

## Breakout Session – Learning across regions on addressing green economy and climate change mainstreaming in cities

**Citizen:** Is local government action complemented by action and engagement with citizens? (*Marcus Mayr, UN-Habitat*) **Room Hilton**

- Is the aspiration and demand of fast growing urban middle class aligned with vision of local government and authorities for sustainable cities? is there a robust public understanding of basic climate change knowledge?

**Trade-offs:** How do cities and local governments address the trade-offs of moving towards a green economy and BAU in the short to medium term? (*Nina Bisom, GIZ*) **Room Glenwood**

**Finance:** Financing the future (*Asad Naqvi, UNEP*) **Room DHS2**

- What are the financing challenges for cities - How could local authorities create investable opportunities?
- How could development agencies and in particular development banks play a role in financing sustainable cities?
- Given investment needs for ( climate change adaptation, mitigation, biodiversity loss, poverty eradication, development infrastructure etc ) how could we bundle finance effectively?
- How can cities benefit from being centre of economic activities - Businesses still make decisions at the country-level



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- ☐ Break out into three groups - Break out groups in rooms
- ☐ Discuss questions /Facilitator
- ☐ Summarize 3 key takeaways and action points
- ☐ What can PEP do to help?
- ☐ Presents findings plenary panel ( 17:15pm)
- ☐ Drinks

