

High-Level Roundtable on Climate Ambition

New York, 24 September 2020 (11:30-12:50 EDT)

AGENDA

Segment 1: Welcome and opening remarks

- Welcome by moderator Ms. Femi Oke
- Video: Voices from the Youth
- Opening remarks by His Excellency Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations

Segment 2: Moderated roundtable discussions

• Scene setting remarks: His Excellency Mr. Boris Johnson, Prime Minister, First Lord of the Treasury and Minister for the Civil Service of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Ambition on Finance

- His Excellency Mr. Sebastián Piñera Echenique, President of the Republic of Chile.
- Her Excellency Ms. Ursula von der Leyen, President of the European Commission.
- His Excellency Mr. Mahamadou Issoufou, President of the Republic of Niger.
- His Excellency Mr. Josaia Voreqe Bainimarama, Prime Minister and Minister for iTaukei Affairs, Sugar Industry, and Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Fiji.
- His Excellency Mr. Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada.
- Mr. Candido Botelho Bracher, Chief Executive Officer ITAU-Unibanco SA (Brazil).



- His Excellency Mr. Giuseppe Conte, President of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Italy.
- Mr. Mark Carney, Secretary-General's Special Envoy on Climate Action and Finance.

Aligning Nationally Determined Contributions, long-term low emission development strategies, COVID-19 recovery packages and business plans with the 1.5C and carbon neutrality by 2050 goals.

- His Excellency Dr. Lotay Tshering, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Bhutan.
- His Excellency Mr. Nitish Kumar, Chief Minister of Bihar State, India.
- Ms. Dinah McLeod, Chief Executive Officer of the Global Cement and Concrete Association.
- Mr. Brad Smith, President of Microsoft.
- Ms. Kahori Miyake, Co-Chair of Japan Climate Leaders' Partnership and Executive Officer, Corporate Social Responsibility & Communication, AEON.
- Ms. Laurence Tubiana, Chief Executive Officer, European Climate Foundation.

Protecting people and planet to ensure a sustainable and just recovery: adaptation and resilience

- Her Excellency Sheikh Hasina, Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh.
- His Excellency Mr. Gaston Alphonso Browne, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Corporate Governance of Antigua and Barbuda.



- Mr. Vladimir M. Kattsov. Member of the World Meteorological Organization's Scientific Advisory Panel and the UNFCCC Adaptation Committee.
- Ms. Tasneem Essop, Executive Director of Climate Action Network.

Segment 3: Conclusion

• Closing remarks by His Excellency Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations.