



MPS Event Planning Calendar 2019-2020

2019			
DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	CONVENERS
25 February	"A fair price for quality agricultural products"	Rome, Italy	MPS & Italian Ministry of Agriculture
2-5 March	4th UNWTO Euro-Asian Mountain Tourism Conference	Berchtesgaden, Germany	UNWTO
4 March	"Tackling Climate Change in the Pyrenees region"	New York City, USA	Andorra, France, Spain, CTP, Interreg POCTEFA
11-15 March	Fourth Session of the UN Environment Assembly (UNEA-4)	Nairobi, Kenya	UN Environment
31 March – 6 April	Mountain Travel Symposium	Whistler, British Columbia, Canada	MTS
7-12 April	EGU General Assembly (MRI mountain sessions)	Vienna, Austria	European Geosciences Union
6-10 May	14th session of the UN Forum on Forests	New York City, USA	UN
9-12 May	International Conference on "Mountains: Cultures, Landscapes and Biodiversity"	Baku, Azerbaijan	Western Caspian University



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13-17 May	Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction	Geneva, Switzerland	UNISDR
17-21 June	Asia-Pacific Forestry Week 2019: Forests for peace and well-being	Icheon, Republic of Korea	KFS, UNFAO
9-18 July	High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development – review of SDG 4, 8, 10, 13, 16, 17	New York City, USA	UN
28-30 August	International Forum on Cryosphere and Society	Kathmandu, Nepal	ICIMOD
2-13 September	UNCCD COP14	New Delhi, India	UNCCD Secretariat
9-11 September	Climate - Smart Forestry in Mountain Regions	Stará Lesná, Slovakia	COST
8-12 September	International Mountain Conference	Innsbruck, Austria	Universität Innsbruck
17-19 September	First International Conference on Semi-Arid Mountain Environments	Abha, Saudi Arabia	Saudi Arabia's Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture (MEWA)
18-26 September	Summer School: Agrobiodiversity in a changing climate	Rome, Italy	MPS; Sapienza University of Rome, Department of Environmental Biology; Bioversity International
23 September	UN 2019 Climate Summit	New York City, USA	UN
17-30 September	74th Session of the UN General Assembly	New York City, USA	UNGA



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29 September-5 October	XXV IUFRO World Congress	Curitiba, Brazil	IUFRO
4-6 October	International Conference on Digital Transformation in Central Asia	Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan	The University of Central Asia and the High Technology Park of the Kyrgyz Republic
29-31 October	High Mountain Summit	Geneva, Switzerland	WMO
2-13 December	UNFCCC COP25	Chile	UNFCCC Secretariat
4-6 December	Forum ODT 2019 “Agroecology: multiple transitions of territories”	Lausanne, Switzerland	Mountain Partnership, ODT, Universite de Lausanne
11 December	International Mountain Day	Global	MPS/FAO
11-15 December	2nd IISUMOD World Mountain Organic Agriculture and Ayurveda Conference and Expo	Pokhara, Nepal	IISUMOD



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11-13 March	11th World Congress on Snow and Mountain Tourism	Canillo, Andorra	The World Tourism Organisation (UNWTO) and the Government of Andorra
1-5 June	Sustainable Summits 2020 Nepal	Kathmandu, Nepal	Nepal Tourism Board and the Climate Alliance of Himalayan Communities (CAHC)
11-19 June	IUCN World Conservation Congress 2020 - Marseilles	Parc Chanot – Marseille, France	IUCN and French Ministry for the Ecological and Inclusive Transition
15-30 September	75th Session of the UN General Assembly	New York City, USA	UNGA
21-27 September	Organic World Congress 2020	Rennes, France	IFOAM
October (TBA)	Terra Madre Salone del Gusto	Turin, Italy	Slow Food
October (TBA)	The Fifteenth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD COP 15)	Beijing, China	UN
20 October – 10 April	Dubai Expo 2020	Dubai, UAE	Bureau International des Expositions
9-20 November	UNFCCC COP 26	TBA	UNFCCC Secretariat



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23-27 November	Mountains 2020	Cape Verde	CIMO
November (TBA)	Ibero-American Summit 2020	Andorra	Andorran Government
11 December	International Mountain Day	Global	UN FAO MPS
TBA	Euro-Asian Mountain Tourism Conference	Andorra	The Andorran Government
TBA	Launch of the Coalition of Fragile Ecosystems	TBA	The Philippines Government
TBA	7th "Our Oceans" Conference	The Republic of Palau	The Republic of Palau