



## The biggest 'private sector': What place for the informal economy in green and inclusive growth?

Thursday, 25 February 2016

Church House Conference Centre, Westminster, London, UK.

### Programme (final)

Time	Session	Speakers
08:00-09:00	Registration, coffee.	
09:00-09:15	Welcome	Facilitator: Oliver Greenfield, Green Economy Coalition
09:15-09:45	Keynote	Marty Chen, co-founder and International Coordinator, WIEGO, Harvard Kennedy School
09:45-10:00	Q&A	
10:00-10:30	Session 1. The missing majority	Organised by the Green Economy Coalition <b>Evidence:</b> Presented by Emily Benson, GEC <b>Insights:</b> Peter Poschen, ILO Mao Amis, African Centre for a Green Economy
10:30-10:45	Table discussion	
10:45-11:05	Break	
11:05-11:35	Session 2. Informality and rural transition	Organised by OECD-Sahel and West Africa Club with IIED <b>Evidence:</b> Presented by Philipp Heinrigs, Sahel and West Africa

		Club Secretariat, OECD, from rural development and food systems
		<b>Insights:</b> Alejandro Guarín, German Development Institute Louise Fox, University of Berkeley
11:35-11:50	Table discussion	
11:50-12:25	Session 3. Informal AND illegal AND unsustainable?	Organised by CIFOR with IIED <b>Evidence:</b> Presented by Paolo Cerutti, CIFOR, from forestry <b>Insights:</b> Mohammad Amin Sulthon, Jepara small-scale furniture association, Indonesia Gustav Adu, Kumasi Wood Cluster Association
12:25-12:40	Table discussion	
12:40-13:00	Moderated plenary discussion	
13:00-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-14:30	Session 4. Recognition as a first step	Organised by IIED <b>Evidence:</b> Presented by Gavin Hilson, University of Surrey, from artisanal mining <b>Insights:</b> Jikssa Kidane, Ministry of Mines, Petroleum and Natural Gas, Ethiopia Georgette Barnes Sakyi-Addo, Ghana Women in Mining
14:30-14:45	Table discussion	
14:45-15:15	Session 5. A different approach to policy	Organised by WIEGO <b>Evidence:</b> Presented by Sally Roever, WIEGO Urban Policies Programme, from the urban informal economy <b>Insights:</b> Alexandre Fernandes, EPEA Brazil with Tearfund
15:15-15:30	Table discussion	
15:30-15:45	Break	
15:45-16:45	New policy agenda	Plenary
16:45-17:00	Closing synthesis, call to action	Steve Bass, IIED
17:00	Drinks reception	Launch of photo exhibition