

## Session 21: Using data effectively to track the transition to a low carbon South Africa

Thursday 13 November  
09h00 – 10h30  
Exhibition Hall 4 room 1

The roadmap towards the compilation of annual national GHG inventories and annual climate change monitoring and evaluation reports needs to take into account several factors, such as the provision of primary data, ensuring the use of quality data and identification of appropriate indicators to effectively track progress in South Africa's transition towards a lower-carbon economy. This session will explore these topics with inputs from the Department of Environmental Affairs and StatsSA.

### Key question:

How to establish a sustainable co-owned compilation and management of the GHG inventory?

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