



# Science-based target setting HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

**PARIS**  
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Kindly hosted by:



150 Boulevard Victor Hugo, 93400 Saint-Ouen, Paris

09:00 – 17:00

In October 2018, the Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) published its most recent report, and perhaps the most important one, providing a state-of-the-art assessment of scenarios to limit global warming to 1.5°C, challenges to meet this goal, and risks of exceeding this threshold.

Following the release of the IPCC report, the Science Based Targets initiative has undergone a major strategic review, including a revision of criteria, target validation protocols, as well as the development of new tools and resources that enable companies to set GHG emission reduction targets in line with the latest science.

## – workshop objectives –

The main goal of the workshop is to equip changemakers with the knowledge and skills required to drive the science-based target setting process within their companies. During the full-day workshop, participants will:

1. **Receive** first-hand **knowledge** from experts of the SBTi, including an overview about the latest updates, new resources, science-based target setting tutorial and tips for successful target-submissions;
2. **Learn from**, and interact with, other **companies** that have successfully gone through the science-based target setting process and;
3. Be able to book meetings with experts from the SBTi to **address specific queries**.



The following tentative agenda is envisioned for the workshop:

09:00 – 09:30	<b>Registration &amp; Coffee</b>
09:30 – 09:50	<b>Welcome address &amp; keynote speech</b>
09:50 – 10:10	<b>Setting the scene:</b> Briefing following the release of the IPCC Special Report on 1.5°C and updates from the Science Based Targets initiative.
10:10 – 11:00	<b>Tutorial 1:</b> Aligning ambition to the Paris goals; science-based target setting foundations, methods and tools.
11:00 – 11:30	<b>Coffee break &amp; Networking</b>
11:00 – 12:15	<b>Tutorial 2:</b> Preparing a successful target submission: criteria, guidelines, protocols & forms.
12:15 – 13:00	<b>Company panel:</b> Panel with companies that have stepped up ambition by aligning to 1.5°C.
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch</b>
14:00 – 17:00	<b>Peer-learning workshop*:</b> Interactive workshop where companies will be able to identify internal & external challenges to science-based target setting and learn tactics & tips on how other companies are addressing these challenges.

We kindly ask you to RSVP to the event on this [link](#). The event is free of charge for representatives of European companies. You can select participation to only the morning section (1) or to both the morning and afternoon sections (1 and 2). We appreciate early registrations and encourage limiting registrations to one person per organization as space is limited. If you have questions, please contact us at the following: [commit@cdp.net](mailto:commit@cdp.net).

\*Note: Participation in the peer-learning workshop is limited to companies only and is restricted to one representative per company. Participants will be confirmed by email.