Ministry of Environment of Rwanda

Environmental Leadership Programme on Sustainable and Resilient Infrastructure (1st Edition) Training Agenda (FINAL)

	Week-1			
Time [1]	Day 1 Tuesday, 30-Nov	Day 2 (Green Finance) Wednesday, 1-Dec	Day 3 (Housing) Thursday, 2-Dec	Day 4 (Nature, biodiversity) Friday, 3-Dec
13:00 – 14:20	**Session 1(a) Intro:** Opening remarks, admin, ice breakers, group work/project **Lead: UNITAR facilitator** **Session 1(b) Setting the scene:** Int'l Good Practice Principles for Sustainable Infrastructure **Lead: UNEP (SIP team)**	**Session 3(a): Financing Sustainable Infrastructure** - experience sharing from IDBZ; integrating env't and social safeguards into programming & implementation **Lead: Infrastructure Development Bank of Zimbabwe (IDBZ)** **RP: Maseva Chrispen, Mudala Rashidi, Jakarasi Veronica**	**Session 4: Adequate and sustainable social housing** – definition/framework, best practices, and case studies **Lead: UN Habitat** **RP: Jesus Villanueva, Alicia Regodon**	**Session 5: Nature-based infrastructure solutions -** NbS intro, Valuing social, economic & environment co-benefits of NBI with case studies (SAVi tool) **Lead: IISD** **RP: Ronja Bechauf, Andrea Bassi, Marco Guzzetti**
	Session break			
14:40 – 16:00	**Session 2: Infrastructure for sustainable, resilient and inclusive development –** systems approach for national infrastrcutrue planning using evidence-based approach/ tools to enhance resilience and sustaianblity **Lead: UNOPS** **RP: Scott Thacker, Toluwanimi Adeoti**	**Session 3(b): Access to green finance; case study for Rwanda** IFIs funding mechanisms for sustainable infrastructure; **Lead: the World Bank** **RP: Elisson Wright, James Seward, John Kalisa**	Group work preparation; Q&A	**Session 6: Landscape-scale infrastructure planning –** integrating biodiversity considerations at corridor level. Case study: Rapid Risk Assessment of the Lamu Lokichar Pipeline in the LAPPSET corridor **Lead: WWF-Kenya** **RP: Jackson Kiplagat**

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[1] Central Africa Time (GMT+2)

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	Week-2		
Time	Day 5 (Digital transformation) Monday, 6-Dec	Day 6 (Climate information services) Tuesday, 7-Dec	Day 7 Wednesday, 8-Dec
13:00 – 14:20	**Session 7(a): Creating an enabling environment for green digital technology** - enabling environment considerations for increased digitalization in green sectors contributing to an inclusive green economy; policy frameworks, ecosystem for private sector innovation, data sharing, etc. **Lead: UNEP (Joseph Price)** **RP: Gordon Kalema (MINICT Rwanda), Yaxuan Chen (UNEP)**	**Session 8: Access to and interpretation of climate data for enhanced forecasting and early warning systems -** WMO framework and support through specialized regional centers **Lead: WMO** **RP: Adanna Robertson-Quimby**	Group work presentation
	Session break		
14:40 – 16:00	**Session 7(b): Digitalization of Sustainable Transportation Infrastructure** – scope of digitalization of transport, case studies, **Lead: UNEP** **RP: Carley Koinage, Alex Korner (UNEP, Sustainability Mobility) Emilie Martin, Daniel Ovideo, Philip Krause**	Group work preparation; Q&A	Group work presentation (cont.) Survey feedback & closing