



PCB FAIR

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

3-5 May 2023

**ACCELERATING ACTION: TARGETS FOR THE
SOUND MANAGEMENT OF CHEMICALS AND WASTE**

MEETINGS OF THE CONFERENCES OF THE PARTIES TO THE
BASEL, ROTTERDAM AND STOCKHOLM CONVENTIONS
3-4 MAY 2023, GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

The objective of the PCBs Fair is to raise awareness on the urgency to accelerate action to meet the upcoming 2025 and 2028 PCB deadlines under the Stockholm Convention as well as to raise awareness on other deadlines under the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions.

The Fair provides an opportunity for partner institutions, non-governmental organizations, intergovernmental organizations, the Basel and Stockholm Convention Regional Centres and private companies to exhibit their activities, projects and technologies that are available to support the implementation of the conventions, as well as provide a platform for partners to network and explore opportunities for collaboration and joint ventures with the aim of implementing activities of common interest.



WEDNESDAY 3 MAY 2023

	Time	Event
Lunch Events	13:15-13:45	Opening ceremony of the PCB Fair Exhibition Area
	13:45-14:30	Launch of the report on progress towards elimination of PCB Hosted by: BRS Secretariat Stage Exhibition Area
	13:15-14 :45	Interactive games on POPs Dartboard & Spin the Wheel (win a price!) Hosted by: BCRC-Caribbean Exhibition Area: BCRC Caribbean Booth
	18:15-19:45	Side Event Targeting PCBs management in the Caribbean Hosted by: BCRC-Caribbean Room 11-12
Evening Events	18:00-19:00	PCB Clinic Hosted by: BRS Secretariat. Opportunity to share challenges and lessons learned on PCB environmentally sound management and discuss future interventions. <i>(booking of individual slots possible upon request to: agustin.harte@un.org)</i> Exhibition Area: BRS Secretariat Booth
	18:15-19:45	Interactive Quiz on PCB Management Q&A and a prize per winner Hosted by: UNIDO & UNDP Exhibition Area: PCB-Free 2028 Booth



THURSDAY 4 MAY 2023

	Time	Event
Lunch Events	13:15-14:45	Side Event Lessons learned from managing PCB, new issues and available tools to increase human protection Hosted by: SCRC-Czechia, co-organized with Czechia, Slovakia, the Republic of Moldova, Ukraine and WHO Room B
	13:30-15:30	PCB Clinic Hosted by: BRS Secretariat. Opportunity to share challenges and lessons learned on PCB environmentally sound management and discuss future interventions. <i>(booking of individual slots possible upon request to: agustin.harte@un.org)</i>
	14:00-14:30	Exhibition Area: BRS Secretariat Booth PCB cost benefit analysis Q&A Hosted by: UNEP Chemicals and Health Branch Exhibition Area: UNEP Booth
Evening Events	18:15-19:45	Side Event Results achieved, challenges and lessons learned on PCB elimination to meet the Stockholm Convention goals Hosted by: BCRC-Caribbean and BCRC-SCRC-Senegal, with BRS Secretariat Room: 3
	18:15-19:45	Interactive Quiz on PCB Management Q&A and a prize per winner Hosted by: UNIDO & UNDP Exhibition Area: PCB-Free 2028 Booth



FRIDAY 5 MAY 2023

	Time	Event
Lunch Events	13:15-14:45	Side event PCB Elimination by 2028: Potential of the non-combustion destruction technologies Hosted by: IPEN Room B
	13:15-14:45	Interactive games on POPs Dartboard & Spin the Wheel (win a price!) Hosted by: BCRC-Caribbean Exhibition Area: BCRC Caribbean Booth
	13:30-15:30	PCB Clinic Hosted by: BRS Secretariat. Opportunity to share challenges and lessons learned on PCB environmentally sound management and discuss future interventions. <i>(booking of individual slots possible upon request to: agustin.harte@un.org)</i> Exhibition Area: BRS Secretariat Booth
	14:00-14:30	PCB cost benefit analysis Q&A Hosted by: UNEP Chemicals and Health Branch Exhibition Area: UNEP Booth
Evening Events	18:15-19:30	Side event Tools and guidance to support Parties achieving the 2025 and 2028 Targets on PCB Hosted by: Colombia and UNEP, with BRS Secretariat Room 11-12
	18:15-19:45	Interactive games on POPs Dartboard & Spin the Wheel (win a price!) Hosted by: BCRC-Caribbean Exhibition Area: BCRC Caribbean Booth
	19:30-20:30	Closing ceremony and reception Exhibition Area

