

TERMS OF REFERENCE

Carbon Digital Conference 2026

Plenary 5

Main Carbon Bazaar: Technology-Based & Nature-Based Carbon Projects

Date: 8-9 December 2026

Venue: Sheraton Grand Jakarta Gandaria City
Jakarta, Indonesia

I. About CDC 2026

The Carbon Digital Conference (CDC) is the flagship annual international conference organized by the Indonesia Carbon Trade Association (IDCTA) to convene policymakers, market participants, investors, project developers, financial institutions, technology providers, and international organizations in advancing Indonesia's carbon market ecosystem.

Following the successful implementation of previous conferences, CDC2026 marks another important milestone as Indonesia enters a new phase of carbon market development. The implementation of the new Presidential Regulation No. 110/2025, the strengthening of Indonesia's National Registry System (SRN-PPI) and Unit Carbon Registry System (SRUK), increasing international cooperation under Article 6.2 of the Paris Agreement, and growing demand for high-integrity carbon credits have created significant momentum for Indonesia to become a regional carbon market hub.

However, despite abundant carbon resources, market growth continues to face several challenges, including:

- limited market liquidity;
- insufficient corporate demand;
- financing constraints for project development;
- evolving international compliance requirements;
- fragmented digital monitoring systems;
- the need for Internationally recognized methodologies and standards that aligns with Indonesia's unique landscape.

CDC2026 is designed to address these challenges by bringing together domestic and international stakeholders to accelerate market readiness, strengthen buyer confidence, mobilize investments, and expand international market access.

The conference also introduces several new initiatives, including the Carbon Bazaar, dedicated Indonesia–Japan collaboration sessions, business matching programmes, and discussions on innovative financing mechanisms to support the scaling of Indonesia's carbon economy.

II. Plenary Session Details

- **Title**

Nature-Based Solutions Validation Challenges: How current Methodologies can align with Indonesia's Unique Landscape & the Way Forward

- **Description**

This session will showcase a diverse range of technology-based and nature-based carbon projects, bringing together project developers, investors, buyers, and carbon market consultants to explore opportunities across Indonesia's growing carbon market.

The Carbon Bazaar will provide a platform for project developers to present their carbon projects, technologies, methodologies, and investment opportunities directly to potential buyers and investors. Featured projects may cover a broad range of sectors, including nature-based solutions, forestry, agriculture, renewable energy, waste management, carbon removal, and other technology-based carbon reduction initiatives.

The session will also facilitate direct engagement among project developers, investors, buyers, and consultants, supporting the identification of potential partnerships, investment opportunities, project offtake arrangements, and technical collaboration. Through this interactive format, the Carbon Bazaar aims to strengthen market connectivity, improve access to project information, and accelerate the development and commercialization of high-integrity carbon projects in Indonesia.

- **Day, Date and Time**

Wednesday, 9 December 2026 at 09:10 AM - 11:10 AM

- **Place**

Sheraton Grand Jakarta Gandaria City Hotel
Jl. Sultan Iskandar Muda, Kebayoran Lama Utara,
Kec. Kebayoran Lama, Kota Jakarta Selatan,
Daerah Khusus Ibukota Jakarta 12240

- **Potential Panelists**

- Carbon Project Developers
- Investors
- Carbon Credit Buyers
- Carbon Market Consultants

- **Moderator**

- PwC Indonesia *