The Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities (OCEEA) co-operates with the Organization’s Chairmanship in supporting dialogue and promoting co-operation on economic and environmental issues and their connection to security. Guided by the decisions adopted by the OSCE participating States, the OCEEA, in co-operation with OSCE field operations, undertakes activities in the areas of anti-corruption, anti-money laundering, transport, trade and customs, migration governance, water management, disaster risk reduction, hazardous waste, climate change, environmental good governance, and energy security.
The Economic Forum was established.

The first Economic Forum took place in Prague.

It was renamed into Economic and Environmental Forum.

The OSCE Chairmanship is held for one calendar year by the OSCE participating State designated as such by a decision of the Ministerial Council. The function of the Chairperson-in-Office (CiO) is exercised by the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the respective State.

The Permanent Council, one of the main regular decision-making bodies of the Organization, convenes weekly in Vienna to discuss developments in the OSCE area.

The OSCE Ministerial Council, consisting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the participating States, is the central decision-making and governing body of the OSCE between Summits. It meets, as a rule, once a year at the end of each Chairmanship term to consider and adopt decisions.

Ministerial Council adopts commitments for the participating States and mandates for the executive structures.

The Organization comprises 57 participating States that span the globe, encompassing three continents - North America, Europe and Asia - and more than a billion people.

Economic and Environmental Forum is the major annual event within the Economic and Environmental Dimension of the OSCE. It regularly targets major issues of concern in the economic and environmental sphere. The annual Forum process contributes to strengthening political dialogue among governments, international organizations, the business and the academic community, as well as civil society. The Concluding Meeting of the Economic and Environmental Forum process takes place in Prague in September.

Second Preparatory Meeting of the Economic and Environmental Forum

First Preparatory Meeting of the Economic and Environmental Forum

The OSCE Chairmanship proposes the theme of the Economic and Environmental Forum.

In coming years, the Economic and Environmental Forum will continue to discuss and deliberate on issues that are of vital concern to the OSCE region.

"...to give political stimulus to the dialogue on the transition to and development of free-market economies as an essential contribution to the building of democracy, to suggest practical efforts for the development of free-market systems and economic co-operation..."

Mandate of the Forum, 1992

Also:

Economic and Environmental Committee (EEC) convenes once a month to discuss economic and environmental issues, including the implementation of the commitments of the participating States, and consider cross-dimensional issues with a particular connection to economic and environmental aspects of security. The EEC supports the preparation of the meeting of the Economic and Environmental Forum and other meetings on economic and environmental issues.

Economic and Environmental Dimension Implementation Meeting (EEDIM) takes place once a year to review the implementation of Ministerial Council decisions. It provides a framework for enhancing dialogue and co-operation on key thematic areas within the Economic and Environmental Dimension. The EEDIM usually takes place in Vienna in October.
OSCE commitments and mandates are agreed by the participating States in the framework of the Ministerial Council and the Permanent Council. The Economic and Environmental Forum, the Economic and Environmental Dimension Implementation Meeting, and the Economic and Environmental Committee provide on-going platforms for dialogue among the participating States on economic and environmental issues.

The Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities (OCEEA) is tasked with strengthening the ability of the Permanent Council and the OSCE institutions to address the economic and environmental aspects of security. The OCEEA, together with colleagues in field operations, undertake projects and activities that put into practice the commitments OSCE participating States have agreed upon.