

Virtual Roundtable: Emerging Lessons from PMR Country Programs on Carbon Pricing Readiness

October 22, 2020 (Thursday)
8:00 AM – 9:15AM EST

The **Partnership for Market Readiness (PMR)**, established in 2011, has been a collective platform that has supported 23 countries to build their readiness to implement GHG mitigation policies. In addition to providing technical assistance, the platform was one of the first of its kind to provide an international forum to share knowledge and best practices on carbon markets and carbon pricing to continue the momentum on climate action.

This virtual roundtable, moderated by the PMR Secretariat, invites country partners to share and reflect on key lessons on building country capacity on the use of carbon pricing policies and markets as part of a broader suite of policies for climate change mitigation.

Time	Agenda
8.00a – 8.10a EST	Opening Remarks: PMR Co-chairs Afef Jaafar (Tunisia) and Corina Mocanu (European Commission)
8.10a – 8.20a EST	Setting the Scene: Capturing Lessons from a Decade of the PMR Program Venkata Ramana Putti (Program Manager, PMR Secretariat, World Bank)
8.20a – 8.30a EST	Mexico: Emerging lessons from supporting the ETS pilot program Speaker: Marco Heredia, Director General, Climate Change, SEMARNAT
8.30a – 8.40a EST	Jordan: Emerging Lessons from the implementation of the MRV system Speaker: Belal Shaqarin, Director of Climate Change, Ministry of Environment
8.40a – 8.50a EST	Vietnam: Emerging Lessons on navigating the political economy of scaling CPIs to decarbonize the economy Speaker: Dr. Luong Quang Huy, Director, Division of GHG Emissions Monitoring and Low-carbon Economy, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment
8.50a – 9.10a EST	Q&A and discussion
9.10a – 9.15a EST	Closing: PMR Co-chairs Afef Jaafar (Tunisia) and Corina Mocanu (European Commission)