agenda
- They will both complement and contribute to the strengthening of the environmental dimension of the 2030 Agenda:
 - UNEP@50 focuses on promoting the environmental science-policy interface and strengthening UNEP’s role as the global environmental authority within the UN system
 - Stockholm+50 as a commemoration of the 50 years since the United Nations Conference on the Human Environment and its outcome documents will serve to reinforce the 1972 Principles
 - Stockholm+50 focuses on urgent actions for a healthy planet and an inclusive COVID-19 recovery in the context of the Decade of Action for sustainable development.

Thank you

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