

COP28 PRESIDENCY'S FLAGSHIP TRANSPORT EVENT:

Putting Transport and Mobility Systems on Track for a 1.5°C Future

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Organized by: COP28 Presidency I **Delivery Partners:** Air Transport Action Group (ATAG), International Transport Forum, SLOCAT, UN High-Level Climate Champions Team

A just transition to equitable, healthy, green, and resilient transport and mobility systems is central to socio-economic prosperity for people and the planet. To achieve this, systemic transformations in transport and mobility – linked to wider socio-economic transformations – are needed. The world experienced significant challenges and major crises in recent years, including the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic; this was followed by global economic downturn, further disruption of supply chains and the ongoing energy crisis. These wide-ranging crises have put the already-elusive progress made in the transport sector towards the Paris Agreement at increased risk. In a world of interconnected challenges, the opportunity lies in finding solutions for systemic transformation that cut across transport, sustainability and climate action. Integrated, inter-modal multi-dimensional solutions across passenger and freight transport remains critical to deliver on such cross-cutting solutions.

Objectives

- Facilitate a multi-stakeholder dialogue to interrogate the most critical issues, challenges and showcase solutions for aviation, land and maritime transport.
- Draw links and continue the conversation from the Global Climate Action event in the morning, providing policy makers with an opportunity to respond to ambition and issues raised by non-Party stakeholders.

Provisional programme

17:45-17:55	Welcome and scene setting: Chartering a course to a sustainable, decarbonised transport for a 1.5°C Future H.E. Dr. Nawal Al-Hosany, Permanent Representative of the UAE to IRENA
17:55-18:40	Putting transport and mobility systems on track with ambition and action Moderator: Mr. Mohamed Hegazy, Transport Lead, UN High-Level Champions Team
	Ms. Johannah Christensen, CEO, Global Maritime Forum Eng. Mohammad Jamal Alsaati, Special Adviser to the President, Islamic Development Bank Dr. Young Tae Kim, Secretary-General, International Transport Forum Mr. Felipe Ramírez, Urban Mobility Director, WRI Ross Center for Sustainable Cities Mr. Rizwan Soomar, CEO & MD, MENA & India Subcontinent, DP World Ms. Bronwen Thornton, CEO, Walk21 I PATH
18:40-19:10	Snapshots of enabling policies Mr. Mao Tze Bayotas, AMOSUP Youth Representative, AMOSUP Seamen's Training Center Dr. Chantal Line Carpentier, Head, Trade, Environment, Climate Change and Sustainable Development, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) Ms. Jane Hupe, Chief of the Environmental Unit, ICAO Ambassador Albon Ishoda, Special Presidential Envoy for the Decarbonisation of Maritime Shipping, Republic of Marshall Islands
19:10-19:15	Closing Mr. Rahma Alshamsi, Heavy Emitting Sectors Lead, COP28 UAE