



PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

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A weekly update on the GEF Program Management

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- Council Meeting Schedules
- Project Review Meeting Schedules

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- Project Concepts, Proposals, Draft Documents Received
 - Approvals, Endorsements and Other Comments
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Costa Rica	Tunisia	Cape Verde	Bosnia & Herzegovina	China	Malaysia	
Cuba	Iran	Chad	Bulgaria	India	Marshal Islands	
Dominica	Israel	Congo, DR	Central African Republic	Korea DPR	Micronesia	
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El Salvador	Lebanon	Cote d'Ivoire	Czech Republic	Lao	Niue	
Grenada	Syria	Equatorial Guinea	Estonia	Maldives	Palau	
Guatemala	Yemen Arab Republic	Gabon	Macedonia FYR	Mongolia	Papua New Guinea	
Haiti		Gambia	Georgia	Myanmar	Philippines	
Honduras		Ghana	Hungary	Nepal	Salomon Islands	
Jamaica		Guinea	Kazakhstan	Pakistan	Samoa	
Mexico		Guinea Bissau	Kosovo	Sri Lanka	Timor-Leste	
Nicaragua		Liberia	Kyrgyz Republic	Thailand	Tonga	
Panama		Mali	Latvia	Vietnam	Vanuatu	
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St. Vincent and the Grenadines		Nigeria	Poland			
Trinidad y Tobago		Sao tome & Principe	Romania			
Brazil		Senegal	Russian Federation			
Guyana		Sierra Leone	Montenegro			
Paraguay		Togo	Slovak Republic			
Suriname		Botswana	Slovenia			
Uruguay		Burundi	Tajikistan			
Argentina		Central African Republic	Turkey			
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2012

GEF Council Consultations with Civil Society
Organizations and GEF Council Meeting – Week of June
4, 2011



GEF TRUST FUND / SCCF **WORK PROGRAM CALENDAR** **2012**

EVENTS	FEB. IWP	Nov. CWP
GEFSEC constitutes WP	6-Jan.	13-April
Draft CN to GEFOP	24-Jan.	30-April
GEFOP meeting	26-Jan.	3-May
Posting of WP	30-Jan.	7-May
Council Meeting	-----	4 to 7-June
Council Approval	27-Feb.	6-June

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January 9 - 13, 2012

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
EBRD									
4422		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	EBRD	Tajikistan	Increasing Climate Resilience through Drinking Water Rehabilitation in North Tajikistan	Saliha Dobardzic	9-Jan-12
FAO									
4740		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Regional (Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Chad)	Disposal Of Obsolete Pesticides Including POPs And Strengthening Pesticide Management In The Permanent Interstate Committee For Drought Control In The Sahel (CILSS) Member States	Ibrahima Sow	9-Jan-12
4447		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	FAO	Haiti	Strengthening climate resilience and reducing disaster risk in agriculture to improve food security in Haiti post earthquake	Knut Sundstrom	13-Jan-12

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Direct Access Proposals

4802		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	-	Barbados	Developing a Strategic Approach to Sustainable Land Management	Mohamed Bakarr	9-Jan-12
4803		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	-	Barbados	Developing a Strategic Approach to Sustainable Land Management	Mohamed Bakarr	9-Jan-12
4804		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	-	Syria	Enhancing the Alignment of NAP to the UNCCD 10 years Strategy	Mohamed Bakarr	10-Jan-12
4805		EA	Land Degradation	CEO EA Approval	-	Syria	Enhancing the Alignment of NAP to the UNCCD 10 years Strategy	Mohamed Bakarr	10-Jan-12

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4113		FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	IADB	Colombia	Mainstreaming Biodiversity in Palm Cropping in Colombia with an Ecosystem Approach	Mark Zimsky	12-Jan-12
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4657		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	IFAD	Honduras	Competitiveness and Sustainable Rural Development Project in the Northern Zone (Northern Horizons-GEF)	Rawleston Moore	10-Jan-12
4773		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Peru	Conservation and Sustainable Use of High-Andean Ecosystems through Compensation of Environmental Services for Rural Poverty Alleviation and Social Inclusion in Peru	Ian Gray	11-Jan-12
3915		FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	IFAD	Sudan	Integrated Carbon Sequestration Project in Sudan	Linda Heath	11-Jan-12
4773		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Peru	Conservation and Sustainable Use of High-Andean Ecosystems through Compensation of Environmental Services for Rural Poverty Alleviation and Social Inclusion in Peru	Ian Gray	12-Jan-12
4570		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	IFAD	Togo	Adapting Agriculture Production in Togo (ADAPT)	Knut Sundstrom	12-Jan-12

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4760	4537	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Vietnam	Conservation of Critical Wetland PAs and Linked Landscapes	Ulrich Apel	9-Jan-12
4772	4720	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Colombia	Conservation and Sustainable use of Biodiversity in Dry Ecosystems to Guarantee the Flow of Ecosystem Services and to Mitigate the Processes of Deforestation and Desertification.	Ian Gray	9-Jan-12
4392	4567	FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Egypt	Protect Human Health and the Environment from Unintentional Releases of POPs Originating from Incineration and Open Burning of Health Care- and Electronic-waste.	Anil Sookdeo	9-Jan-12
4767	4892	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Approval	UNDP	Burkina Faso	Capacity Development : Generating Global Environmental Benefits from Improved Local Planning and Decision-making Systems in Burkina Faso	Danielius Pivoriunas	10-Jan-12
4767	4892	MSP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Burkina Faso	Capacity Development : Generating Global Environmental Benefits from Improved Local Planning and Decision-making Systems in Burkina Faso	Danielius Pivoriunas	10-Jan-12
4729	4623	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Namibia	Strengthening the Capacity of the Protected Area System to Address New Management Challenges	Jaime Cavelier	11-Jan-12
4745	4726	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Sudan	Promoting Utility-Scale Power Generation from Wind Energy	Hiroaki Takiguchi	11-Jan-12
4745	4726	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Sudan	Promoting Utility-Scale Power Generation from Wind Energy	Hiroaki Takiguchi	11-Jan-12
4749	4695	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Lebanon	Small Decentralized Renewable Energy Power Generation	Hiroaki Takiguchi	11-Jan-12

GEF ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponent	Country	Project Title	Program Manager	Date Received
4700	4878	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Bangladesh	Integrating Community-based Adaptation into Afforestation and Reforestation Programmes in Bangladesh	Junu Shrestha	11-Jan-12
4073	4227	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Burkina Faso	SPWA-CC Promotion of Jatropha Curcas as a resource of Bioenergy in Burkina-Faso	Dimitrios Zevgolis	12-Jan-12
4383	4515	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	India	Fifth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Programme in India	Danielius Pivoriunas	12-Jan-12

UNEP

3990		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNEP	Regional (Albania, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Algeria, Egypt, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Montenegro, Syria, Tunisia)	MED Integration of Climatic Variability and Change into National Strategies to Implement the ICZM Protocol in the Mediterranean	Ivan Zavadsky	13-Jan-12
4634		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Ukraine	Conserving, Enhancing and Managing Carbon Stocks and Biodiversity while Promoting Sustainable Development in the Chernobyl Exclusion Zone through the Establishment of a Research and Environmental Protection Centre and Protected Area	Ulrich Apel	13-Jan-12

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<u>UNIDO</u>									
4758		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Ukraine	Market Development for Sustainable Production and Use of Liquid Biofuels	Dimitrios Zevgolis	9-Jan-12
4758		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Ukraine	Market Development for Sustainable Production and Use of Liquid Biofuels	Dimitrios Zevgolis	9-Jan-12
4753		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Pakistan	Sustainable Energy Initiative for Industries	David Elrie Rodgers	9-Jan-12
4784		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Ukraine	Introduction of Energy Management System Standard in Ukrainian Industry	David Elrie Rodgers	9-Jan-12
4747		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Dominican Republic	Stimulating Industrial Competitiveness Through Biomass-based, Grid-connected Electricity Generation	Dimitrios Zevgolis	11-Jan-12
4758		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Ukraine	Market Development for Sustainable Production and Use of Liquid Biofuels	Dimitrios Zevgolis	11-Jan-12
4755		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Lesotho	Manufacturing and Value Chain Development of Clean Cook Stoves in Lesotho and Southern Africa	Dimitrios Zevgolis	12-Jan-12

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4755		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Lesotho	Manufacturing and Value Chain Development of Clean Cook Stoves in Lesotho and Southern Africa	Dimitrios Zevgolts	12-Jan-12
4386		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Ukraine	Environmentally Sound Management and Final Disposal of Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)	Anil Sookdeo	12-Jan-12

World Bank

3991		FP	International Waters	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Egypt	MED Enhanced Water Resources Management	Ivan Zavadsky	10-Jan-12
4651	122383	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	China	A Landscape Approach to Wildlife Conservation in Northeastern China	Yoko Watanabe	10-Jan-12
4505		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Peru	Strengthening Sustainable Management of the Guano Islands, Islets and Capes National Reserve System (RNSIIPG)	Ian Gray	10-Jan-12
4074	118630	FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	Regional (Mali, Tunisia)	Africa Stockpiles Program (ASP) - Project 1- Supplemental Funds for Disposal and Prevention	Ibrahima Sow	12-Jan-12
4640	127437	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	Congo DR	Democratic Republic of Congo Conservation Trust Fund	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	12-Jan-12

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ADB										
4236		MSP	Climate Change	CEO MSP Approval	ADB	Regional	GHG Assessment Methodologies in Public Transport	Hiroaki Takiguchi	13-Jan-12	MSP sent to Agency for revision
FAO										
4738		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Morocco	Disposal of Obsolete Pesticides including POPs and Implementation of Pesticides Management Programme	Ibrahima Sow	6-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4740		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Regional (Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Chad)	Disposal Of Obsolete Pesticides Including POPs And Strengthening Pesticide Management In The Permanent Interstate Committee For Drought Control In The Sahel (CILSS) Member States	Ibrahima Sow	6-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4720		FP	Land Degradation	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Angola	Land Rehabilitation and Rangelands Management in Small Holders Agropastoral Production Systems in Soutwestern Angola	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	9-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO (01/10/12 PIF clearance letter sent it to FAO)
4641		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Cameroon	Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Sound Pesticide Management	Jie Pan	9-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4756		FP	POPs	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	FAO	Benin	Disposal of POPs and Obsolete Pesticides and Strengthening Life-cycle Management of Pesticides	Jie Pan	9-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO

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IADB										
4603		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IADB	Colombia	Low-carbon and Efficient National Freight Logistics Initiative	Hiroaki Takiguchi	6-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4603		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	IADB	Colombia	Low-carbon and Efficient National Freight Logistics Initiative	Hiroaki Takiguchi	6-Jan-12	PPG approved by CEO
IFAD										
4773		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Peru	Conservation and Sustainable Use of High-Andean Ecosystems through Compensation of Environmental Services for Rural Poverty Alleviation and Social Inclusion in Peru	Ian Gray	11-Jan-12	PIF pending GEF Sec clearance (IA requested to correct fee via email)
4773		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Peru	Conservation and Sustainable Use of High-Andean Ecosystems through Compensation of Environmental Services for Rural Poverty Alleviation and Social Inclusion in Peru	Ian Gray	12-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4773		FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	IFAD	Peru	Conservation and Sustainable Use of High-Andean Ecosystems through Compensation of Environmental Services for Rural Poverty Alleviation and Social Inclusion in Peru	Ian Gray	12-Jan-12	PIF recommended for CEO clearance

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4657		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	IFAD	Honduras	Competitiveness and Sustainable Rural Development Project in the Northern Zone (Northern Horizons-GEF)	Rawleston Moore	13-Jan-12	PPG approved by CEO
UNDP										
4673	4603 FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	India	Preparation of Third National Communication (3NC) to the UNFCCC and Strengthening Institutional and Analytical Capacities on Climate Change	Rawleston Moore	26-Sep-11	PIF clearance delayed for WPI by CEO (Informal discussion with agency. Telephone call)
4673	4603 FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	India	Preparation of Third National Communication (3NC) to the UNFCCC and Strengthening Institutional and Analytical Capacities on Climate Change	Rawleston Moore	13-Dec-11	PIF clearance delayed for WPI by CEO (Informal discussion with agency. Telephone call)
4353	4519 FP		Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Mexico	Fifth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Program in Mexico	Danielius Pivoriunas	9-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (GEF Review Sheet sent to Agency for consideration)
4701	4790 FP		Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Niger	Scaling up Community-Based Adaptation (CBA) in Niger	Knut Sundstrom	9-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4332	4418 FP		Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Sustainable Land and Forest Management in the Greater Caucasus Landscape	Ulrich Apel	10-Jan-12	FSP recommended for endorsement (Docs circulating for signature)
4383	4515 FP		Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	India	Fifth Operational Phase of the GEF Small Grants Programme in India	Danielius Pivoriunas	10-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision (Review Sheet sent to Agency)

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4743	4651	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	India	Developing an Effective Multiple Use Management Framework for Conserving Biodiversity in the Mountain Landscapes of the High Ranges, Western Ghats	Yoko Watanabe	10-Jan-12	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Docs circulating for signature)
4772	4720	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Colombia	Conservation and Sustainable use of Biodiversity in Dry Ecosystems to Guarantee the Flow of Ecosystem Services and to Mitigate the Processes of Deforestation and Desertification.	Ian Gray	10-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4751		FP	Land Degradation	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Botswana	Mainstreaming SLM in Rangeland Areas of Ngamiland District Productive Landscapes for Improved livelihoods	Jean-Marc Sinnassamy	11-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO (01/11/12 Revised PIF approval letter with correct fee send it to UNDP)
4743	4651	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	India	Developing an Effective Multiple Use Management Framework for Conserving Biodiversity in the Mountain Landscapes of the High Ranges, Western Ghats	Yoko Watanabe	11-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4332	4418	FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Azerbaijan	Sustainable Land and Forest Management in the Greater Caucasus Landscape	Ulrich Apel	11-Jan-12	FSP circulated to Council before CEO endorsement (Due date COB Feb. 8)
4055	4315	FP	Climate Change	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	Senegal	TT-Pilot (GEF-4): Technology Transfer: Typha-based Thermal Insulation Material Production in Senegal	Dimitrios Zevgolis	12-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

ID	IA ID	Type	Focal Area	Decision Sought	Proponen	Country	Project Title	Program Manage	Response Date	Remarks
4749	4695	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Lebanon	Small Decentralized Renewable Energy Power Generation	Hiroaki Takiguchi	12-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4749	4695	FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNDP	Lebanon	Small Decentralized Renewable Energy Power Generation	Hiroaki Takiguchi	12-Jan-12	PPG approved by CEO
4797	4508	FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNDP	Malawi	Climate Proofing Local Development Gains in Rural and Urban Areas of Machinga and Mangochi Districts	Knut Sundstrom	13-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
3992	4179	FP	Biodiversity	CEO endorsement of FSP	UNDP	China	CBPF: Strengthening the Effectiveness of the Protected Area System in Qinghai Province	Yoko Watanabe	13-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

UNEP

4684		EA	Biodiversity	CEO EA Approval	UNEP	Swaziland	Support to Swaziland for the Revision of the NBSAPs and Development of Fifth National Report to the CBD	Jaime Cavalier	5-Jan-12	EA approved by CEO (01/9/12 Approval Letter sent it to UNEP)
4533		FP	International Waters	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Global	Development of a Methodology With Tools and Decision Support Systems to Incorporate Floods and Droughts into IWRM in Transboundary Basins	Ivan Zavadsky	6-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO (01/9/12 PIF Approval Letter send it to UNEP)
4533		FP	International Waters	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Global	Development of a Methodology With Tools and Decision Support Systems to Incorporate Floods and Droughts into IWRM in Transboundary Basins	Ivan Zavadsky	9-Jan-12	PPG approved by CEO (01/10/12 PPG approval letter send it to UNEP)

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4795		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Russian Federation	Integrated River Basin Management (IRBM) for major Siberian Arctic rivers to achieving comprehensive benefits	Ivan Zavadsky	10-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4795		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Russian Federation	Integrated River Basin Management (IRBM) for major Siberian Arctic rivers to achieving comprehensive benefits	Ivan Zavadsky	10-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4796		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNEP	Russian Federation	Improvement of environmental governance and knowledge management for SAP-Arctic Implementation	Ivan Zavadsky	11-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision
4796		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	UNEP	Russian Federation	Improvement of environmental governance and knowledge management for SAP-Arctic Implementation	Ivan Zavadsky	11-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision

UNIDO

4788		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	India	Promoting Business Models for Increasing Penetration and Scaling up of Solar Energy	David Elrie Rodgers	6-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4784		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Ukraine	Introduction of Energy Management System Standard in Ukrainian Industry	David Elrie Rodgers	10-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4753		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Pakistan	Sustainable Energy Initiative for Industries	David Elrie Rodgers	10-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4787		MSP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Approval	UNIDO	Chile	Supporting Agro-Industries through Biogas Energy Development	Dimitrios Zevgolis	11-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PIF revision

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4747		FP	Climate Change	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	UNIDO	Dominican Republic	Stimulating Industrial Competitiveness Through Biomass-based, Grid-connected Electricity Generation	Dimitrios Zevgolis	12-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4747		FP	Climate Change	CEO PPG approval	UNIDO	Dominican Republic	Stimulating Industrial Competitiveness Through Biomass-based, Grid-connected Electricity Generation	Dimitrios Zevgolis	12-Jan-12	PPG approved by CEO

World Bank

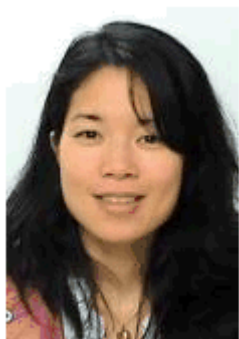
3970		FP	International Waters	Cancellation of Project	World Bank	Syria	MED Coastal Rivers and Orontes River Basins Water Resources Management Project	Ivan Zavadsky	10-May-11	Project Cancelled
4605		FP	Multi Focal Area	CEO PPG approval	World Bank	Belize	Management and Protection of Key Biodiversity Areas	Ian Gray	9-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for PPG revision
4651	122383	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	China	A Landscape Approach to Wildlife Conservation in Northeastern China	Yoko Watanabe	10-Jan-12	PIF recommended for CEO clearance (Docs circulating for signature)
4651	122383	FP	Biodiversity	CEO PIF Clearance for WPI	World Bank	China	A Landscape Approach to Wildlife Conservation in Northeastern China	Yoko Watanabe	11-Jan-12	PIF cleared for WPI by CEO
4441	125528	FP	POPs	CEO endorsement of FSP	World Bank	China	Minimizing Formation and Releases of Unintentionally Produced POPs (UPOPs) from China's Pulp and Paper Sector	Anil Sookdeo	12-Jan-12	Review Sheet sent to Agency for FSP revision

INTRODUCING GEFSEC'S NEW STAFF



Meet **Evelyn Swain** who was previously on detail with us from the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). She has now joined the Chemicals Cluster as an Environmental Specialist. She has over 7 years experience developing and implementing policies designed to protect the environment.

From 2005 to 2011, she worked for the US Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Atmospheric Programs, where she was responsible for initiatives addressing both ozone layer protection and climate change. She helped manage US implementation of the Montreal Protocol, and launched government/ private partnerships across industry sectors to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.



Jeannette Lee has begun working with the Adaptation Fund Board Secretariat on a short-term internship, which will focus on various aspects of the fund's approach to communications. Jeannette is an M.A. candidate in international relations and economics at the Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies in Washington DC.

Previously, she worked as a journalist for The Associated Press in New York, Alaska, and her hometown of Honolulu, Hawaii. She has also written for several DC-based publications, including The Atlantic, National Journal, and Congress Daily. In the summer of 2011, Jeannette supported the finance team at the secretariat of the UNFCCC in Bonn, Germany.