

Global Observatory Presents...

at The Bellona Room (C7)

Monday

Dec 7

4:00-

5:30pm

What is COP15 All About?

Global leaders explain the negotiations, the issues on the table, and what's at stake.

Participants: David Blood (Generation Investment Management)

David Sandalow (US Department of Energy), Jessy Tolkan (Energy Action Coalition),

Tom Brookes (European Climate Foundation)

Moderator: José María Figueres (ex-President of Costa Rica, Global Observatory)

Tuesday

Dec 8

4:00-

5:30pm

The Latest Science: a Report from Experts

The science is explained by top scientists: what is the latest information, how do we know if the negotiations are getting where we need them to go, and what does it mean for all of us?

Participants: Bob Corell (Heinz Center), Doug Boucher (Union of Concerned Scientists), Tony Haymet (Scripps Institution of Oceanography), Beth Sawin, (Sustainability Institute)

Moderator: Aimée Christensen (Global Observatory)

Thursday

Dec 10

4:30-

6:00pm

Carbon Cutting for Dummies

Each of us acting can immediately and significantly address climate change, but how do we know what to do, and how do we know we're making a difference? These experts identify the areas for big impact: what we eat, how we move around, energy in our homes, and the tools to take action and track our progress!

Participants: Jacqueline McGlade (EEA), Jeremy Leggett (Solar Century),

Michael Terrell (google.org), Rosie Boycott (London Food)

Moderator: Aimée Christensen (Global Observatory)

Friday

Dec 11

1:00-

2:30pm

PlanetCall: Solutions from Global Youth

Young people from around the world pitch their ideas to an expert panel including Tim Flannery, and moderated by Discovery Channel's Summer Rayne Oakes.

Participants: Birgitte Nørgaard (Grontmij), Dan Kammen (UC Berkeley),

Deepa Gupta (IYCN), Jessy Tolkan (Energy Action Coalition), Shane Zhao (CYCAN), Tim Flannery (Copenhagen Climate Council)

Moderator: Summer Rayne Oakes (Discovery)

Monday

Dec 14

9.30-

11:00am

Communicating Sustainability

Leaders from science, technology, and business share success stories, strategies, and missteps in the critical task of enabling public understanding of sustainability and climate change.

Participants: Ashok Khosla (IUCN), Benjamin Kott (google), Mattias Klum,

Michael Hay (IKEA)

Moderator: Tom Friedman(NY Times)*

Thursday

Dec 17

3:00-

4:30pm

Every Reason to Act

From every vantage point climate change is both our most pressing challenge and greatest opportunity. Thought leaders speak of the connections to security, faith, business and social justice.

Moderator: Anders Wijkman (Tällberg Foundation)

Friday

Dec 18

11:00-

12:30pm

Beyond Copenhagen: Getting it Done!

There is no need to wait. As the talks wrap up, it's time to accelerate impact and scale up solutions.

Opportunities are everywhere. Local governments, businesses, communities and individuals are showing how to get it done.

Moderator: José María Figueres (ex-President of Costa Rica, Global Observatory)

*Invited

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