



Green Guyana Expo and International Small Business Summit

THURSDAY 18 OCTOBER 2018

0900-1000

OPENING SESSION

Theme:

“Sustainable Economic growth through Small Business innovation Entrepreneurship and transformative Government policies”

CHAIRPERSON Eric Phillips

WELCOME Mrs. Ndibi Schwiers , Head, Department of the Environment

SPEAKERS

Honourable Carl Greenidge Minister of Foreign Affairs

Honourable Dominic Gaskin Minister of Business

Honourable Winston Jordan Minister of Finance

Mr. Leo Heileman UNEP

Ms. Sophie Makonnen IDB





GREEN SUMMIT PANELS

THURSDAY OCTOBER 18 (1015-1145 HOURS)

Theme: “The Green State Development Strategy: Vision 2040”
Chairperson **Ambassador Rawle Lucas (Ministry of Foreign Affairs)**
Coordinators **Ndibi Schwiers and Adriana Zacarais**

Panelists

Mrs. Ndibi Schwiers **Head, Department of the Environment, Ministry of the Presidency**
Ms. Deirdre Shurland **Project Manager, GSDS Coordination Office, United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)**
Adriana Zacarias Farah **Regional Coordinator, Resource Efficiency, UNEP**
Mr. Ramesh Dookhoo **Private Sector Commission**





THURSDAY OCTOBER 18 (1300 -1430 HOURS)

GREEN ENERGY PANEL

Theme "Big Ideas for a Sustainable Energy Future in Guyana"

Chairperson **Dr. Devon Gardner, Programme Manager, CARICOM**

Coordinator **Dr. Mahender Sharma**

Panelists

Dr. Mahender Sharma Ministry of Public Infrastructure

Dr. Hermann Tribukait Founding Partner of Arminius Partners

Ms. Meshia Clarke President, Barbados Renewable Energy Agency

Mr. Martin Carto Alternate Energy Manager, Farfan & Mendes Limited

Mr. Albert Gordon CEO, Guyana Power Limited

OPENING OF THE EXPO

THURSDAY OCTOBER 18 1700 HOURS NATIONAL STADIUM

SPEAKERS

H.E David Granger President of Guyana

Honourable Dominic Gaskin Minister of Business

Ambassador UN Country Representative

Dr. Suresh Narine Chairman, CGX Inc.





FRIDAY OCTOBER 19 (0900-1030 HOURS)

GREEN AGRICULTURE

Theme "Shaping Agriculture for a Green Economy".
Chairperson: **Dr. Maxine Parris-Aaron , Agricultural Health Specialist , IICA**
Coordinator: **Ms. Joann David**
Opening remarks **Honourable Noel Holder, Minister of Agriculture.**

Panelists

Professor Subramanian Gomathinayagam, University of Guyana
Dr. Mahendra Persaud, Chief Scientist/Plant Breeder, GRDB

David Aparisio, Owner, Sabina Farms
Dr. Arlington Chesney Special Advisor to IIC
Dr. Lystra Fletcher-Paul Sub-regional Coordinator, FAO





FRIDAY OCTOBER 19 (1045-1215 HOURS)

GREEN MANUFACTURING

Theme “Green Manufacturing: the Key to Sustainability”

Chairperson: **Member of the Guyana Manufacturers Association**

Coordinator: **Eric Phillips**

Panelists

Dr. Suresh Narine	Institute of Applied Science, Ministry of the Presidency
Dr. Carlos Scheel-Mayenburger	Professor Emeritus, Monterrey Institute of Technology
Dr. Leonardo Pineda Serna	Economist, Directorate of Research and Innovation
Mr. Andrew Boyle	President, Eureka Inc.
Mr. Rawle Small	Consultant, International Labour Organization





FRIDAY OCTOBER 19 (1315-1445 HOURS)

GREEN LIVING

Theme "Think Green, Act green, Manufacture green, Buy Green, Live Green"
Minister Ist Vice President and Minister of Indigenous Affairs Sydney Allicock
Chairperson **Dr. Leyland Lucas**
Coordinator Eric Phillips

Panelists

Dr. Paulette Bynoe	University of Guyana
Ms. Joanna Edghill	CEO, Megapower Limited, Barbados
John and Thea Patterson	Abbey Gardens
Dr. Terrence Blackman	Dean, Medgar Evers College, USA
Janelle Christian	Head, Office of Climate Change
Video Tape (3 minutes)	Aruba SMART City





FRIDAY OCTOBER 19 (1500-1645 HOURS)

Theme “Sustainable green growth through strategic transformative financing”

Minister Hon. Winston Jordan

Chairperson **Dr. Hector Butts**

Coordinator Eric Phillips

Panelists

Mr. Olympus Mohlatlego Development Bank of South Africa

Mr. Charlie Dixon Senior Economist, Vivid Economics, UK

Mr. Pravichandra Dave CEO, Demerara Bank

Mr. David Staples CEO, Williams Capital, Barbados

CLOSING REMARKS

