

Our analysts work around the clock to compile a comprehensive list of all the events and conferences in the development sector that you will not find anywhere else. Below are some of the most noteworthy events in the sector.

Upcoming Events

NOVEMBER 2020



**YOUTH
AT
HEART**

Virtual | Youth at Heart Virtual Forum

The forum's discussion will address education and the challenges of ensuring that educational needs are met during the current pandemic, the opportunities presented by digitalization, and the obstacles faced by refugees wanting to work or attend education. Other important topics are youth-led change, youth participation, mental health during the COVID-19 crisis, and entrepreneurship for youth.

Date and location: **2 November 2020 | Virtual**

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/u5xWy>



**GENEVA
PEACE
WEEK**

Virtual | Geneva Peace Week 2020 (GPW20)

Geneva Peace Week is a flagship initiative of the Geneva Peacebuilding Platform in collaboration with the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (IHEID), the United Nations Office at Geneva (UNOG), and the Platform's five partners – the Graduate Institute's Centre on Conflict, Development and Peacebuilding (CCDP); the Geneva Centre for Security Sector Governance (DCAF); the Geneva Centre for Security Policy (GCSP); Interpeace; and the Quaker United Nations Office, Geneva (QUNO).

Date and location: **2 November 2020 | Virtual**

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/RCeTW>



Global Donor Platform for Rural Development: Annual General Assembly

The selected theme for this year's AGA, "Pathways for Food Systems Transformation," will open a discussion on what processes are needed at local, national, regional and global levels to underpin food systems transformation, and on the role that donors can play in catalyzing and supporting such processes.

Date and location: **2 - 5 November 2020 | Virtual**

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/qQhsi>



Global Forum on Environment: Towards cost-effective management systems for industrial and consumer chemicals

The Global Forum on Environment will discuss the challenges posed by chemicals, provide knowledge on effective and sustainable policies for the sound management of chemicals. Together, leading actors in the field of chemicals management will promote effective engagement, collaboration and action on the sound management of chemicals and waste.

Date and location: **3-4 November 2020** | OECD, Paris

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/KNfZB>



6th Conference of the Asia Pacific Public Electronic Procurement Network (Virtual e-Government Procurement Conference 2020)

The Asian Development Bank (ADB) is organizing the 6th Annual Conference of the Asia Pacific Public Electronic Procurement Network (APPeN) on 3-5 November 2020 through a virtual platform. This year's conference will focus on rapid digitalization of public procurement induced by global pandemic.

Date and location: **3-5 November** | Virtual

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/WDr8f>



ADBI-ADB-World Trade Organization Regional Policy Dialogue: Trade and Sustainability in the Context of COVID-19

This ADBI-Asian Development Bank-World Trade Organization regional policy dialogue will examine medical goods supply chain performance during the pandemic, regulatory responses, and the policy outlook for the sector. The event will also explore how COVID-19 era trade and global value chains could affect the future of sustainable development.

Date and location: **9 - 13 November** | Virtual

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/uFWRj>



The Women and Girls Summit (WAGS)

The summit will offer unique opportunities for participants to network with leaders and key influencers from across the world. It will provide a platform for dialogue and knowledge-sharing and will serve as the birthplace for initiatives and institutions that will address the many challenges of women and girls in Africa.

Date and location: **16-18 November 2020** | Webinar

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/kSkoY>



7th Global summit on Climate Change

The Committee on World Food Security (CFS) will organize a High-Level Virtual Special Event on Food Security and Nutrition. The session, in lieu of CFS 47 which has been rescheduled to 8 - 12 February 2021 in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, will seek to keep food security and nutrition front and centre on the global sustainable development agenda.

Date and location: **18-19 November 2020** | Webinar

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/8bTul>



SEA of Solutions 2020 (Virtual)

SEA of Solutions 2020 (SOS2020) will continue to explore and address priorities in the region, building on outcomes from the previous year, with a focus on the key question – how can we now progress towards “less plastic wasted”?

Date and location: **24 - 26 November** | Virtual event

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/2n66r>



2020 OECD Green Growth and Sustainable Forum

The Forum sessions will focus on the best practices, opportunities and challenges for enhancing the environmental sustainability of the sectors and workers who directly depend on the natural capital on land and on oceans.

Date and location: **24-26 November** | Remote participation

Registration information: <https://www.developmentaid.org/link/7JHSR>

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