

## GLOBAL CHEMICALS AND WASTE PLATFORM BEYOND 2020

### Engaging Stakeholders in Preparing the Canadian Position for the fourth meeting of the Beyond 2020 Intersessional Process

- Health and Environment Justice Support (HEJSupport)
- <https://hej-support.org/>
- ❖ Membership based organization
- ❖ Works at the policy level to achieve a healthy environment and environmental justice globally, regionally and nationally.
- ❖ **Mission is to provide long term technical, policy, legal and awareness support to vulnerable communities to enable them to make their problems heard and to strive for solutions. We work with people to help them make their lives better and ensure that the life of the future generations is not compromised.**
- ❖ Member of the International Pollutants Elimination Network (IPEN)
- **February 13, 2020**



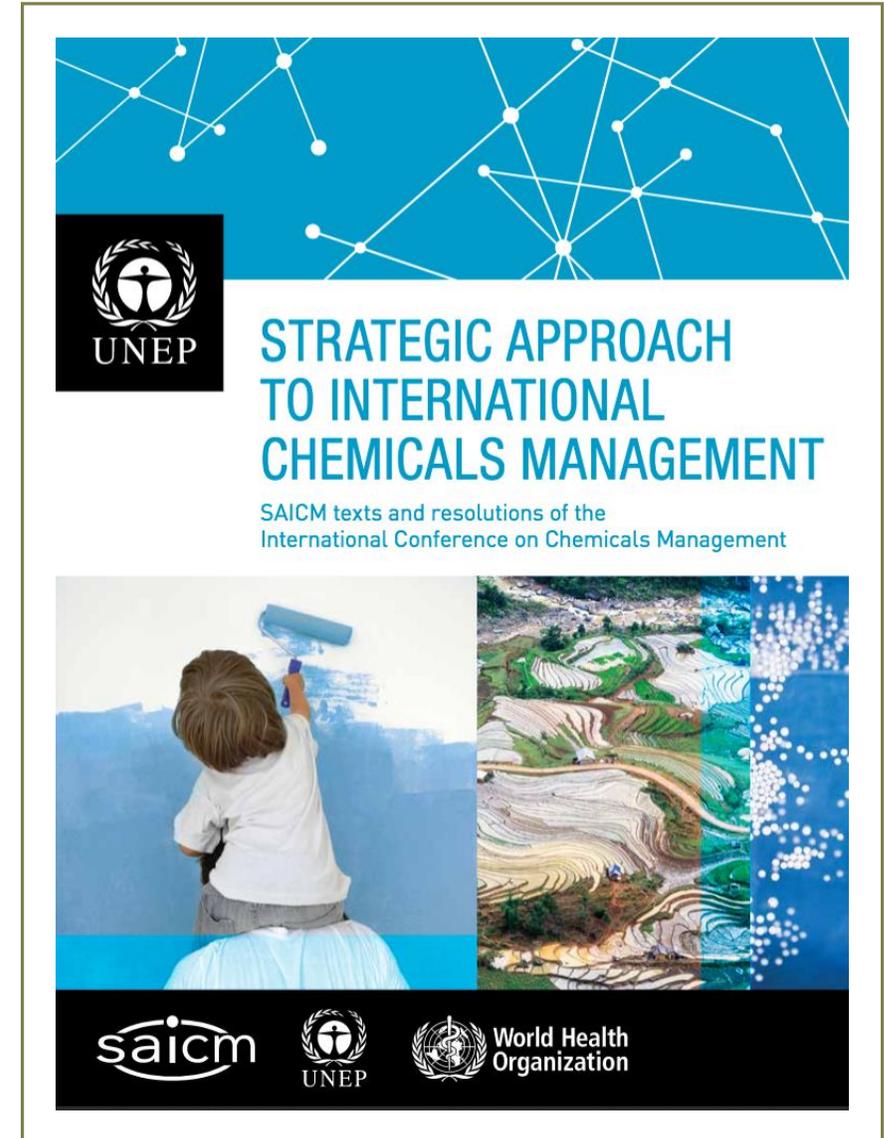
 **STRATEGIC APPROACH  
TO INTERNATIONAL  
CHEMICALS MANAGEMENT**

SAICM texts and resolutions of the  
International Conference on Chemicals Management

   World Health Organization

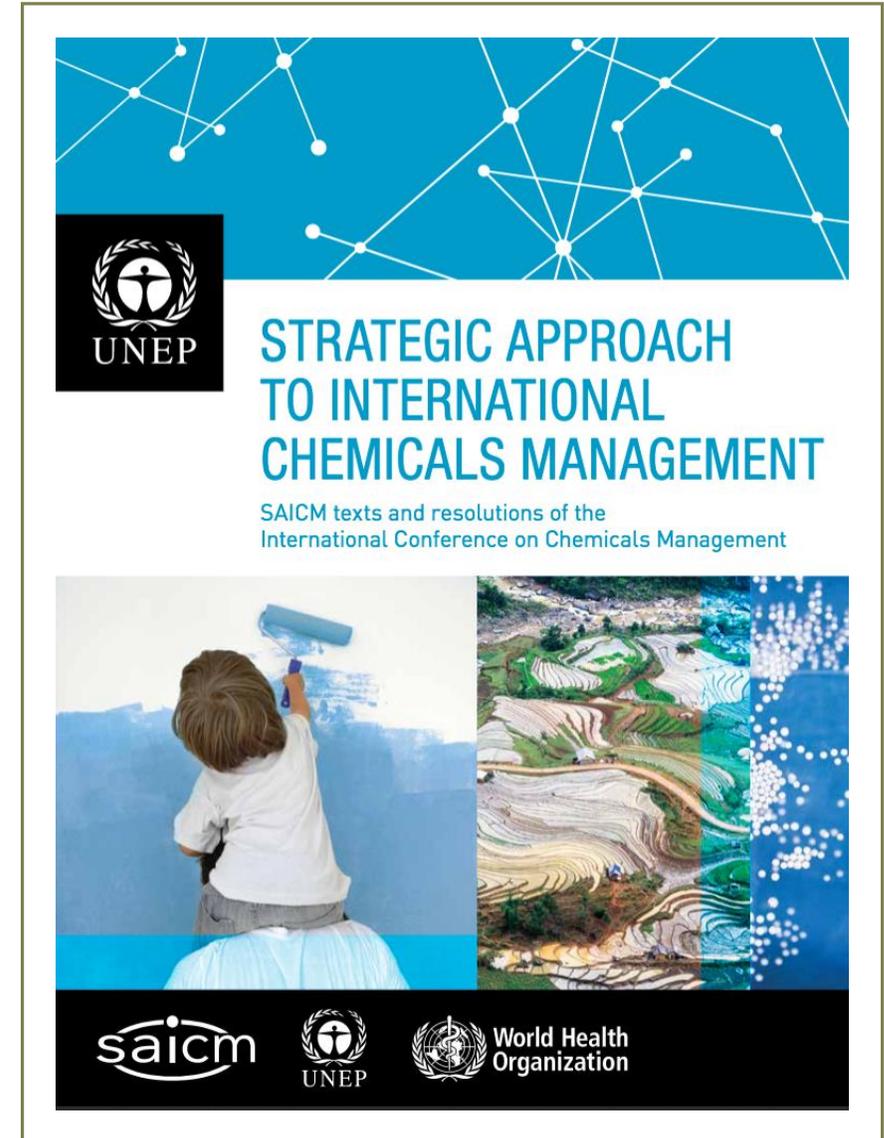
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- To provide an update on the process to develop the global platform on sound management of chemicals and waste beyond 2020;
  - To share stakeholder perspective for moving forward;
  - To seek ideas to inform the Canadian position
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# Global Chemicals and Waste Platform Beyond 2020

- What are strengths and weaknesses of existing SAICM ?
- How does Canada contribute to SAICM?
- What might a post-2020 framework on chemicals and waste look like?
- How can stakeholders contribute to the development of the Beyond 2020 Platform?



# Key presenters

- **Suzanne Leppinen, Director, Healthy Environments and Consumer Safety Branch for Health Canada** will talk about Canada's engagement in discussions on the development of a global platform on chemicals and waste beyond 2020;
- **Olga Speranskaya, HEJSupport Co-Director and IPEN Senior Advisor** will provide an overview of the outcomes of the work at the third meeting of the intersessional process and NGO perspective for moving forward beyond 2020;
- **Fe de Leon, Researcher and Paralegal at Canadian Environmental Law Association** will share the vision on the role Canada's NGOs can play in shaping and implementation of the sound chemicals and waste framework in the period beyond 2020;
- **Alexandra Caterbow, HEJSupport Co-Director** will share EU NGOs perspective on public engagement in the work on chemicals and waste beyond 2020.
- **Discussion: What should Canada and Canadian NGOs advocate for to achieve a strong global platform on chemicals and waste beyond 2020?**

