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Roadmap January 2023-February 2024

March 2024

19 March – CPR Bureau Meeting (10:00 – 12:00), hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Contribution of UNEA to the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development. - Organization of work 	5-7 March – 2024 Arab Regional Forum on Sustainable Development (RFSD). 20 March – Nowruz 22 March - Special meeting of the Council on International Cooperation in Tax Matters 2024 (New York) 29 March – Good Friday (UN Holiday)
19 March – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (15:00 – 17:00), hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Contribution of UNEA to the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development. 	
26 March – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (14:00 – 16:30), hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Briefing on the implementation of the UN Decade on Ecosystem Restoration. - Briefing on the outcomes of the COP14 on Migratory Species. - Contribution of UNEA to the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development. 	

April 2024

18 April – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (09:00 – 12:00 and 13:00-16:00), hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - UNEA-6 assessment and lessons learned - Update on UNEP’s Foresight Trajectory - Briefing on the World Environment Day - Briefing on Global Environmental Data Strategy - Review of UNEP Thematic programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Towards Zero Waste o Pollution and Health - Briefing on the preparations for INC-4 on plastic pollution. 	1 April – Easter Monday (UN Holiday) 9 April - ECOSOC Management meetings 2024 (New York) 10 April - Eid al-Fitr (UN Holiday) 16-18 April - ECOSOC Youth Forum 2024 (New York) 19-21 April - 2024 World Bank Group/International Monetary Fund Spring Meetings (Washington D.C.) 22-24 April - Escazú Agreement COP 3 (Santiago, Chile) 22-25 April - ECOSOC Forum on Financing for Development Follow-up (FFD Forum) 2024 (New York)
22 April – Induction meeting for the President of UNEA-7 (12:00- 13:00) Hybrid	Agenda: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Induction of the President of UNEA-7 - Organization of work 	
23 - 29 April – Fourth session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee to prepare an international legally binding instrument on plastic pollution, including in the marine environment (INC-4) Ottawa, Canada	Tentative agenda here	

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May 2024

<p>2 May – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (09:00 – 12:00 and 13:00 to 16:00) hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Briefing on human rights and the environment. - UNEA-6 assessment and lessons learned. - Review of UNEP thematic programmes. - Briefing on the preparations for the third session of the ad hoc open-ended working group on a science policy panel (OEWG-3). - Briefing on World Environment Day. - Briefing on the new UNEP Youth and Education Programme. 	<p>1 May - Labor Day (UN holiday) 3 May – Orthodox Good Friday (floating holiday) 6-8 May - First session of the Executive Board for the year 2024, UN-Habitat 6-10 May - 19th session of the UN Forum on Forests (UNFF 19) (New York) 9-10 May – UN Civil Society Conference in preparation for the 2024 Summit of the Future (Nairobi) 9-10 May - UN Multi-stakeholder Forum on Science, Technology and Innovation for the SDGs (STI Forum) 2024 (New York) 13-17 May - SBSTTA 26 (TBA) 14-16 May - ECOSOC Operational Activities for Development Segment 2024 (New York) 18-24 May - 10th World Water Forum (Bali, Indonesia) 23 May – Day of Vesak (floating holiday) 20-29 May – Fourth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation of the CBD (TBA) 31 May – Madaraka Day (in lieu of Saturday, 1 June) (UN holiday)</p>
<p>8 May – Joint briefing convened by UNEP and UN-Habitat on the informal consultations on the preparations of the Pact for the Future (17:00-18:30) hybrid Additional information here</p>	<p>Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Joint briefing convened by UNEP and UN-Habitat on the informal consultations on the preparations of the Pact for the Future. 	
<p>16 May – Meeting of UNEA-7 Bureau (16:00 – 18:00), hybrid Additional information here</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Induction of the UNEA Bureau members - Organization of work - UNEA-6 assessment and lessons learned - Consideration of the process to define the theme for UNEA-7 	
<p>30 May – Secretariat Orientation Session for new Members of the CPR, (16:00 - 17:30), online Additional information here</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Secretariat Orientation Session for new Members of the CPR 	

June 2024

<p>4 June – CPR Bureau Meeting (10:00 – 12:00), hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for the 166th CPR meeting - Preparations for the 11th CPR annual subcommittee meeting - Other items TBC 	<p>3-13 June – 60th Sessions of the UNFCCC Subsidiary Bodies (Bonn, Germany) 5- 6 June – June 2024 ECOSOC Management Segment (New York) 17 June – Eid al-Adha (in lieu of Sunday, 16 June) (UN holiday) 17-19 June – G7 Summit 2024 (Putignano, Italy) 18 June – ECOSOC Meeting on the Transition from Relief to Development 2024 (New York)</p>
<p>6 June – Subcommittee Meeting (13:00 – 16:00), hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - UNEA-6 assessment and lessons learned. - Recommendations from the subcommittee for consideration at the upcoming CPR quarterly meeting. 	

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<p>13 June – 166th CPR Meeting (10:00 – 18:00) hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adoption of the draft minutes of the 164th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives. - Adoption of the draft minutes of the 165th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives. - Report of the Executive Director. - UNEA-6 assessment and lessons learned. - Briefing on UNCCD COP 16. - Report of the subcommittee. 	<p>19-21 June – ECOSOC Humanitarian Affairs Segment 2024 (New York)</p>
<p>17 – 21 June – Third meeting of the OEWG on a Science-Policy Panel to contribute Additional to the sound management of chemicals and waste and to prevent pollution Geneva, Switzerland</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Available here 	
<p>26 June - Joint meeting of the Bureau of UNEA-7 and the CPR Bureau (16:00-18:00), hybrid</p>	<p>Tentative agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consideration of options for the theme for UNEA-7 - UNEA-6 assessment and lessons learned - Organization of work 	
<p>27 June – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (10:00 – 18:00), hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Briefing on the 2023 Annual Report on UNEP’s Private Sector Engagement. - Review of UNEP Thematic programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Adaptation & Resilience o Decarbonization - Other items TBC 	
July 2024		
<p>3 July – CPR Bureau Meeting (13:30 – 15:30), hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for the 11th CPR annual subcommittee meeting - Other items TBC 	<p>7 – 12 July – The forty-sixth meeting of the Open-ended Working Group of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol (OEWG46) and the seventy-second meeting of the Implementation Committee under the Non-Compliance Procedure for the Montreal Protocol (ImpCom72), Montréal, Canada</p> <p>8-18 July – High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF) 2024 (New York)</p> <p>12-14 July – G20 Brazil Summit 2024 (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)</p> <p>15-18 July – ECOSOC High-level Segment 2024 (New York)</p> <p>21-26 July – 16th meeting of the International Conference on Mercury</p>
<p>8 - 12 July – 11th CPR annual subcommittee meeting, hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - First consultation on the options for the UNEA-7 theme. - Review of the UNEP Programme Performance Report for the years 2022-2023 - Other items TBC 	

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		<p>as a Global Pollutant (ICMGP) (Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa)</p> <p>22-26 July – 27th Session of the FAO Committee on Forestry (COFO 27) (Rome, Italy)</p> <p>23-24 July – July 2024 ECOSOC Management Segment (New York)</p> <p>25 July – ECOSOC Organizational Session for 2024-2025 (New York)</p>
August 2024		
HOLIDAY BREAK		<p>11 – 15 August – IWA World Water Congress and Exhibition 2024 (Toronto, Canada)</p> <p>12-16 August – Second Meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources (TBA)</p> <p>17-24 August – Nairobi Convention COP 11 (Madagascar)</p> <p>25-29 August – World Water Week 2024 (Stockholm, Sweden)</p>
September 2024		
<p>5 September – Orientation Session for new CPR Members, hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Items TBC 	<p>10-24 September – 79th Session of the UN General Assembly (UNGA 79) (New York)</p> <p>22-23 September – Summit of the Future (New York)</p>
<p>11 September – CPR Bureau Meeting (10:00 – 12:00), hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for the 167th meeting of the CPR - Organization of work - Other items TBC 	
<p>12 September – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (9:00-12:00, 13:00-16:00), hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review of UNEP Thematic programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Science and Transparency o Conservation, Restoration and Sustainable Use of Biodiversity - Briefing on the Global Foresight Report - Recommendations from the subcommittee for consideration at the upcoming CPR quarterly meeting. - Other items TBC 	
<p>17 September – 167th CPR Meeting (10:00 – 13:00, 15:00 – 18:00), hybrid Additional information here.</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Report of the Executive Director - Consideration of evaluation reports and audits - Preparations for UNEA-7 and Consultations on UNEA-7 Theme - Report of the subcommittee 	
October 2024		
<p>15 October – CPR Subcommittee</p>	<p>Tentative agenda</p>	<p>11 October – Yom Kippur (in lieu of</p>

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Meeting (14:00-17:00) hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review of UNEP Thematic programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mainstreaming Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services Across Sectors and Systems ○ Environmental Governance - Other items TBC 	<p>Saturday, 12 October) (floating holiday)</p> <p>16-18 October - Fifth meeting of the CBD Subsidiary Body on Implementation (TBA)</p> <p>21 October – Mashujaa Day (in lieu of Sunday, 20 October) (floating holiday)</p> <p>21-25 October - Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting (CHOGM) 2024 (Apia, Tuamasaga, Samoa)</p> <p>25-27 October - 2024 World Bank Group/International Monetary Fund Annual Meetings (Washington D.C.)</p> <p>28 October – 1 November – 36th Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol (MOP 36) Bangkok, Thailand</p> <p>31 October – Diwali (floating holiday)</p>
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November 2024

7 November – Meeting of UNEA-7 Bureau (16:00 – 18:00), hybrid	Tentative agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update on the consultations on the options for the theme for UNEA-7 	4-8 November - Twelfth Session of the World Urban Forum (WUF12) (Cairo, Egypt)
14 November – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (14:00 – 17:00), hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	Tentative agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review of UNEP Thematic programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Governance and Accountability for Biodiversity ○ Digital Transformations - Other items TBC 	11-24 November - 2024 UN Climate Change Conference (UNFCCC COP 29) (TBA)
25 November - 1 December – Fifth session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee to prepare an international legally binding instrument on plastic pollution, including in the marine environment, Busan, Korea	Agenda will be available here	15 November – Gurpurab (floating holiday)
		18-19 November - G20 Summit 2024 (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)
		18-21 November - Fifth UN World Data Forum 2024 (Medellin, Colombia)
		26-28 November 2024 (TBC) or 3-5 December 2024 (TBC)

December 2024

3 December – CPR Subcommittee Meeting (14:00 – 17:00), hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	Tentative agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review of UNEP Thematic programme: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Science for Policy and Action (TBC) - Preparations for CPR 168 - Other items TBC 	2-13 December - UNCCD COP 16 (Riyadh, Saudi Arabia)
9 December – CPR Bureau Meeting (10:00 – 12:00), online <i>Additional information here.</i>	Tentative agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preparations for CPR 168 - Other items TBC 	4-6 December (TBC) - Second session of the Executive Board for the year 2024
11 December – Joint meeting of the Bureau of UNEA-7 and of the CPR	Tentative agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Theme for UNEA-7 defined 	9-11 December (TBC) – Open-ended intergovernmental expert working group on Housing (Res2/7)
		10-16 December - 11th Session of the Plenary of the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services

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Bureau (16:00 – 18:00), online <i>Additional information here</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Preliminary discussion on the process and roadmap for consultation on the draft ministerial declaration of UNEA-7 - Organization of work. 	(IPBES 11) (Windhoek, Namibia) 12 December - Jamhuri day (UN Holiday) 25 December – Christmas day (UN Holiday)
17 December – 168th CPR Meeting (10:00 – 13:00, 15:00 – 18:00), hybrid <i>Additional information here.</i>	Tentative agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Report of the Executive Director - Consideration of evaluation reports and audits - Preparations for UNEA-7 - Report of the subcommittee 	