



Sustainable Planet, Sustainable Health – How Science-Based Solutions Can Drive Transformative Change

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Conference programme

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08.50-09.15 Opening: WE HEAR YOU — A CLIMATE ARCHIVE

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Directed by Jacob Hirdwall.

WE HEAR YOU—A CLIMATE ARCHIVE is a collaboration between Dramaten (The Royal Dramatic Theatre of Sweden), The Earth Commons—Georgetown University's Institute for Environment and Sustainability, The Embassy of Sweden in Washington DC, and The Laboratory for Global Performance and Politics. We Hear You—A Climate Archive is co-conceived by Caitlin Nasema Cassidy and Jacob Hirdwall. Additional support for this project is provided by the Swedish Arts Council and The Barbro Osher Pro Suecia Foundation.

09.15-12.15 Plenary session 1: How academia can support transformative changes in the decade of action

Moderator: Annika Dopping.
Co-moderator: Noura Berrouba

09.15-09.40 Sub session 1: Introductory conversation

Panel:

- **Astrid Söderbergh Widding**, President, Stockholm University.
- **Ole Petter Ottersen**, President, Karolinska Institutet.
- **Sigbritt Karlsson**, President, KTH Royal Institute of Technology.
- **Åsa Persson**, Research Director and Deputy Director, Stockholm Environment Institute.

09.40-11.00 Sub session 2: Keynotes reflecting on how academia can support transformative changes towards sustainability

Panel:

- **Dr. Arunabha Ghosh**, Founder and CEO, Council on Energy, Environment and Water (CEEW).
- **Dr. Nyovani Madise**, Director of Development Policy and Head of Malawi office, African Institute for Development Policy.
- **Prof. Andy Haines**, Professor of Environmental Change and Public Health, Centre for Climate Change and Planetary Health, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.

11.00-11.30 Pause, coffee and music performed by students at The Royal College of Music.

11.30-12.15 Sub session 3: How academia can support policy and decision making in the decade of action

Panel:

- **His Excellency Dr. Mokgweetsi E.K Masisi**, President of the Republic of Botswana.
- **Noura Berrouba**, President, National Council of Swedish Youth Organisations (LSU).
- **Prof Teruo Fujii**, President, University of Tokyo.

12.15-13.15 Lunch and music performed by students at The Royal College of Music.

13.15-14.45

Parallel session 1: Accelerating the transition to sustainable production and consumption
This section highlights how research organizations and industry partners collaborate on the transition to sustainable and carbon-neutral activities with strengthened competitiveness.

Speakers include:

- **Dr. Karin Bradley**, KTH
- **Magnus Burman**, KTH
- **Dr. Michael Svärd**, KTH

Parallel session 2: Transformation towards sustainable and healthy food systems

In this section, you can take part in a panel discussion on food production linked to the objectives in Agenda 2030 and what incentives are needed from different actors.

Speakers include:

- **Prof. Line Gordon**, SRC
- **Prof. Stefan Swartling Peterson**, KI
- **Prof. Shakuntala Thilstedt**

Moderator: **Dr. Sudhvir Singh**.

Parallel session 3: Transformative transparency: Acceleration, accountability & agency

This session examines the role of transparency in transformation in order to work for sustainable development.

Speakers include:

- **Vivian Ribeiro**, Trase team and PhD in Ecology SEI
- **Mark Sanctuary**, Vice Director at Sustainable Finance Lab.
- **David Jensen**, UNEP
- **Javier Godar**, SEI

Parallel session 4: Governing sustainability transformations

The session will explore the biggest risks and success factors that can contribute to faster measures for societal transformation towards sustainability.

Speakers include:

- **Prof. Hans Bruyninckx**, EEA
- **Prof. Michele Betsill**, Copenhagen University.
- **Prof. Hans Peter Arp**, NGI and NTNU

15.15-16.45 Plenary session 2: Next generation leadership: how academia can support sustainable transformation that drives innovation, entrepreneurship and green jobs

Panel:

- **Inger Andersen**, Under-Secretary-General of the United Nations and Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme.
- **Henrik Henriksson**, Chief Executive Officer at H2 Green Steel.

Plenary dialogue session.

Panel:

- **Ossian Ahlkvist**, Board member at Student Union of KTH (THS).
- **Salomé Hahne**, MSc Candidate in Biomedicine and Secretary, Students for Sustainable Development at KI.
- **Jaee Nikam**, Research Associate at SEI Asia.
- **Elis Wibacke**, chairperson Stockholm University Student Union.

16.45-17.00 Closing session.

17.00-18.00 Mingle.



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