

Calendar of Meetings leading up to COP 12

DATE	VENUE	EVENT
2013		
SEPTEMBER		
2-3 September	Montreal, Canada	Biodiversity Liaison Group meeting on GEF
10-12 September	Hyderabad, India	2 nd Replenishment Meeting of the GEF
OCTOBER		
1-4 October	Cagayan de Oro City, Philippines	4th ASEAN Heritage Parks Conference: Finalize LifeWeb Expression of Interest for Regional Integrated Coastal Management project
2-3 October	Montreal, Canada	Global Partnership for Business and Biodiversity
6 October	Montreal, Canada	Meeting of the COP Bureau
14-18 October	Montreal, Canada	Seventeenth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA 17)
21-25 October	Marseille, France	3 rd International Marine Protected Areas Congress
26 October	Corsica, France	High Level Panel for International Marine Protected Areas Congress
<i>TBD</i>	<i>Paris, France</i>	<i>French Business and Biodiversity Workshop</i>
NOVEMBER		
4-7 November	San José, Costa Rica	Meeting of the Conservation Finance Alliance Executive Committee at the RedLac Assembly
5-7 November	Washington D.C., USA	GEF 45 th Council Meeting
11-15 November	Nairobi, Kenya	NBSAP Forum with sessions on resource mobilization
14-17 November	Sendai City, Japan	Asia Parks Congress
<i>TBD</i>	<i>Nairobi, Kenya</i>	<i>Sub-regional Workshop on Valuation and Incentive Measures for East Africa</i>
<i>TBD</i>	<i>SE Asia</i>	<i>Regional Business and Biodiversity Workshop</i>
DECEMBER		
2-4 December	Chennai, India	Second meeting of the High-level Panel on Resource Assessment
2-6 December	Suva, Fiji	Pacific Conference on Nature Conservation and Protected Areas
4-6 December	Chennai, India	Meeting of the Expert Group on Biodiversity for Poverty Eradication and Development
9-14 December	Antalya, Turkey	Second session of the plenary of the Intergovernmental science-policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES 2)
<i>November 2013 - January 2014 (TBD)</i>	<i>Ghana</i>	<i>Regional Business and Biodiversity Workshop</i>

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2014		
JANUARY		
<i>TBD</i>	<i>Peru</i>	<i>National Business and Biodiversity Workshop</i>
FEBRUARY		
3-7 February	New York, USA	Eighth Open Working Group meeting on the Sustainable Development Goals (oceans and seas, forests, biodiversity)
<i>TBD</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>First regional workshop on resource mobilization</i>
<i>TBD</i>	<i>India</i>	<i>South Asia Business and Biodiversity Workshop</i>
APRIL		
10-11 April	Quito, Ecuador	Second expert level dialogue seminar on resource mobilization
14-15 April	Brazil	Third meeting of the High-level Panel on Resource Assessment
16-17 April	Brazil	Second regional workshop on resource mobilization
MAY		
26-30 May	Cancun, Mexico	46 th GEF Council Meeting and GEF Assembly
JUNE		
16-20 June	Montreal, Canada	Fifth meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Review of Implementation of the Convention (WGRI 5)
23-27 June	Montreal, Canada	Eighteenth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA 18)
<i>TBD</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Third regional workshop on resource mobilization</i>
JULY		
14-17 July	Cambridge, UK	Fourth meeting of the High-Level Panel on Resource Assessment
OCTOBER		
6- 17 October	Pyeongchang South Korea	Twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the CBD (COP 12)

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