

The Two Lakes Dialogue

Program overview



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Wednesday 3 rd July	Thursday 4 th July	Friday 5 th July			
<p>Check in and Registration</p>	<p>Opening Plenary 09:00-11:30</p>		<p>Thematic sessions: International Cooperation on Carbon Accounting and Industrial Decarbonisation 09:00-11:30</p>		
	<p>Networking Lunch 12:00-14:00</p>	<p>High-Level thematic Lunch* 12:00-14:00</p>	<p><i>Carbon Market & Carbon Finance</i></p>	<p><i>International Carbon Accounting</i></p>	<p><i>Industrial decarbonization</i></p>
<p>Field Trips 13:30-16.30</p>	<p>Thematic Sessions: Business & Value Chain Transition 14:30-17:00</p>		<p>Closing Ceremony 14:30-17:00</p>		
<p>Private Meeting with Hubei Officials* 17:00-18:00</p>	<p><i>Green Transport & EV</i></p>	<p><i>Renewable Energy</i></p>			<p><i>Sustainable Agriculture</i></p>
<p>Buffet Dinner 18.10-19.10</p>	<p>Reception Dinner 17:30-19.30</p>				
<p><i>* By invitation only</i></p>					

Agenda overview: *Wednesday 3 July*

Check in and Registration

Field Trips

13:30-16:30

Private Meeting with Hubei Officials*

17:00-18:00

Welcome Dinner

18:10-19:10

Check-in & Registration at the lobby of Tingtao 2#, East Lake Hotel

13:30 – 16:30 Immersive sustainability in action field trips

Combined visit to two transformational players: Dongfeng Motor and the China Carbon Emissions Registration and Clearing Co., LTD (CRC)

- Fortune 500 Company
- Eco-friendly practices,
- environmental management system,
- governance model, and approach to digital transformation.



- operational backbone of China's carbon trading,
- crucial role in driving the low-carbon economy.
- witness the operational dynamics of the market.

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Welcome Dinner 18:10-19:10

Agenda overview: *Thursday 4 July*

Opening Plenary 09.00-11.30		
Networking Lunch 12:00-14:00	*High-Level thematic Lunch 12:00-14:00	
Thematic Sessions: Business & Value Chain Transition 14:30-17:00		
Green Transport & EV	Renewable Energy Industry	Sustainable Agriculture
Reception Dinner 17:30-19:30		

Opening plenary

This marks the formal start of the conference where prominent Chinese enterprises and high-level officials come together with WBCSD member companies and external partners. The ceremony will set the tone and objectives for the conference, establishing the stage for collaborative efforts to explore partnerships, form coalitions, and accelerate change at scale.

High-Level Roundtable Lunch*

This private high-level networking lunch will be hosted by our Chinese partners. More information to be shared soon.

Green Transport & EV

By highlighting growth opportunities with battery storage, electric vehicles, charging infrastructure and green corridors, this session will:

- share best practices on challenges and trends of technology innovation in transport;
- highlight key international initiatives that accelerate technology adoption (ZEV-EMI).

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Renewable Energy Industry

To accelerate the availability and adoption of renewable energy and clean technologies, this session will:

- share best practices and deepen mutual learning;
- highlight key international initiatives that align with these objectives;
- share examples of scaling relevant technologies and green fuels, including hydrogen.

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Sustainable Agriculture

By exploring partnerships, innovative financing models, and cutting-edge technologies to advance sustainable agriculture, this session will:

- sharing examples of low-carbon and farmer centric products, practices and business models that create resilient supply chains;
- discuss opportunities for Chinese & international collaboration and key enablers to accelerate and support.

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Agenda overview: *Friday 5 July*

Thematic sessions: International Cooperation on Carbon Accounting and Industrial Decarbonisation 09:00-11:30		
Carbon Market & Carbon Finance	International Carbon Accounting	CBAM and Carbon Reductions
Networking Lunch 12:00-14:00	*CP&A High-Level Lunch 12:00-14:00	
Closing Ceremony 14:30-17:00		

Carbon market & Carbon Finance

This session will aim to strengthen the connection and cooperation between China's and international carbon market platforms, by:

- discussing compliance and voluntary carbon markets and mechanisms such as the Chinese and EU ETS;
- sharing experiences on how businesses are navigating the associated challenges and opportunities.

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International Carbon Accounting

This session will enhance the understanding of GHG accounting frameworks as enablers of decarbonization solutions and offer opportunities to:

- discuss current challenges and opportunities presented by GHG accounting;
- hear from local and international experiences and highlight initiatives on the new frontiers of decarbonization: scope 3 emissions and avoided emissions.

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Industrial decarbonization

This session will focus on understanding how businesses are navigating the three carbon markets/mechanisms:

- Emission Trading Systems (**ETS**);
- Union Emissions Trading System (**EU ETS**);
- EU Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (**CBAM**).

It will delve into the associated challenges and opportunities and provide the latest updates.

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CP&A High-Level lunch

WBCSD's Corporate Performance and Accountability System (CPAS) outlines critical unlocks between financial markets and green and low carbon transformation at scale. Attendees will participate in a facilitated dialogue on the opportunities and challenges of leadership supporting increased corporate performance and accountability.

Closing Plenary and Ceremony

This session will provide a comprehensive summary of the thematic sessions held during The Two Lakes Dialogue, followed by closing remarks on the key outcomes.

