

PROGRAMME

Official opening of the **UNEP Copenhagen Climate Centre**

26 April 2022,
UN City, Copenhagen, Denmark

8.00 - 9.45	Registration opens	
9.00 - 10.00	Official opening	<p>HRH The Crown Prince of Denmark</p> <p>Lea Wermelin, Minister of Environment, Denmark</p> <p>Inger Andersen, UN Under-Secretary-General & UNEP Executive Director</p> <p>Grete Faremo, UN Under-Secretary-General & UNOPS Executive Director</p> <p><i>Master of Ceremonies: Susanne Pedersen, Director, UNEP Copenhagen Climate Centre</i></p>
10.00 - 10:15	Short break	
10:15 - 11:45	Panel discussion	<p>“Accelerating Energy Transition Pathways in Emerging Economies and Developing Countries. The role of international climate action in a decisive decade”</p> <p>Keynote speaker: Tomas Anker Christensen, Climate Ambassador, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark “Where are the main opportunities and challenges of energy transitions in global cooperation?”</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ingrid Reumert, Vice President, Global External Relations & Sustainability, VELUX • Karin Isaksson, Managing Director, Nordic Development Fund • Brian Dean, Head of Energy Efficiency and Cooling, Sustainable Energy for All • H.E Pooja Kapur, Ambassador of India to the Kingdom of Denmark • Andreas Kuhlmann, Chief Executive Officer, DENA – German Energy Agency • Susanne Pedersen, Director, UNEP Copenhagen Climate Centre <p><i>Moderator: Gabriela Prata Dias, Head of Business Models and Markets, UNEP Copenhagen Climate Centre</i></p> <p>Closing Remarks: Inger Andersen, UN Under-Secretary-General & UNEP Executive Director</p>