

## **Main Events**

### **5 October**

Congress Opening – Auditorium – 17:00-18:30

### **6 October**

Forum Opening – Auditorium – 09:30-11:30

Stream Openings – 11:30-13:00

A new climate for change

Healthy Environments – Healthy People

Safeguarding the diversity of life

### **9 October**

Forum closing – Auditorium – 16:30-18:00

## **Sustainability Dialogues**

(Media advisories available on each dialogue)

### **6 October**

**14:30-16:00** Greening Development to Address Climate Change – Auditorium

Panelists include Monique Barbut, Chief Executive Officer of GEF, and Achim Steiner, Executive Director of UNEP.

**16:30-18:00** Transition to Sustainability. Towards a Humane and Diverse World – Auditorium

Panelists include Janine Benyus, Author of Biomimicry and Valli Moosa, IUCN President.

### **7 October**

**09:30-11:00** Philanthropy for a Sustainable Future – Auditorium

Panelists include Jonathan Fanton, of the MacArthur Foundation, and Maria Blair, of the Rockefeller Foundation.

**16:30-18:00** Local 2010 Action for Biodiversity – the ignored solution – Auditorium

Panelists include Carlos Minc, Minister of Environment, Brazil, and Akiko Domoto, Governor of the Province of Chiba, Japan.

### **8 October**

**09:30-11:00** Green Construction for Sustainable Living – Auditorium

Panelists include Markus Akermann, Holcim.

**14:30-16:00**

**12:00-12:30**



**18:30-20:00**

Invasive Species: beyond prevention & eradication. *Directorate General for Development Cooperation, Italy – Room 115*  
Environment and Security Part II –

**18:30**

Turning the Tide – Pacific Youth Alliance

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**09:30-11:00**

Conservation with Justice – A Rights-based Approach. *IUCN - Environment Law Center – Room 115*

**Disclaimer:** Please note the times and dates of the events listed above may be subject to change.

### **Journeys**

Targeted guides identifying events around a single theme, including:

- Energy
- Markets & Business
- Env Law & Governance
- Rights and Livelihoods
- Protected Areas
- Islands
- Marine
- Forests
- Species
- Water
- Biocultural Diversity (inc. Indig. Peoples)
- Mediterranean

### **LINKS PLEASE**

#### **International Women's Fair**

IUCN is organizing an International Women Environmental Entrepreneurs Fair at the World Conservation Congress, taking place from October 5 to 14, 2008, in Barcelona. Fifty women from around the world will have the chance to showcase their innovative "green enterprises" at the Congress and to form the basis of a worldwide network of women green entrepreneurs.

**Web link for the Fair**

#### **Beeline to pavilions**

Make your way to the entrance hall and discover the programmatic work of IUCN and our partners along various themes in the pavilion area. These multi-activity areas covering 3,000 m<sup>2</sup> will host various events, exhibitions, seating areas and many more to encourage you to take a breather from the formal Congress programme and learn more about cutting-edge environmentalism.

Enjoy an emotive journey through high-energy events such as book launches, media interviews, informative sessions and debates during the formal breaks in the Congress programme. Alternatively, sit down, relax and network at low-energy events while the Congress programme gets underway.

Daily event programmes may be found in the Congress programme map and on plasma screens positioned on the pavilion totem.