

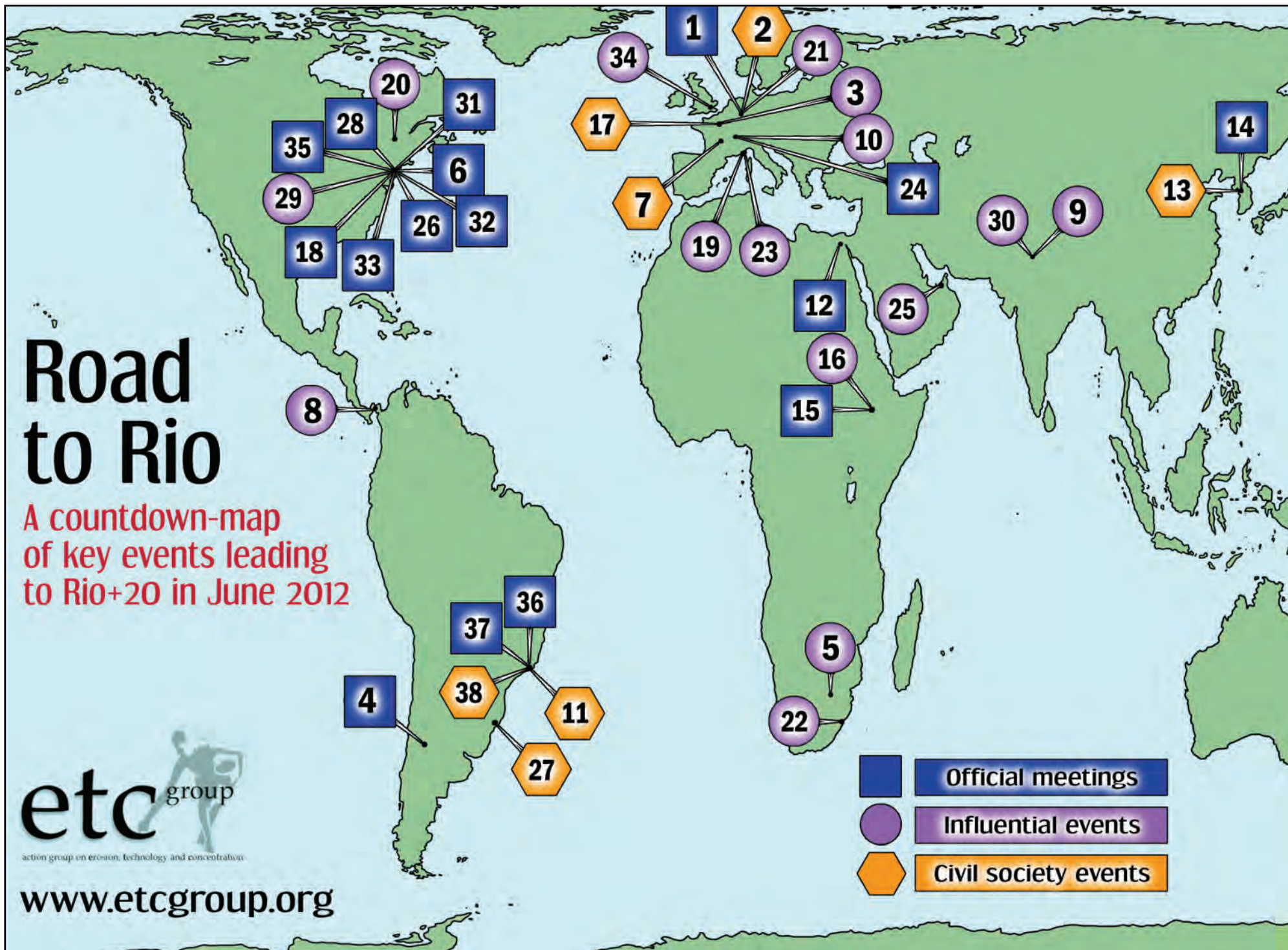
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Key: see overleaf for list of events with dates and web-links. Further copies and more information available from www.etcgroup.org

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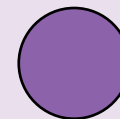
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Official meetings



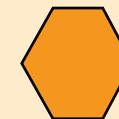
- 1** 1-2 September - Bonn, Germany - Rio+20 European Consultations
<http://www.earthsummit2012.org/preparatory-process-news/unep-global-and-european-regional-preparations-for-rio20>
- 4** 7-9 September - Santiago, Chile - Regional prep: Latin America and Caribbean <http://www.eclac.org/cgi-bin/getprod.asp?xml=/rio20/noticias/paginas/5/43755/P43755.xml&xsl=/rio20/tpl/p18f-st.xsl&base=/rio20/tpl/top-bottom.xsl>
- 6** 23 September - New York, USA - Rio+20 meeting for SIDS-Small island developing states
- 12** 18-20 October - Cairo, Egypt - Rio+20 Regional Preparatory meeting for Arab Region and Western Asia ESCWA-UNEP-League of Arab States
<http://www.escwa.un.org/information/meetingdetails.asp?referenceNUM=1545E>
- 14** 19-20 October - Seoul, Korea - Rio+20 Regional Prep Asia Pacific
<http://www.unescap.org/esd/environment/rio20/home.html>
- 15** 20-25 October - Addis Ababa - Regional prep for Africa
http://www.uneca.org/eca_programmes/sdd/events/Rio20/index.asp
- 18** 1 November - International - Deadline for inputs into Rio+20
www.earthsummit2012.org/preparatory-process-news/uncsd-adds-online-submission-option-for-compilation-document
- 24** 1-2 December - Geneva, Switzerland - Rio+20 Prep for Europe - Economic Commission for Europe
- 26** 15-16 December - New York, USA - Rio+20 Intersessional meeting
- 28** 16-18 January 2012 - New York, USA - Meeting on Zero Draft for Rio+20
- 31** 13-17 February - New York, USA - Informal Rio+20 negotiations
- 32** 3-7 March - New York, USA - Rio+20 Intersessional meeting - <http://www.uncsd2012.org/>
- 33** 19-23 March - New York, USA - Informal Rio+20 negotiations
- 35** 30 April-4 May - New York, USA - Informal negotiations Rio+20
- 36** 28-30 May - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - Final Rio+20 Preparation meeting
- 37** 4-6 June - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - UN Conference on Sustainable Development UNCS2012 - <http://www.uncsd2012.org/>

Other influential events



- 3** 5-7 September - Paris, France - FAO-OECD Expert Meeting on Greening the Economy with Agriculture (GEA)
http://www.fao.org/fileadmin/user_upload/sustainability/docs/FAO_OECD_Expert_Meeting_Agenda_final.pdf
- 5** 8-10 September - Johannesburg, South Africa - African Ministerial on Climate-smart Agriculture: Enhancing Agricultural Productivity in a Changing Climate. FAO, World Bank, South Africa, African Union
- 8** 1-7 October - Panama City, Panama - UNFCCC Prep meeting
<http://unfccc.int/2860.php>
- 9** 3-4 October - New Delhi, India - Ministerial Dialogue on Green Economy and Inclusive Growth
http://www.uncsd2012.org/rio20/content/documents/Delhi%20invitation%20letter_3-4%20October%202011.pdf
- 10** 10-11 October - Geneva, Switzerland - Green Economy and Sustainable Development: Bringing Back the Social Dimension
[http://www.unrisd.org/80256B3C005BD6AB/\(httpEvents\)/68F1037F62658A2EC12578DC0030E627](http://www.unrisd.org/80256B3C005BD6AB/(httpEvents)/68F1037F62658A2EC12578DC0030E627)
- 16** 26-28 October - Addis Ababa - Green Economy and Structural transformation - Economic Commission for Africa
<http://www.uneca.org/aec/2011/AEC2011Call-forPapers.pdf>
- 19** 4-5 November - Cannes, France - G20
<http://www.g20-g8.com>
- 20** 7-11 November - Montreal, Canada, CBD SBSTTA 15
30 May-4 April - Montreal, Canada, CBD SBSTTA 16
<http://www.cbd.int/sbstta/>
- 21** 16-18 November - Bonn, Germany - Integrated solutions for the Green Economy
The Water, Energy and Food Security Nexus,
<http://www.water-energy-food.org/en/conference.html>
- 22** 28 November - 9 December 2011 - Durban, South Africa - COP 17 UNFCCC: www.unfccc.int Civil society:
<http://cop17insouthafrica.wordpress.com/>
- 23** 28-30 November - Monaco - Sustainable Use of Oceans
<http://www.uncsd2012.org/rio20/content/documents/monaco-green-economy.pdf>
- 25** 12-15 December - Abu Dhabi, UAE - Eye on Earth Summit
<http://www.eyeonearthsummit.org/>
- 29** January 2012 - New York, USA (TBC) - Global Panel on Sustainability Report
<http://www.un.org/wcm/content/site/climatechange/pages/gsp>
- 30** 2-4 February - Delhi, India - Delhi Sustainable Development Summit: Protecting the Global Commons 20 Years Post Rio
<http://dsds.teriin.org/2012/>
- 34** 26-29 March - London, UK - Planet Under Pressure Science Conference
<http://www.planetunderpressure2012.net/>

Civil Society events



- 2** 3-5 September - Bonn, Germany - UN DPI Conference: Sustainable Societies; Responsive Citizens
<http://www.un.org/wcm/content/site/ngoconference/pid/16700>
- 7** 29 Sept - 1 October - Limoges, France - Rio+20 (Lawyers conference)
What Ambition for the Environment?
<http://www.uncsd2012.org/rio20/content/documents/Program.pdf>
- 11** 14-16 October - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - CSO meeting to prepare WSF - By invitation
- 13** 17-18 October - Seoul, Korea - Asia Pacific CSO regional prep meeting
- 17** 28-29 October - Paris, France - G20 civil society preparation
- 27** 24-29 January 2012 - Porto Alegre, Brazil - Thematic World Social Forum on Rio+20
http://www.forumsocialmundial.org.br/quadro_frc.php?cd_forum=9
- 38** 30 May - 8 June - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - Peoples Summit for Rio+20
<http://rio20.net/en/>



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