Digital Day

Tuesday, 19 November 2024

Programme

The Digital Day is an opportunity to learn more about key UNEP initiatives in digital transformation, provide feedback, and express interest in potential engagement.

Time (GTM+3)	Session	Description
Secretariat briefing		
9:00 – 9:30	Introduction session	Brief overview of the Digital Day and the key workstreams of the Digital Transformations Programme.
9:30 – 10:15	The Digital Accelerator Lab: Prototypes	Tour of the 11 digital prototypes showcased in the Lab, with 4-minute demos per prototype.
10:15 – 10:30	Coffee break	
10:30 – 12:00	The Digital Accelerator Lab: Solutions & Other resources.	- Tour of the 9 digital solutions showcased in the Lab, with 5-minute demos per solution, followed by Q&A (1 hour) - Overview of the capacity building resources, including the Digital4Sustainability MOOC. Followed by the discussion on potential ideas for new WESR use cases. (30 min)
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch break	
CPR subcommittee meeting		
13:00 –16:00	- Review of UNEP's thematic programme : Digital Transformations; - Briefing on Global Environmental Data Strategy (GEDS); - WESR and environmental impact of AI; - Briefing on UNCTAD's Digital Economy Report	This briefing will cover key updates and discussions regarding the main workstreams of the Digital Transformations Subrogramme: the Global Environmental Data Strategy (GEDS), the World Environment Situation Room (WESR), and the evaluation of the environmental impact of AI. It will also feature an overview of UNCTAD's Digital Economy Report and an update on ongoing consultations and emerging topics in preparation for UNEA-7. The outcomes of this briefing will be relevant to the Committee of Permanent Representatives (CPR) as it seeks to inform and enhance decision-making processes related to environmental data governance and digital sustainability. It will also serve as a platform for CPR members to exchange knowledge and provide feedback on UNEP's digital priorities and how they can help member states achieve their environmental goals.