



## LIST OF UPCOMING SCBD MEETINGS *Updated on Wednesday, 17 February, 2016*

Dates & Venue	Meeting
<b>February 2016</b>	
17 - 18 February 2016 New Delhi, India Confirmed	Expert Group Meeting on the Full Assessment of Funding Necessary and Available for the Implementation of the Convention for the period July 2018 to June 2022
24 - 26 February 2016 Montreal, Canada Confirmed	Thirteenth meeting of the Compliance Committee under the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety
25 - 26 February 2016 Tbilisi, Georgia Confirmed	Subregional Capacity-building Workshop on Financial Reporting and Resource Mobilization for Eastern European and Central and West Asian Countries
<b>March 2016</b>	
7 - 11 March 2016 Ljubljana, Slovenia Confirmed	Central and Eastern European Workshop on the Detection and Identification of Living Modified Organisms
14 - 16 March 2016 Montreal, Canada Confirmed	Eleventh Meeting of the Liaison Group on Capacity-building for Biosafety
16 - 18 March 2016 Bern, Switzerland Confirmed	Second meeting of the informal working group for the development of a voluntary peer review process for the Convention on Biological Diversity
21 - 24 March 2016 Entebbe, Uganda Confirmed	Capacity-building workshop for Africa on achieving Aichi Biodiversity Targets 11 and 12
21 - 23 March 2016 Bogis-Bossey, Switzerland Confirmed	"Friends of the CBD" workshop on mechanisms to support review of implementation of the Convention
<b>April 2016</b>	
4 - 8 April 2016 Belgrade, Serbia Tentative	Regional Workshop for Central and Eastern Europe and Western Asia on the Clearing-House Mechanism

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<b>April 2016</b>	
4 - 8 April 2016 Bogotá, Colombia Confirmed	Capacity-building workshop for Latin America on the restoration of forests and other ecosystems to support the achievement of the Aichi Biodiversity Targets
6 - 8 April 2016 Montreal, Canada Confirmed	First meeting of the Compliance Committee under the Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit-sharing
11 - 12 April 2016 Ispra, Italy Confirmed	Tenth meeting of the Informal Advisory Committee on the Biosafety Clearing-House (BCH IAC)
24 April 2016 Montreal, Canada Confirmed	Technical Workshop on Monitoring of Marine and Coastal Biodiversity
<b>New!</b>	
<b>25 - 30 April 2016</b> <b>Montreal, Canada</b> <b>Confirmed</b>	<b>Twentieth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice</b>
<b>May 2016</b>	
<b>2 - 6 May 2016</b> <b>Montreal, Canada</b> <b>Confirmed</b>	<b>First meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation</b>
22 May 2016 Multiple venues	International Day for Biological Diversity 2016
<b>June 2016</b>	
13 - 17 June 2016 Nadi, Fiji Tentative	Regional workshop for the Pacific on the Clearing-House Mechanism
15 - 17 June 2016 Montreal, Canada Tentative	Informal Advisory Committee on Capacity-building for the Implementation of the Nagoya Protocol
20 - 22 June 2016 Montreal, Canada Tentative	Second meeting of the Informal Advisory Committee to the Access and Benefit-sharing Clearing-House
<b>July 2016</b>	
25 - 29 July 2016 Mexico City, Mexico Confirmed	Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group on Risk Assessment and Risk Management

Date & Venue	Meeting
<b>October 2016</b>	
Dates to be determined Venue to be determined Tentative	CBD Regional Workshop to Facilitate the Description of Ecologically or Biologically Significant Marine Areas (EBSAs) in the Black Sea and Caspian Sea region, and Training Session on EBSAs
<b>December 2016</b>	
4 - 17 December 2016 Cancun, Mexico Confirmed	<b>Thirteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity</b>
4 - 17 December 2016 Cancun, Mexico Confirmed	<b>Eighth meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety</b>
4 - 17 December 2016 Cancun, Mexico Confirmed	<b>Second meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit-sharing</b>