

**UNCTAD National Workshop Saint Lucia**  
**"Climate change impacts and adaptation for coastal transport infrastructure in Caribbean SIDS", 24 – 26 May 2017**

*Bay Gardens Hotel, Rodney Bay, Saint Lucia*

**Programme**

<b>Day 1</b>	<b>24 May – Morning</b>
8:30 – 8:45	Welcome, Opening and Tour de table – introduction of participants (UNCTAD)
8:45 – 9:10	<b>Background, Project objectives and overview</b> – <a href="#">Regina Asariotis</a> , UNCTAD
9:10 – 10:00	<b>Setting the Scene and Context:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Climate change projections for the Caribbean and potential impacts on transport infrastructure – <a href="#">Leonard Nurse</a>, UWI Barbados</li> <li>- LISCoAsT – Large Scale Integrated Sea-level and Coastal Assessment Tool: Application for the SIDS (I) – <a href="#">Michalis Vousdoulas</a>, ECJRC, Italy</li> </ul>
10:00 – 10:20	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:20 – 10:50	<b>A snapshot of Saint Lucia’s Nationally Determined Contribution to the UNFCCC</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Neranda Maurice-George</a>, Department of Sustainable Development, Saint Lucia</li> </ul>
	<b>Regional Initiatives and Developments</b>
10:50 – 11:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Perspectives on Climate Change and DRR in Coastal Transport Infrastructure in the OECS – <a href="#">Crispin d’Auvergne</a>, OECS, Saint Lucia</li> </ul>
11:10 – 11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coastal Transportation Infrastructure in the Caribbean – An Economic Context – <a href="#">Willard Phillips</a>, UNECLAC, Trinidad</li> </ul>
11:30 – 11:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Adaptation/DRR portfolio of UNDP Barbados and the OECS in the Eastern Caribbean – <a href="#">Mizushi Satoh</a>, UNDP/OECS, Barbados</li> </ul>
12:00 – 13:15	<i>Lunch</i>
	<b>24 May – Afternoon</b> <b>Case study Saint Lucia: Presentation and Discussion</b>
13:15 – 14:45	<b>Presentation of Case Study Saint Lucia:</b> approach, methods and key findings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Isavela Monioudi</a>, University of the Aegean, Greece</li> </ul>
14:45 – 15:05	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:05 – 16:30	<b>Round-table Q&amp;A and discussion</b>
<b>Day 2</b>	<b>25 May – Morning</b>
9:00 – 10:25	<b>Responding to Hazards, Adaptation Options and Issues Arising for Adaptation</b>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ecosystems approaches and options – <a href="#">Pascal Peduzzi</a>, UNEP/GRID, Geneva (TBC) (10 min. video)</li> <li>- Impacts of Natural Hazards on the Transport Infrastructure Sector – <a href="#">David Y. Smith</a>, Smith Warner International, Jamaica</li> <li>- Sea Level Rise, SIDS and Transport Infrastructure: Lesson learnt from Real Examples of Coastal Subsidence – <a href="#">Miguel Esteban</a>, University of Tokyo, Japan</li> <li>- Climate risk adaptation for ports: Research for transformational thinking – <a href="#">Austin Becker</a>, University of Rhode Island, USA</li> </ul>
10:25 – 10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:45 – 12:15	<p><b>Presentation of Draft Climate Risk and Vulnerability Assessment Framework for Caribbean Coastal Transport Infrastructure</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Cassandra Snow-Bhat</a>, ICF, Washington</li> </ul>
12:15 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>
	<p><b>25 May – Afternoon</b></p> <p><b>TRAINING/DEMONSTRATION SESSIONS</b></p>
13:30 – 15:00	<p><b>Identifying operational thresholds for vulnerability assessment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Cassandra Snow-Bhat</a>, ICF, Washington</li> </ul>
15:00 – 15:20	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:20 – 16:30	<p><b>Applying the thresholds method/approach</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Isavela Monioudi</a>, University of the Aegean, Greece</li> </ul>
<b>Day 3</b>	<b>26 May – Morning</b>
9:00 – 10:30	<p><b>Gathering and applying climate information for decision-making</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Cassandra Snow-Bhat</a>, ICF, Washington</li> </ul>
10:30 – 10:50	<i>Coffee break</i>
10:50 – 12:15	<p><b>LISCoAsT – Large Scale Integrated Sea-level and Coastal Assessment Tool: Application for the SIDS (II)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Michalis Vousdoukas</a>, ECJRC, Italy;</li> </ul> <p><b>Methods to estimate touristic beach erosion</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Isavela Monioudi</a>, University of the Aegean, Greece</li> </ul>
12:15 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>
	<b>26 May – Afternoon</b>
13:30 – 15:00	<b>Interactive dialogue on main conclusions, recommendations, lessons learnt and way forward</b>
15:00 – 15:20	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:20 – 16:30	<b>Interactive dialogue continued and Closing</b>