



Side Event at Bonn Climate Change Conference (SB 48) “Ensuring a Just Transition for All”

Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung (FES), International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC), Bread for the World (BftW), Coastal Development Partnership (CDP)

Saturday, May 5th, 11.30 am – 1 pm, Room: Berlin (112), World Conference Center (WCC)

Realizing a Just Transition as mentioned in the Paris Agreement brings challenges and opportunities for the transition towards a low-carbon economy and climate resilient solutions. It is important for governments to take into account the Just Transition in their NDCs and national development plans as well as identify hooks and anchoring points to ensure and implement such a Just Transition.

Program

- 11.30** **Welcome address:**
Manuela Matthes, Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung (FES)
Bert de Wel, Just Transition Center
- 11.40** **Shifting Workplace and Industry Plans to meet the Paris Agreement
Temperature Goal – What does it mean for Workers?**
Sebastien Storme, FGTB Belgium
- 11.50** **Guiding Principles and Lessons Learnt for a Just Energy Transition in the
Global South – An Approach**
Joachim Fünfgelt, Bread for the World
- 12.00** **Challenges and Chances of an Energy Transition – The Case of Bangladesh
from a Civil Society Perspective**
Jahangir Hasan Masum, Coastal Development Partnership
- 12.10** **Challenges and Chances of an Energy Transition – The Case of Japan from a
Trade Union Perspective**
Hitoshi Suzuki, RENGO Japan
- 12.20** **Discussion with plenary**
- 12.50** **Wrap-Up,**
Ms Manuela Matthes & Bert de Wel
- 13.00** **End of Event**
- Facilitation:** Manuela Matthes, Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung (FES)