

**Climate Action Summit, 23 September 2019**  
**Draft Agenda**

10.00	<p><b><u>Opening Ceremony:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Secretary-General, H.E, Mr. António Guterres</li> <li>• Youth dialogue with Secretary-General</li> </ul>
10.40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Zealand: Prime Minister, H.E. Ms. Jacinda Ardern</li> <li>• Marshall Islands: President, H.E. Dr. Hilda C. Heine</li> <li>• India: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Narendra Modi</li> <li>• Germany: Chancellor, H.E. Mrs. Angela Merkel</li> </ul>
10.55	<p><b><u>Plans for a Carbon Neutral World</u></b></p> <p>Announcements of plans to achieve carbon neutrality by 2050 or sooner including by enhancing their Nationally Determined Contributions by 2020 by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chile: President, H.E. Sebastián Piñera Echeñique</li> <li>• Finland: President, H.E. Mr. Sauli Niinistö</li> <li>• UN Special Envoy for Climate Action: Mr. Michael Bloomberg</li> <li>• City of Montreal: Mayor Valérie Plante</li> <li>• Allianz SE: CEO, Mr. Oliver Baete</li> </ul>
11.10	<p><b><u>Climate Finance</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• France: President, H.E. Emmanuel Macron</li> <li>• Qatar: Emir, H.H. Sheikh Tamim bin Hamad Al-Thani</li> <li>• Jamaica: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Andrew Holness</li> </ul>
11.20	<p><b><u>Powering the Future from Coal to Clean</u></b></p> <p>Making the economic and business case for shifting to renewable energy and the health case for phasing out coal by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slovakia: President, H.E. Zuzana Čaputová</li> <li>• Republic of Korea: President, H.E. Mr. Moon Jae-in</li> <li>• Clean Air Fund: Executive Director, Ms. Jane Burston</li> <li>• Orsted: CEO, Mr. Henrik Poulsen</li> <li>• Iberdrola: CEO, Mr. Jose Ignacio Sanchez Galan</li> </ul>

11.35	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Costa Rica: President. H.E. Carlos Alvarado Quesada</li> <li>• Indonesia: Vice-President, H.E. Mr. M. Jusuf Kalla</li> <li>• China: State Councilor and Special Representative of President Xi Jiping, H.E. Mr. Wang Yi</li> </ul>
11.45	<p><b><u>Unlocking the Potential of Nature in Climate Action</u></b></p> <p>Announcements on the scaling up of Nature-Based Solutions in their Nationally Determined Contributions and Long-Term strategies to increase ambition and concrete actions to protect nature to better fight climate change by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Norway: Prime Minister, H.E. Ms. Erna Solberg</li> <li>• Democratic Republic of Congo: President, H.E. Mr. Félix Antoine Tshilombo Tshisekedi</li> <li>• Pakistan: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Imran Khan</li> <li>• Republic of Guatemala: President, H.E. Mr. Jimmy Morales</li> <li>• Danone: CEO, Chairman and CEO, Mr. Emmanuel Faber</li> </ul>
12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Iceland: Prime Minister, H.E. Ms. Katrin Jakobsdottir</li> <li>• Denmark: Prime Minister, H.E. Ms. Mette Frederiksen</li> <li>• Colombia: President, H.E. Mr. Ivan Duque Marquez</li> </ul>
12.10	<p><b><u>Towards a Resilient Future</u></b></p> <p>Announcements of plans to mainstream climate risk in decision making by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fiji: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Josaia Voreqe Bainimarama</li> <li>• Nigeria: President, H.E. Mr. Muhammadu Buhari</li> <li>• The Netherlands: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Mark Rutte</li> <li>• Bank of England: Governor, Mr. Mark Carney</li> <li>• Willis Towers Watson: CEO and Board Director, Mr. John Haley</li> </ul>
12.25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Morocco: H.R.H Princess Lalla Hasnaa</li> <li>• Portugal: President, H.E. Mr. Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa</li> <li>• Singapore: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Lee Hsien Loong</li> </ul>

12.35	<p><b><u>Small Island Developing States</u></b></p> <p>Announcements related to the SIDS’ vision for developing along a resilient and carbon neutral pathway, with the support of the international community, by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Barbados: Prime Minister, H.E, Ms. Mia Amor Mottley</li> <li>• Palau: President, H.E. Mr. Tommy Esang Remengesau Jr.</li> <li>• Saint Lucia: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Allen Michael Chastanet</li> <li>• Maldives: President, H.E. Mr. Ibrahim Mohamed Solih</li> <li>• International Renewable Energy Agency: Director General, Mr. Francesco La Camera</li> </ul>
13.15-14.45	<p>Climate Action Summit Luncheon with Heads of State and Government, Chief Executives and young entrepreneurs.</p>

15.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ecuador: President, H.E. Mr. Lenin Moreno Garcés</li> <li>• Ireland: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Leo Varadkar</li> <li>• Russian Federation: Deputy Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Alexei Gordeyev</li> </ul>
15.10	<p><b><u>Live, Work and Move Green</u></b></p> <p>Announcements of concrete actions to transition to a decarbonized built environment, sustainable mobility systems, and specifically-tailored financial and technical support for urban transitions by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Turkey: President, H.E. Mr. Recep Tayyip Erdoğan</li> <li>• Kenya: President, H.E. Mr. Uhuru Kenyatta</li> <li>• State of Maine: Governor, Ms. Janet Mills</li> <li>• City of Surabaya: Mayor, Ms. Tri Rismaharini</li> <li>• European Investment Bank: President, Mr. Werner Hoyer</li> </ul>
15.25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Belgium: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Charles Michel</li> <li>• Greece: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Kyriakos Mitsotakis</li> <li>• Chad: President, H.E. Mr. Idriss Deby Itno</li> </ul>

15.35	<p><b><u>Cutting GHG Emissions Now with Cooling and Energy Efficiency</u></b></p> <p>Announcements of concrete and transformative actions to deliver climate-friendly and efficient cooling plans and the scaling-up and delivery of energy efficiency in Nationally Determined Contributions and Long-Term Strategies by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rwanda: President, H.E. Mr. Paul Kagame</li> <li>• Seychelles: President, H.E. Mr. Danny Faure</li> <li>• City of Copenhagen: Lord Mayor, and Co-Chair of C40, Frank Jensen</li> <li>• Children Investment Fund Foundation: CEO, Kate Hampton</li> <li>• Signify: CEO and Chairman, Mr. Eric Rondolat</li> </ul>
15.50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monaco: Prince, H.R.H. Albert II</li> <li>• Kingdom of Eswatini: Head of State, H. M. King Mswati III</li> <li>• Djibouti: President, H.E. Mr. Ismaël Omar Guelleh</li> </ul>
16.00	<p><b><u>Adapting Now: Making People Safer</u></b></p> <p>Announcements on concrete regional and global actions to better adapt to climate change and prevent and respond to disasters and specifically-tailored financial and technical support by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Egypt: President, H.E. Mr. Abdel Fattah Al Sissi</li> <li>• Bangladesh: Prime Minister, H.E. Ms. Sheikh Hasina</li> <li>• Ghana: President, H. E. Mr. Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo</li> <li>• Melinda and Bill Gates Foundation: Trustee and Co-Chair of the Global Commission on Adaptation, Mr. Bill Gates</li> <li>• World Bank Group: President, Mr. David R. Malpass</li> </ul>
16.15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Luxembourg: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Xavier Bettel</li> <li>• Sudan: Prime Minister, H.E. Dr. Abdalla Hamdok</li> <li>• Thailand: Prime Minister, H.E. General Prayut Chan-o-cha</li> </ul>
16.25	<p><b><u>Least Developed Countries</u></b></p> <p>Announcements related to the LDC's' vision for developing along a resilient and carbon neutral pathway, with the support of the international community, by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bhutan: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Lotay Tshering</li> <li>• Ethiopia: President, H.E. Mrs. Sahle-Work Zewde</li> <li>• Malawi: President, H.E. Mr. Arthur Peter Mutharika</li> <li>• Masen: President, Mr. Mustapha Bakkoury</li> <li>• African Development Bank: President, Mr. Akinwumi Adesina</li> </ul>

16.40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• European Union: President of the European Council, H.E. Mr. Donald Tusk</li> <li>• Lithuania: President, H.E. Mr. Gitanas Nauseda</li> <li>• Lesotho: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Thomas Motsoahae Thabane</li> </ul>
16.50	<p><b><u>People Centered Action Now</u></b></p> <p>Announcements of people focus climate action - jobs, gender and other social drivers as enablers of greater national and sub-national ambition, by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spain: President, H.E. Mr. Pedro Sánchez Pérez-Castejón</li> <li>• Peru: Prime Minister, H.E. Salvador Del Solar</li> <li>• International Trade Union Confederation: General Secretary, Ms. Sharan Burrow</li> <li>• Engie: CEO, Ms. Isabelle Kocher</li> <li>• Indigenous Peoples Representative, Mr. Tuntiak Katan</li> </ul>
17.05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hungary: President, H.E. Mr. János Áder</li> <li>• Tonga: Acting Prime Minister H.E. Mr Semisi Kioa Lafu Sika</li> <li>• Switzerland: President, H. E. Mr. Ueli Maurer</li> </ul>
17.15	<p><b><u>The Economy Moving from Grey to Green</u></b></p> <p>Announcements of concrete and ambitious actions to get to carbon neutrality before 2050 by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sweden: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Stefan Löfven</li> <li>• Dalmia: CEO, Mr. Mahendra Singhi</li> <li>• SSAB: CEO, Mr. Martin Lindqvist</li> <li>• Port of Antwerp: CEO, Mr. Jacques Vandermeiren</li> <li>• Maersk: Chairman, Mr. Søren Toft</li> </ul>
17.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Republic of the Congo: President, H.E. Mr. Denis Sassou Nguesso</li> <li>• Italy: President of the Council of Ministers, H.E. Mr. Giuseppe Conte</li> <li>• United Kingdom: Prime Minister, H.E. Mr. Boris Johnson</li> </ul>
17.40	Closing Remarks from the Secretary-General