

**DAY 1: Monday 25 – September 2023**  
**9 am – 10 am**  
**WELCOMING REMARKS**

Provisional agenda

Session Run Sheet			
Session	Welcoming remarks		
Date and Time	9:00 – 10:00 am (Panama Time GMT-5), 25 September 2023		
Platform	In-person and online (zoom)		
Contact Person	Andrea Brusco ( <a href="mailto:andrea.brusco@un.org">andrea.brusco@un.org</a> )		
Time		Action/Task	Responsibility
Start	Finish		
9.00	10.00	1 hour	<b>Moderator of the session:</b> Andrea Brusco
9.05	9.26	21 min	<b>Welcome Remarks</b>  <b>Speakers</b> (6 min each)  <b>Juan Bello</b> , Regional Director UNEP LAC Office  <b>Patricia Mbote</b> , Law Division Director, UNEP  <b>Milciades Concepcion</b> , Minister, Minister of Environment, Panama

9.26	9.40	14 min	<b>Word from National Focal Points of the Montevideo Programme</b>	<p><b><u>Speakers</u></b> (6 min each)</p> <p><b>Marcelo Cousillas</b>, Uruguay National Focal Point of the Montevideo Programme and Co-chair of the Steering Committee</p> <p><b>Kate Willson</b>, Montevideo National Focal Point of Saint Lucia</p> <p><b><u>Speaker</u></b></p> <p><b>Aphrodite Smagadi</b>, Legal Officer, Law Division, UNEP</p>
9.40	9:55	15 min	<b>Overview of the Montevideo Programme</b>	