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2023 'The Belt and Road' Green Sustainable Development and Technology Innovation Forum Conference Announcement

1 Background



This forum will accelerate the implementation of the United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda, adhere to the concepts of openness, greenness, integrity, and cooperation, and actively carry out high-standard, people-benefiting, sustainable bilateral and regional cooperation with the developing countries along the B&R, which forms a closer green development partnership.



2 Theme and Topics



This forum will focus in-depth discussion in areas such as 'Climate Change', 'Sustainable Development', 'Ecological Protection', 'Biodiversity Conservation', 'Green Energy', 'Low-carbon Development', 'Technological Innovation' and 'Collaborative Cooperation', which will be an international exchange and cooperation platform. The 'Chinese Experience' will be used to provide technical assistance to the developing countries along the B&R for accelerating the green and low-carbon transformation, and contributing wisdom and paradigms of the promotion of green, low-carbon, and sustainable development.



3 Arrangements



- This forum adopts a combination of online and offline. The offline forum is only open to the special guests, while other conferee will join this forum online through **Tencent Conference or Zoom**.
- August 19th (UTC/GMT+08:00), 2023 Opening Ceremony and Main Forum**
8:30-9:00 (UTC/GMT+08:00) Opening Ceremony
 The opening ceremony will be held offline, with the live broadcast on Tencent Conference or Zoom. The opening ceremony will include the speeches by the leaders of the International Cooperation Department of the Ministry of Science and Technology, the organizers, and the experts in the research areas of green sustainable development and technological innovation from China and the developing countries along the B&R.
9:00-16:30 (UTC/GMT+08:00) Main Forum
 The main forum (combining online and offline). The main forum will invite the leading experts in the research areas of green sustainable development and technological innovation from China and the developing countries along the 'B&R', such as Nigeria, South Africa, Kenya, Colombia, etc., as well as representatives of international organizations to give the keynote speeches.
- August 20th (UTC/GMT+08:00), 2023 Sub-forums and Closing Ceremony**
8:30-11:30 (UTC/GMT+08:00) Sub-forums
 The sub-forums (combining online and offline). According to the submitted abstract, the conferee will be divided into four sub-forums on the themes of 'B&R Climate Change and Sustainable Development,' 'B&R Ecological Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation,' 'B&R Green Energy and Low-carbon Development,' and 'B&R Technological Innovation and Collaborative Cooperation' to make the reports. The leading experts in the research areas of green sustainable development and technological innovation will comment on these reports.
11:30-12:00 (UTC/GMT+08:00) Closing Ceremony
 The closing ceremony will be held offline, with the live broadcast on Tencent Conference or Zoom.



4 Participants



- Special guests:** Leaders of relevant national departments, representatives of international sustainable development organizations, academicians of the two academies, and the leading figures in the field of green sustainable development and technological innovation from China and other developing countries along the B&R.
- Representatives of the green sustainable development and technological innovation industries:** representatives of the relevant departments in charge of green sustainable development and technological innovation in China and the developing countries along the B&R, representatives of the higher education institutions and scientific research institutions, representatives of the business, and members of academic societies.
- Representatives of related industries:** representatives of housing construction departments, science and technology departments, trade promotion departments, municipal administration departments, financial investment departments, etc.
- Members of the organizing committee:** members of the organizing committee of the "Belt and Road" Green Sustainable Development and Technological Innovation Forum.
- News media representatives, etc.**



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