

CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION & MITIGATION: KEY MESSAGES FROM IPCC'S 5TH ASSESSMENT REPORT AND IMPLICATIONS FOR POLICY AND DECISION MAKING

Brussels, 6 May 2014, 14:00 – 17:00
Charlemagne building, room Alcide De Gasperi

13:00 – 14:00 Registration and Welcome Coffee

14:00 – 15:30 OPENING – KEYNOTE SPEECHES

Chair: Kurt Vandenberghe, *Director, Climate Action and Resource Efficiency, DG Research and Innovation, EC*

14:00 – 14:15 Máire Geoghegan-Quinn, *European Commissioner for Research, Innovation and Science*
Research and Innovation for Climate Action

14:15 – 14:30 Jean-Pascal van Ypersele, *IPCC Vice-Chair*
Overview of the IPCC 5th Assessment Report process

14:30 – 15:00 Riccardo Valentini, *IPCC WGII Coordinating Lead Author*
The outcome of IPCC WGII 5th Assessment Report: Impacts, adaptation, and vulnerability

15:00 – 15:30 Ottmar Edenhofer, *IPCC WGIII Co-Chair*
The outcome of IPCC WGIII 5th Assessment Report: Mitigation of climate change

15:30 – 15:45 Coffee Break

15:45 – 17:00 PANEL DISCUSSION

Moderator:

Anders Wijkman, *Former Member of the European Parliament, Co-President of the Club of Rome, Board Member of the Tällberg Foundation*

Panel Members:

John Coomber, *Chairman of ClimateWise, Board of Directors of Swiss Re*

Laura Cozzi, *Deputy Head of the Directorate of Global Energy Economics at the International Energy Agency*

Sandrine Dixon-Declève, *Director, The Prince of Wales's EU Corporate Leaders Group on Climate Change*

Ottmar Edenhofer, *IPCC WGIII Co-Chair*

Connie Hedegaard, *European Commissioner for Climate Action*

Claus Sørensen, *Director-General of DG for Humanitarian Aid & Civil Protection, European Commission*

Riccardo Valentini, *IPCC WGII Coordinating Lead Author*

Jean-Pascal van Ypersele, *IPCC Vice-Chair*

17:00 – 18:00 Closing Cocktail