Workshop on Future Proof Carbon Credit Standard

Time: 2:00pm-3:40pm (GMT+1)

03/Nov/2021

Venue: *China Corporate Pavilion, Hall 4 (near Exit 4D), Blue Zone, SEC*

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Background

Accelerating global decarbonisation activities towards achieving the net-zero target is thus an urgent task. The carbon credit market also plays a crucial role in mitigating the risk of climate change. A carbon credit is a certificate representing one metric ton of carbon dioxide equivalent that has been stopped from being emitted. To better align with the climate initiatives under the Paris Agreement and to optimize limited climate finance resources, it is of high importance to establish and enforce high-quality carbon markets and transparent voluntary emission reduction standards.

However, the quality of carbon credit projects is frequently questioned, including for issues such as weak additionality, risk of double-counting, lack of technology innovation, complexity of the certification process, and transparency. The workshop aims to launch a call for establishing Future Proof Carbon Credit Standard Framework which shall simplify but improve MRV procedure, avoid double counting, restore additionality of carbon credit.

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Agenda

- **2:00pm-2:05pm** Welcome Note by Prof D'Maris Coffman (Director of UCL BSSC and Professor of Economics and Finance in Built Environment)
- **2:05pm-2:10pm** Address by Dr LI Gao (DG Climate Change, Ministry of Ecology and Environment in China)
- **2:10pm-2:15pm** Photo Session
- **2:15pm-2:25pm** Introduction to Call for Establishing Future Proof Carbon Credit System (Prof LIANG Xi, Professor of Sustainable Transitions in Construction and Infrastructure at UCL BSSC and Advisor to China Resources Environmental Protection Technology Limited)
- **2:25pm-2:35pm** Calling Time on 'Green-washing': Fixing International Greenhouse Gas Accounting Practices (online), Dr Matthew Brander (Senior Lecturer in Carbon Accounting, University of Edinburgh)
- **2:35pm-3:35pm** Panel Discussion on How to Facilitate the Development of More Robust Carbon Credits (Chair by Prof LIANG Xi)
- **3:35pm-3:40pm** Closing Remark by Prof LIANG Xi (UCL)

Panel Discussion Participants

—**D'Maris Coffman**, (UCL BSSC)

—**Gilles Dufrasne,** (Policy Advisor, Carbon Market Watch) (online)

—**Jackson Ewing,** (Senior Fellow at Duke University's Nicholas Institute of Environmental Policy Solutions and an adjunct associate professor at the Sanford School of Public Policy)

—**Jan-Willem Van De Ven,** (Head of the Climate Finance and Carbon Market Unit, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD))

—**MEI Dewen, (**Secretary General of Beijing Green Finance Association and general manager of Beijing Green Exchange) (online)

—**Michael Grubb,** (Chair of Climate Strategies and Professor of Energy and Climate Change at UCL Institute for Sustainable Resources)

—**XI Chunling,** (Secretary General of China Association for the Promotion of International Agriculture Cooperation) (online)

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