



Carbon Markets

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Please note that there are ONLY thirty (30) seats available for this session

Target Group: Government Agencies, Electric Utilities, Independent Power, Producers, Private Sector, Universities.

PRESENTER

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OVERVIEW

Day 1

CDM AND ITS APPLICABILITY FOR THE CARIBBEAN

- Climate Change Negotiations
- Kyoto Protocol and the Flexible mechanisms
- Clean Development Mechanism
- Programmatic CDM (pCDM) or Programme of Activities
- Applicability of CDM and pCDM for the Caribbean Region
- Case Studies of CDM Projects in the Caribbean Region
- Lessons learn from developing CDM Projects

Day 2

OTHER CARBON MARKET SCHEMES

- Overview of other (current/planned) carbon market schemes/mechanisms—namely under the voluntary car-bon market
- Facts and figures of voluntary carbon market schemes
- How can developing countries and specially projects in the Caribbean region benefit from these schemes/ mechanisms
- Future of the carbon market and expected impacts for the region
- Possibilities for RE projects developed in the region to qualify and earn revenue from the sale of carbon credits

CARBON MARKET THEORY

- Brief Overview of the carbon market theory
- Potential advantages and disadvantages of carbon markets
- Environmental externalities
- Theory of externalities of climate change and market failure
- Policy option for dealing with environmental externalities
- Establishments of the carbon prices from its supply and demand curves
- Issues affecting the supply and demand of carbon