

UNEP Calendar of Environmental Meetings


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Reports on meetings held, will normally be available for distribution to Governments, but will often not appear for several months after the date of the meeting. However, the reports of meetings convened to advise the Executive Director on programme development will as a rule not be available for external distribution; their conclusions will of course be reflected in the Executive Director's proposals for the development of the programme.

 identifies **Major** Environmental Meetings, Conferences and Symposiums using the following criteria:

- a) The event should be directly connected with broad environmental issues. The regular meetings of United Nations governing bodies and organizations have, for example, been excluded from this category, since they only partly deal with environmental matters. On the other hand, General Assemblies of International Environmental Organizations, such as IUCN have been included.
- b) The event should be International, Inter-Regional or Regional in scope. National events have not been included.
- c) The event may involve, not only United Nations bodies and organizations, but also governments and non-governmental organizations.
- d) Training and technical workshops on specific subjects have also been excluded from this category.

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Please Note: The column "Expected Participants" has been changed to "invitees". As we are currently in the process of effecting this change, there are still some instances where the names of expected participants appear under the column "invitees". As additions/amendments are made to the calendar, the column "invitees" will reflect the broad categories of invitees to meetings.



Distribution:

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A calendar of International Environmental Events is available at <http://www.unep.org/Calendars>.

Part I: Upcoming/Ongoing Environmental Meetings

April, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
 Sun 7 - Fri 19	The Hague Netherlands	6th Meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP-6)	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan		Confirmed
Mon 15 - Tue 16	Algiers Algeria	Legal Experts Seminar for Magreb Countries	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan H. Da Cruz F.S. Civili		Confirmed
Mon 15 - Wed 17	Montreal Canada	UNEP/Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry (SETAC)/ Asia-Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC) /International Chamber of Mining and Metals(ICMM)/ Workshop on Life Cycle Assessment and Metals	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) B. deLeeuw W. Hoskin	Governments, Industry, Organisations	Confirmed
Mon 15 - Fri 19	Brussels Belgium	UNEP / UNESCO Youth Exchange Selected Among the Few Projects to put on Permanent Show at the Green Week	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) I. Marras	Government, Industry, Organisations	Confirmed
Wed 17	Brussels Belgium	Workshop on Marketing, Advertising and Communication at the Green Week	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) S. Montillaud	Governments, Industry, Organisations	Confirmed
Fri 19 - Sat 20	Split Croatia	Experts Meeting on Information Awareness and Public Participation for East Adriatic Countries, Malta, Cyprus, Turkey and Israel	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan B. Kamal		Tentative
Sun 21 - Tue 23	Cairo Egypt	Workshop on ISO14000	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments	Confirmed
Mon 22 - Tue 23	Thailand	Follow-up meeting of SEAP Network of ODS Officers,	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for Asia & the Pacific) T Junchaya		Confirmed
Mon 22 - Wed 24	Yemen	Workshop on Land Degradation	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem UNDP	Governments, Regional organisations	Confirmed
Mon 22 - Thu 25	Trinidad and Tobago The Caribbean	Regional Workshop on the Reduction/Elimination and Management of Pesticides in the Context of the Stockholm Convention and the Basel Convention	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, Regional IGOs and Governments Rep. for the Stockholm Convention on POPs	Confirmed
 Mon 22 - Fri 26	The Hague Netherlands	First Meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety (MOP1) or the Third Meeting of the Intergovernmental Committee for the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety (ICCP-3)	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan		Confirmed

April, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Wed 24 - Thu 25	Marseille France	Meeting of the Associates to the Action Plan for the Conservation of Marine Vegetation in the Mediterranean Sea	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan C. Rais		Confirmed
Wed 24 - Thu 25	Cairo Egypt	CAMRE Steering Committee Meeting on Industry and Environment	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments	Confirmed
Wed 24 - Fri 26	Thailand	SEAP Customs-ODS Officers Co-operation Workshop	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for Asia & the Pacific) T Junchaya		Confirmed
Sun 28	Prague Czech Republic	Launch of the Life Cycle Initiative at CP7	UNEP	DTIE (Production and Consumption) S. P. Chandak	Governments, Industry, Organisations	Confirmed
Sun 28 - Mon 29	Manama Bahrain	Regional GIWA Start-up Meeting	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments	Confirmed
Mon 29 - Tue 30	Prague Czech Republic	Seventh International High Level Seminar on Cleaner Production	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) S. P. Chandak	CP practitioners, NCPs and other CP Institutions Government, Industry, Academia, NGOs, Consultants	Confirmed
Mon 29 - Tue 30	Manama Bahrain	Expert/User Consultation on Development of a Web based Data Portal for West Asia	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Technical experts, Regional organisations	Confirmed
Not determined, Apr 2002	Algiers Algeria	Inception Workshop for Coastal Area Management Programme (CAMP) Algeria	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan I. Trumbic K. Graba		Tentative

May, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 6	Montego Bay Jamaica	Second Meeting of the Contracting Parties to the Protocol Concerning Specially Protected Areas and Wildlife (SPA) in the Wider Caribbean Region	UNEP	UNEP (CAR/RCU) N. Andrade A. Vanzella-Khouri		Confirmed
Mon 6 - Tue 7	To be determined	Workshop on Cleaner Production	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments, Industry and Regional organisations	Tentative
Mon 6 - Tue 7	Nairobi Kenya	Steering Committee Meeting of the project Partnership Environmental Law and Institutions in Africa (PADELIA)	UNEP	DEPI D. Kaniaru	D. Kaniaru C. Okidi	Confirmed



May, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 6 - Thu 9	Nairobi Kenya	First Meeting of Signatory States to the MOU on the Conservation of Marine Turtles of the Atlantic Coast of Africa	UNEP	CMS A Müller-Helmbrecht	Hon. Minister of State, Dr. Okopido, and in collaboration with the UNEP Division of Environmental Conventions	Confirmed
Mon 6 - Fri 10	Nairobi Kenya	High Summit on Mountains, Africa Hub	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for Africa) S. Toure		Confirmed
Tue 7 - Wed 8	Tunis Tunisia	Meeting of the Advisory Committee for the Strategic Action Plan for the Conservation of Biological Diversity (SAP-BIO)	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Hentati G. Torchia		Confirmed
Tue 7 - Sat 11	Montego Bay Jamaica	Tenth Intergovernmental Meeting on the Action Plan for the Caribbean Environment Programme and Seventh Meeting of the Contracting Parties to the Convention for the Protection and Development of the Marine Environment of the Wider Caribbean Region	UNEP	UNEP (CAR/RCU) N. Andrade		Confirmed
Wed 8 - Sat 11	Tianjin China	Workshop on Development of Eco-industrial Parks	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) W. Zhao	Environmental managers of industrial development zones and parks, Governmental officials	Tentative
Mon 13 - Wed 15	Nairobi Kenya	Expert Group Meeting on Case Studies on Environmental Change, Human Vulnerability and Security	UNEP	DEWA K. Kakuyo		Confirmed
Mon 13 - Wed 15	Bangkok Thailand	Regional launching seminar for Geriap	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for Asia & the Pacific) N. Svenningsen		Confirmed
Mon 13 - Wed 15	Geneva Switzerland	Expert Meeting on Liability and Compensation Issues For Environmental Damage	UNEP	DEPI D. Kaniaru	Experts in Individual Capacity	Confirmed
Mon 13 - Fri 17	Leiden Netherlands	12th Meeting of the CITES Plants Committee	UNEP	CITES Secretariat W. Wijnstekers	CITES Staff, PC Members, Representatives of Parties, Non-Parties, UN Agencies, IGOs and NGOs	Confirmed
Mon 13 - Fri 24	Hyderabad India	CITES Tiger Enforcement Task Force Training Seminar	UNEP	CITES Secretariat W. Wijnstekers	CITES staff, Range States (14 countries), UN Agencies, IGOs and NGOs	Confirmed



May, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Thu 16	Vienna Austria	Workshops for the Life Cycle Initiative at the 12th Annual Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry (SETAC) Meeting	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) B. de Leeuw	Academia, Government and Industry	Confirmed
Thu 16 - Sat 18	Forli Italy	Experts Meeting on the Management of Brine Discharges	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan F. Abousamra F.S. Civili		Tentative
Sun 19 - Wed 22	Quebec City Canada	World Ecotourism Summit	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) O. Hillel	Governments, Industry representatives, Experts, Academia, NGOs	Confirmed
Mon 20 - Tue 21	To be determined	Workshop on Alternative Water Resources and Desalination	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
Mon 20 - Fri 24	To be determined New Zealand	2nd Meeting of the Ad hoc Technical Expert Group on Marine and Coastal Protected Areas	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan		Tentative
Tue 21 - Wed 22	Tunis Tunisia	Workshop on the Ecosystem approach and Biological Indicators	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Hentanti C. Rais		Confirmed
Tue 21 - Wed 22	Geneva Switzerland	5th Session of the Legal Working Group of the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention P. Suian		Confirmed
Tue 21 - Thu 23	Grand Cayman Cayman Islands	Second CITES Wider Caribbean Hawksbill Turtle Dialogue Meeting	UNEP	CITES Secretariat W. Wijnstekers	CITES staff, Range States (29 countries and dependent territories), UN Agencies and IGOs	Confirmed
Wed 22 - Fri 24	Victoria Canada	4th UNEP International Children's Conference on the Environment Children's Conference on the Environment	UNEP	Communications & Public Information T. Brevik		Confirmed
Thu 23 - Fri 24	Geneva Switzerland	20th Session of the Technical Working Group of the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention P. Portas		Confirmed
Thu 23 - Fri 24	New Delhi India	Regional Workshop on ICT and the Environment in Asia and the Pacific	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for Asia & the Pacific) M. Pradhan		Confirmed
Mon 27 - Tue 28	Geneva Switzerland	2nd Joint Meeting of the Technical Working Group and the Legal Working Group of the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention P. Portas (Technical) P. Suian (Legal)		Confirmed
Mon 27 - Tue 28	Biserta Tunisia	Second Meeting of National Authorities from Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia for Sub-regional Agreement in the South Western Mediterranean	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan R. Patruno D. Domovic Consultant		Confirmed

May, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 27 - Wed 29	Muscat Oman	ODS Network meeting	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments	Tentative
Mon 27 - Wed 29	Romania	EUROBATS 7th Advisory Committee Meeting	UNEP	CMS		Confirmed
Mon 27 – Fri 7 Jun	Indonesia	4th PrepCom to the World Summit on Sustainable Development	UNEP + Partners	DPDL B. Kante		Confirmed
Wed 29 – Sat 1 Jun	Geneva Switzerland	1st Session of the Working Group for Implementation of the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention S. Kuwabara- Yamamoto	SBC Staff	Confirmed
Not determined, May 2002	Athens Greece	Working Group on Orientations and Preparation of a Mediterranean Sustainable Development Strategy	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Hoballah		Tentative
Not determined, May 2002	Dakar Senegal	Sub-Regional Workshop for the Implementation of the Rotterdam Convention	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, Regional IGOs and DN Authorities in the Region	Tentative

June, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 3 - Tue 4	To be determined	Workshop on Water Resources Management	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
Mon 3 - Fri 7	Port of Spain Trinidad and Tobago	GEF-MSP Sub-Regional Workshop on Support for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention on POPs	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, POPs Focal Points, Regional IGOs, GEF Country Focal Points and UN Agencies	Tentative
Tue 4 - Wed 5	Dubai U.A.E.	Workshop for Media on Representation of the Environment	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Media	Tentative
Mon 10 - Wed 12	Gothenburg Sweden	ASCOBANS 9th Advisory Committee Meeting		CMS		
Tue 11	To be determined	MEA/WTO Meeting	UNEP	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H.Abaza	ETB Staff, Governments, Convention Secretariats, NGOs, IGOs, UN and Specialized Agencies	Confirmed


June, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Thu 13 - Fri 14	Barcelona Spain	Integrated Product Policy (IPP) Network Meeting	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) B. de Leeuw	Governments	Confirmed
Thu 13 - Sat 15	Balearic Spain	Training Course on Legal and Management Instruments for the Protection of the Mediterranean Coasts	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan H. Da Cruz		Confirmed
Mon 17 - Wed 19	To be determined	Expert Meeting on Environmental Indicators and Environmental Impact Assessment	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Technical experts, Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
 Mon 17 - Fri 21	Geneva Switzerland	6th Session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee for the Stockholm Convention	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Governments, IGOs, POPs Focal Points, Industrial Associations, NGO's and UN Agencies	Confirmed
Wed 19	The Hague	Integrated Assessment of Agriculture and Trade Liberalization	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	ETB Chief, Governments, Experts IAIA Association	Confirmed
Thu 20 - Fri 21	Tunis Tunisia	Ad hoc Meeting with Specialists (Action Plan on Cartilaginous Fish)	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan G. Torchia		Confirmed
Thu 20 - Fri 21	Nairobi Kenya	Forum on Dams and Development	UNEP	DEPI T. Nakamura		Confirmed
Tue 25	Nairobi Kenya	79th Meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives (CPR) to UNEP	UNEP	Office of the Secretary for Governing Bodies B. Miller		Confirmed
Not determined, Jun 2002	Manama Bahrain	Meeting for the Development of River Basin Management Strategies	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Regional organisations, Governments	Tentative
Not determined, Jun 2002	Chile	Sub-Regional Workshop with Stockholm Convention on POPs and Alternative Approaches to POPs Pesticides	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, Regional IGOs and Governments Rep. for the Stockholm Convention on POPs	Tentative
Not determined, Jun 2002	Athens Greece	Meeting of Experts on Harmonization of Sub-regional Information Strategies	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan B. Kamal		Tentative
Not determined, Jun 2002	Malta	Final Presentation Conference for Coastal Area Management Programme (CAMP) Malta	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan I. Trumbic L. Vella		Tentative

July, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 1 - Tue 2	Cairo Egypt	Meeting of Arab ODS Officers	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments	Tentative
Mon 1 - Fri 5	Rome Italy	Ad-hoc Technical Expert Group on Mariculture	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan		Tentative
Mon 8 - Tue 9	To be determined	Workshop for NGOs, Youth and Media attending WSSD	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	WSSD participants	Tentative
Sat 20	Geneva Switzerland	28th Implementation Committee Meeting under the Non-Compliance Procedure for the Montreal Protocol	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M. Graber	Members of the Implementation Committee	Tentative
Mon 22	Geneva Switzerland	First Meeting of the Bureau of the 13th Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat N. Sabogal	Members of the Bureau	Tentative
Mon 22 - Fri 26	Geneva Switzerland	22nd Open-ended Working Group Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M. Graber		Tentative
Fri 26	Geneva Switzerland	Ad hoc Working Group on Replenishment	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M. Graber	Members of the Working Group	Tentative

August, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 5 - Tue 6	To be determined	Workshop on Environmental Citizenship	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
 Mon 26 – Wed 4 Sep	Johannesburg South Africa	World Summit on Sustainable Development (WSSD, Rio + 10)	UNEP + Partners	DPDL B. Kante		Confirmed

September, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 9 - Tue 10	To be determined	Workshop on Environmental Management of Industrial Estates/APELL	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Industry and Governments	Tentative
Mon 9 - Fri 13	Geneva Switzerland	Meeting of Working Group for the Global Mercury Assessment	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, Industrial Associations and UN Agencies	Tentative

September, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 9 - Fri 13	Kiev Ukraine	GEF-MSP Sub-Regional Workshop on Support for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention on POPs	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, POPs Focal Points, GEF Country Focal Points and Regional IGOs	Tentative
Tue 10 - Thu 12	Syria	Ad hoc Meeting with Specialists (Action Plan on Monk Seal)	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Hentati G. Torchia		Confirmed
Thu 12	Nairobi Kenya	80th Meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives (CPR) to UNEP	UNEP	Office of the Secretary for Governing Bodies B. Miller		Confirmed
Sun 15 - Sat 28	Bonn Germany	Seventh Meeting of the Conference of the Parties of the Convention on Migratory Species (COP-7) and Second Meeting of the Parties of the African Eurasian Migratory Waterbird Agreement (AEWA), (MOP2)	UNEP + Partners	CMS A Müller-Helmbrecht CMS-AEWA Bert Lenten German Government	UNEP/CMS Staff	Tentative
Thu 19 - Sat 21	Tucson USA	Regional Team Meeting - Region II RBAPTC Project	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	P. Whyllie	Confirmed
Thu 19 - Sat 21	Vienna Austria	Stockholm Convention Workshop on Liability and Redress	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, IGOs, UN Agencies	Confirmed
Mon 23 - Tue 24	Larnaca Cyprus	Meeting of National Operational Authorities of Cyprus, Egypt, Israel	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan R. Patruno D. Domovic		Confirmed
Mon 23 - Tue 24	To be determined	Workshop on Illiteracy Eradication	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
Mon 23 - Wed 25	Krasnodar Russia	Sub-Regional Training Workshop on Inventories of Stocks of Obsolete Pesticides	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments and Technical Experts	Tentative
Not determined, Sep 2002	Athens Greece	Experts Meeting on Mediterranean Regional Strategy for Information Awareness and Public Participation	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan B. Kamal		Tentative
Not determined, Sep 2002	Kerkennah Tunisia	Mediterranean Training Workshop on Posidonia Meadows	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan C. Rais		Confirmed
Not determined, Sep 2002	Athens Greece	Meeting of Mediterranean Experts on Liability and Compensation	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan H. Da Cruz		Confirmed
Not determined, Sep 2002		Meeting of Mediterranean Commission on Sustainable Development (MCSD) Steering Committee	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Hoballah		Tentative

September, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Not determined, Sep 2002	Manama Bahrain	Workshop on the Regional Implementation of the GPA	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Regional organisations, Governments, Financing agencies	Tentative
Mon 30 – Fri 4 Oct	Bonn Germany	9th Session of the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee for the Rotterdam Convention	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Governments, IGOs, Industrial Associations, NGOs, UN Agencies	Confirmed


October, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Tue 1 - Wed 2	To be determined	Workshop on Cleaner Development Mechanisms	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
Tue 1 - Thu 3	Rome Italy	Meeting of Experts for the Elaboration of the Draft Action Plan on Cartilaginous Fish	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Hentati G. Torchia		Confirmed
Mon 7 - Tue 8	To be determined	Workshop on National legislation Development and Enforcement	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments	Tentative
Mon 14 - Tue 15	To be determined	Workshop for Tour and Hotel Operators as part of the International Year for Eco-tourism	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Tour operators	Tentative
Mon 21 - Tue 22	To be determined	Workshop on Trade and Environment	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
Mon 28 - Tue 29	To be determined	Integration of Environmental Concepts in University Curricula	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Education Ministries and Universities	Tentative
Not determined, Oct 2002	Barcelona Spain	Experts Meeting on Orientations and Preparation of a Mediterranean Sustainable Development Strategy	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Hoballah		Tentative
Not determined, Oct 2002	Alexandria Egypt	GEF-MSP Sub-Regional Workshop on Support for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention on POPs	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, POPs Focal Points, Regional IGOs, GEF Country Focal Points and UN Agencies	Tentative

October, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Not determined, Oct 2002	Iran Islamic Republic	Regional Workshop for the Implementation of the Rotterdam Convention	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, Regional IGOs, DN Authorities in the Region and UN Agencies	Tentative
Not determined, Oct 2002	Nairobi Kenya	Workshop to Promote Sustainable Alternatives Strategies to POPs Pesticides	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, Regional IGOs and UN Agencies	Tentative
Not determined, Oct 2002	Barcelona Spain	Meeting of Experts for the Elaboration of A Draft Action Plan for the Control of Invasive Species Introduction	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Hentati C. Rais		Tentative

November, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Sun 3 - Mon 4	To be determined	ODS Follow-up Meeting	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments	Tentative
Sun 3 - Mon 4	To be determined	Workshop on Urban Air Quality Assessment and Management in West Asia	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
 Mon 4 - Sat 16	Santiago Chile	12th meeting of the Conference of the Parties to CITES	UNEP	CITES Secretariat	CITES Staff, SC Members, Representatives from Parties and Non-Parties, UN- Agencies, IGOs and NGOs	Confirmed
Mon 18 - Fri 22	To be determined	Thirty-eighth meeting of the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol	UNEP	Multilateral Fund Secretariat O. El-Arini	O. El-Arini	Confirmed
Mon 18 - Fri 22	Rome Italy	Thirty-eighth Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M. Graber		Tentative
Thu 21 - Sat 23	To be determined	Workshop on Integrated Environmental Assessment and State of the Environment Reporting	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Governments and Regional organisations	Tentative
Mon 25	Rome Italy	Third Meeting of the Bureau of the Fifth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Vienna Convention	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M. Graber	Members of the Bureau	Tentative

November, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 25	Rome Italy	Twenty-ninth Implementation Committee under the Non-Compliance procedure of the Montreal Protocol	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M.Grabner		Tentative
Mon 25	Rome Italy	Second Meeting of the Bureau of the 13 Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M.Grabner	Members of the Bureau	Tentative
Mon 25 - Fri 29	Malta	6th Regional Marine Pollution Emergency Response Centre for the Mediterranean Sea (REMPEC) Focal Points Meeting	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan R.Patrino D. Domovic E. Sampatakakis Programme Officer Prevention		Confirmed
Mon 25 - Fri 29	Rome Italy	Sixth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Vienna Convention for the protection of the Ozone Layer and the Fourteenth Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat M.Grabner		Tentative
Not determined, Nov 2002	Kiev Ukraine	Regional Workshop for the Implementation of the Rotterdam Convention	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts, Regional IGOs, DN Authorities in the Region and UN Agencies	Tentative
Not determined, Nov 2002	Bangkok Thailand	UNEP Finance Initiatives Training Course for Financial Practitioners from the Asia-Pacific Region	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Bangkok Office, Financial practitioners from the region	Tentative

December, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Mon 2 - Wed 4	Malta	First Regional Conference on Protection of the Environment of the Mediterranean Sea	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan D. Domovic		Confirmed
Wed 4	Nairobi Kenya	81st Meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives (CPR) to UNEP	UNEP	Office of the Secretary for Governing Bodies B.Miller		Confirmed
Mon 9 - Fri 13	Geneva Switzerland	6th Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention S. Kuwabara-Yamamoto	SBC Staff	Confirmed
Thu 12 - Fri 13	Tunis Tunisia	Ad hoc Meeting for the Species of Birds listed in Annex II of the SPA Protocol	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Hentati A. Ouerghi		Confirmed

December, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Invitees	Status
Not determined, Dec 2002	Athens Greece	Regional Conference on the Implementation of MARPOL 73/78 and REMPEC Protocol in the Mediterranean	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan R. Patruno Prog. Officer Prevention		Tentative
Not determined, Dec 2002	Athens Greece	Meeting of National Experts and NGOs for Mediterranean Information Strategy	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan B. Kamal		Tentative
Not determined, Dec 2002	Kazakhstan Asia	National Workshop on Establishing Pollutant Release and Transfer Registers (PRTRs)	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Governments, Technical Experts and UN Agencies	Tentative

Part II: Report Availability for Meetings that have Taken Place

January, 2002

Date	Place	Meeting	Organizer	Contact	Reports
Tue 8 – Sun 10 Feb	Cairo Egypt	10th Meeting of the Arab Technical Team on the Basel Secretariat	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Recommendations available
Wed 9 - Fri 11	Jastarnia Poland	Workshops on a recovery plan for Baltic Harbour Porpoises	UNEP	ASCOBANS	
Wed 9 - Sat 12	Hanoi Vietnam	Asian Regional Workshop on Sustainable Use of Biological Diversity	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Report available online at http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meetings/wssuse/wssuse-02/wssuse-02-03-en.pdf
Fri 11 - Sat 12	Split Croatia	Expert Meeting on Coastal Erosion	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Prem	To be issued by PAP/RAC
Mon 14	Uganda	Phase II Meeting on the Implementation of the Uganda Project	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Mission report available for internal use
Mon 14 - Tue 15	Geneva Switzerland	19th Session of the Technical Working Group of the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention P. Portas	Draft Report available online at http://www.basel.int/meetings/TWG/twg19/twg19%20unedited.pdf
Mon 14 - Tue 15	Paris France	Finance, Mining and Sustainability - The Role of Financial Institutions in Mining	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) F. Balkau	Zemek Report: The Role of Financial Institutions in Sustainable Mineral Development, in progress
Mon 14 - Wed 16	Geneva Switzerland	International Seminar on Environment and Human Rights	UNEP + Partners	DPDL (Interagency Unit) H. Fadaei	
Mon 14 - Fri 18	Nairobi Kenya	Experts Meeting on the Revision of the 1968 African Convention on the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources	UNEP + Partners	DEPI C. Okidi DRC (Regional Office for Africa)	
Tue 15 - Wed 16	Dubai U.A.E.	Gulf Cooperation Council Symposium on ODS Alternatives	Non-UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Report under preparation
Wed 16 - Thu 17	Geneva Switzerland	1st Joint Meeting of the Technical Working Group and the Legal Working Group of the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention P. Portas (Technical) P. Suian (Legal)	Draft Report available online at http://www.basel.int/meetings/joint/JTL%20report%20(unedited).pdf
Thu 17 - Sat 19	Malta	CAMP: Improving the Implementation Regional Workshop	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan I. Trumbic A. Alm	To be issued by PAP/RAC and METAP
Fri 18 - Sat 19	Geneva Switzerland	4th Session of the Legal Working Group of the Basel Convention	UNEP	Secretariat of the Basel Convention P. Suian	Draft Report available online at http://www.basel.int/meetings/joint/Lwg4%20report%20unedited.pdf




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Sun 20 - Tue 22	Malta	Meeting of National Legal and Technical Experts on the Amendments to the Emergency Protocol to the Barcelona Convention	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan L. Chabason R. Patruno U. Da Cruz	To be issued by UNEP(DEC)/MED WG.197/2
Mon 21	Geneva Switzerland	Preparatory Meeting on MEA-WTO Policy Interface	UNEP	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Meeting report under preparation
Mon 21 - Fri 25	Helsinki Finland	Ad-hoc Working Group on the Interlinkages between Biological Diversity and Climate Change	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=TEGC-C-01&thm=CC
Tue 22	Geneva Switzerland	Briefing Session for Geneva-based Permanent Missions on Trade and Environment	UNEP	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	No meeting report
Wed 23 - Thu 24	Cairo Egypt	Special AMCEN/CAMRE WSSD Meeting and GEF Seminar on Land, Water and Food Security	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Report under preparation
Thu 24 - Fri 25	Malta	Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the Amendments to the Emergency Protocol to the Barcelona Convention	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan L. Chabason H. Da Cruz R. Patruno D. Domovi	Issued
Fri 25	New York USA	Fifth Open-ended Meeting of the Intergovernmental Group of Ministers or their Representatives on International Environmental Governance	UNEP + Partners	DPDL B. Kante	
Sun 27 - Wed 30	Doha Qatar	QUEST 2002 (Qatar United for the Environment, Science and Technology)	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulrahhem	Conference proceedings under preparation
Mon 28	New York USA	UN launch of the International Year of Ecotourism	UNEP	DTIE (Production and Consumption) F. Balkau	
Mon 28 - Tue 29	Marseille France	Meeting of Consultants involved in PAP Activities within Coastal Area Management Programme (CAMP) Algeria	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan Z. Skaricic	To be issued by PAP/RAC
Mon 28 - Tue 29	Athens Greece	First Meeting of the ad-hoc Technical Committee to select Pollution Hot Spots for the Preparation of the Pre-investment Studies within the GEF Project	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Baric F.S. Civili	To be issued by MEDU
Mon 28 - Tue 29	Johannesburg South Africa	Finance Initiatives Regional Roundtable for Africa	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation
Mon 28 - Wed 30	Cairo Egypt	13th Meeting of the CAMRE Steering Committee on Desertification	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Report under preparation
Mon 28 – Fri 8 Feb	New York USA	CSD10 Acting as the 2nd PrepCom to the World Summit on Sustainable Development	UNEP + Partners	DPDL B. Kante	

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Tue 29 - Wed 30	Rabat Morocco	Preparatory Meeting for Environment Ministers in advance of WSSD	Non-UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	Report under preparation
Thu 31 – Fri 1 Feb	Geneva Switzerland	Working Group Meeting on Economic Instruments for Environmental Policy	UNEP	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation

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Sat 2 - Wed 6	Dubai U.A.E.	Dubai International Conference on Water Resources and Integrated Management in the Third Millennium	UNEP + Partners	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	
Mon 4 - Fri 8	Montreal Canada	Meeting of the Ad hoc Inter-sessional Working Group on Article 8(j)	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=WG8J-02&thm=ART
Tue 5 - Sat 9	Nitra Slovak Republic	Regional Meeting on the Pilot Phase of the Biosafety Clearing House, Central and Eastern Europe Region to be held in conjunction with the UNEP-GEF Regional Meeting on National Biosafety Framework	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=BCHCEE-01&thm=BCH
Thu 7 - Fri 8	Moscow Russia	Second Steering Group Meeting on the ACAP/UNEP/CIP Project on Obsolete Pesticide Stocks	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Meeting Report under preparation
Sun 10	London United Kingdom	UNEP FI Environmental Management and Reporting Working Group Meeting	UNEP	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation
Mon 11	Geneva Switzerland	Preparatory Workshop on Environmental and Integrated Assessment of Trade Liberalization in the Agriculture Sector	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation
 Wed 13 - Fri 15	Cartagena Colombia	7th Special Session of the UNEP Governing Council / Global Ministerial Environment Forum	UNEP	Office of the Secretary for Governing Bodies B. Miller	Information available at: http://www.iisd.ca/linkages/unepgc/gmef3/
Wed 13 - Fri 15	Geneva Switzerland	Standing Committee Work Plan Working Group	UNEP	CITES Secretariat W. Wijnstekers	
Sun 17 - Thu 21	Geneva Switzerland	3rd Session of ICRC, Rotterdam Convention	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Report is being finalized
Mon 18 - Thu 21	Salinas Ecuador	Third Regional Workshop for Latin American and the Caribbean on the Sustainable Use of Biological Diversity	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=WSSU-SE-03&thm=SUS

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Wed 20	Jakarta	National Stakeholders Workshop for Indonesia's CBTF Project	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H.Abaza	Report under preparation
Thu 21 - Fri 22	Brussels	UNEP/UNCTAD Meeting on enhancing production and market access for organic agricultural products from developing countries	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation
Mon 25 – Fri 1 Mar	Ouagadougou Burkina Faso	GEF-MSP Sub-regional Workshop on Support for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention on POPs	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Proceedings under preparation
	New Delhi and Bangalore India	Training Workshop on Cleaner Production - Energy Efficiency Integration	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) F. Balkau	
	Brussels Belgium	Workshop on Organic Foods	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) F. Balkau	
Thu 28 – Sat 2 Mar	Monaco	1st Meeting of the Parties (MOP) of the Agreement on the Conservation of Cetaceans of the Mediterranean and Black Seas (ACCOBAMS)	UNEP	ACCOBAMS Interim Secretariat	

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Sun 3 - Thu 7	Chiang Mai Thailand	Regional Seminar for the Year of International Eco-tourism	Non-UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for Asia & the Pacific) N. Svenningsen	
Mon 4 - Wed 6	Manama Bahrain	Start-up Workshop for the Implementation of GIWA in West Asia	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	
Mon 4 - Fri 8	Beijing China	Regional Meeting on the Pilot Phase of the Biosafety Clearing House, Asia-Pacific Region to be held in conjunction with the UNEP-GEF Regional Meeting on National Biosafety Framework	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=BCHA-P-01&thm=BCH
Thu 7 - Sun 10	Barcelona Spain	Meeting on Marine Areas Protection and Management	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Hentati H. Da Cruz	To be issued by MEDU/ SPA/RAC
Fri 8	Nairobi Kenya	78th Meeting of the Committee of Permanent Representatives (CPR) to UNEP	UNEP	Office of the Secretary for Governing Bodies B.Miller	Draft minutes under preparation
Sat 9 - Mon 11	Manama Bahrain	International Desalination Congress	Non-UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	



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Mon 11	Antalya Turkey	Regional Activity Centre (RAC) Directors Meeting	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan L. Chabason A. Hoballah H. Da Cruz	To be issued by MEDU
Mon 11 - Wed 13	Manama Bahrain	GIS 2002 International Conference and Exhibition	Non-UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	
Wed 13 - Thu 14	Toronto Canada	World Mines Ministries Forum (Regulators Workshop Section)	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) F. Balkau	Report under preparation
Wed 13 - Fri 15	Rio Brazil	Global Roundtable on Finance Initiatives	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation
Wed 13 - Fri 15	Bangkok Thailand	Regional Workshop on Releases of POPs as Unintentional Byproducts	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Report under preparation
Wed 13 - Fri 15	Montreal Canada	Technical Expert Meeting on Handling, Transport, Packaging and Identification of Living Modified Organisms (Article 18, paragraphs 2.b and 2.c)	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=BSTEHT-02
Wed 13 - Sat 16	Antalya Turkey	7th Mediterranean Commission on Sustainable Development (MCSD) Meeting	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Hoballah	To be issued by MEDU
Fri 15 - Sat 16	Split Croatia	SAP Workshop on Pilot Projects Development and Implementation	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan D. Povh	To be issued by PAP/RAC
Mon 18 - Tue 19	Montreal Canada	25th Meeting of the Sub- Committee on Project Review	UNEP	Multilateral Fund Secretariat O. El-Arini	Report available at: http://www.unmfs.org/documents/3616_E.pdf
Mon 18 - Tue 19	Montreal Canada	16th Meeting of the Sub- Committee on Monitoring, Evaluation and Finance	UNEP	Multilateral Fund Secretariat O. El-Arini	Report available at: http://www.unmfs.org/documents/3604_E.pdf
Mon 18 - Wed 20	Montreal Canada	Technical Expert Meeting on Handling, Transport, Packaging and Identification of Living Modified Organisms (Article 18, paragraph 2.a)	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=BSTE182A-01
Mon 18 - Wed 20	Kingston Jamaica	Regional Preparatory Meeting for Latin America and the Caribbean in preparation for the Sixth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP 6)	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Report available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meetings/cop/cop-06/information/cop-06-inf-37-en.doc
Mon 18 - Wed 20	Bremen Germany	Technical Workshop on the Feasibility Study for Establishing a Regular Process for the Assessment of the State of the Marine Environment	UNEP + Partners	DEWA S. Diop	
Mon 18 - Wed 20	Bangkok Thailand	Regional Preparatory Meeting for Asia & the Pacific in preparation for the Sixth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP- 6)	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Report available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meetings/cop/cop-06/information/cop-06-inf-36-en.doc

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Mon 18 - Fri 22	Montevideo Uruguay	GEF-MSP Sub-Regional Workshop on Support for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention on POPs	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Proceedings under preparation
Mon 18 - Fri 22	Montreal Canada	Ad hoc Technical Expert Group on Dry and Subhumid Land Biodiversity	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.asp?wg=TEGD-L-01&thm=DLS
Tue 19	Geneva Switzerland	Capacity Building Workshop on Environment, Trade and Development	UNEP	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation
Tue 19 - Thu 21	Nairobi Kenya	Africa Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Sixth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity	UNEP	Secretariat for the Convention on Biological Diversity H. Zedan	Report available at: http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meetings/cop/cop-06/information/cop-06-inf-35-en.doc
Wed 20	London UK	European Advertising Industry Conference on Sustainability	UNEP + Partners	DTIE (Production and Consumption) F. Balkau	Report under preparation
Wed 20	Geneva Switzerland	2nd Working Group Meeting on the Impact of Trade-Related Policies on Fisheries	UNEP	DTIE (Economics and Trade Branch) H. Abaza	Report under preparation
Wed 20 - Fri 22	Montreal Canada	36th Meeting of the Executive Committee	UNEP	Multilateral Fund Secretariat O. El-Arini	Report available at: http://www.unmfs.org/documents/3636_E.pdf
Thu 21	Tirana Albania	GEF Inter-Agency Meeting	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Baric	To be issued by MEDU
Fri 22	Tirana Albania	GEF Coordinators Meeting	UNEP	Mediterranean Action Plan A. Baric	To be issued by MEDU
Sat 23 - Wed 27	Kuwait	International Conference on Water Resources Management in Arid Regions	Non-UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	
Mon 25 - Wed 27	Geneva Switzerland	Fifth Meeting of the Ozone Research Managers of the Parties to the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat N. Sabogal WMO M. Proffitt	
Mon 25 - Thu 28	Kunming China	Technical Workshop on Trade in Freshwater Turtles and Tortoises in Asia	UNEP	CITES Secretariat W. Wijnstekers	
Mon 25 - Sat 30	Jutland Denmark	UNEP Global Youth Forum	UNEP	Communications & Public Information T. Brevik	See Global Youth Forum Website at: http://www.globalyouth2002.org/
Mon 25 - Fri 5 Apr	New York USA	3rd PrepCom to the World Summit on Sustainable Development	UNEP + Partners	DPDL B. Kante	Meeting Documents available at: http://www.johannesburgsummit.org/html/documents/prepcom3.html

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Tue 26 - Thu 28	Tunis Tunisia	First Meeting of MedMPA Partners and National	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan M. Hentati C. Rais	To be issued by RAC/SPA
Thu 28	Geneva Switzerland	Second Meeting of the Bureau of the Fifth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Vienna Convention	UNEP	Ozone Secretariat N. Sabogal	
	Beirouth Lebanon	Inception Workshop for Coastal Area Management Programme (CAMP) Lebanon	UNEP + Partners	Mediterranean Action Plan I. Trumbic S. Mehdi	To be issued by PAP/RAC

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Mon 1 - Thu 4	Bangkok Thailand	Main Meeting DSONET/South Asia	UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for Asia & the Pacific) L. Coppens	
Wed 3 - Fri 5	Tripoli Lebanon	Arab International Conference on Food Industry Packing and Packaging	Non-UNEP	DRC (Regional Office for West Asia) M. Abdulraheem	
Mon 8 - Fri 12	Kingston Jamaica	Regional Workshop for the Implementation of the Rotterdam Convention	UNEP	Interim Secretariat for the Rotterdam Convention J. Willis	Report under preparation
Mon 8 - Fri 12	San José Costa Rica	18th Meeting of the CITES Animals Committee	UNEP	CITES Secretariat W. Wijnstekers	
Mon 8 - Fri 12	Bratislava Slovak Republic	GEF-MSP Sub regional Workshop on Support for the Implementation of Stockholm Convention on POPs	UNEP	DTIE (Chemicals) J. Willis	Report under preparation