



# **Green Growth Summit V**

## **Future Proofing the EU Economy: A New Climate for Business**

**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2017, 14:00 (registration from 13.30) – 18:00, followed by a reception**  
**Bibliothèque Solvay, Parc Léopold, Rue Belliard 137, Brussels**

**13.30 Registration**

**14.00 Welcome:**

- Fredrick Federley, **MEP**

**Opening Keynotes – Global Perspectives**

- Jonathan Pershing, Director, Environment Program, **The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation, US Climate Envoy** (until Jan 2017)
- Prof. Yi Wang, Member, **Standing Committee of the National People's Congress of China (NPC)**, Vice President and Professor, **CAS Institutes of Science and Development (CASISD)**, Team leader and Chief Scientist, **Annual China Sustainable Development Report (CSDR)**
- Dr Arunabha Ghosh, Chief Executive Officer, **Council on Energy, Environment and Water, India**

**14.40 Panel Discussion I – Reactions to Global Perspectives**

**Chair:** Fredrick Federley **MEP**

- Vidar Helgesen, **Minister of Climate and Environment, Norway**
- Marcel Beukeboom, **Climate Envoy, The Netherlands**
- Jill Duggan, Director, **EU Green Growth Platform, The Prince of Wales's Corporate Leaders Group, CISL**
- Jos Delbeke, Director General for Climate Action, **European Commission**

**Discussion/ Q&A**

**15.10 Panel Discussion II – Real actions and aspirations: What's going on in cities?**

**Chair:** Kimmo Tiilikainen, **Minister of Agriculture and the Environment, Finland**

- Jacek Majchrowski, **Mayor of Kraków**
- Abdeluheh Choho, **Chair, Eurocities Environment Forum, Deputy Mayor of Amsterdam**
- Boris Palmer, **Mayor of Tübingen**
- Maria Letizia Mariani, Chief Executive Officer and General Manager, **Philips Lighting Europe**
- Paul Simpson, Chief Executive Officer, **CDP**

**Discussion/ Q&A**

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#### 16.10 Panel Discussion III – Moving to 2050 – Long term plans

**Chair:** Kathleen Van Brempt **MEP**

- Isabella Lövin, **Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Climate and International Development Cooperation, Sweden**
- Carole Dieschbourg, **Minister of Environment, Luxembourg**
- Karsten Sach, Director General, **Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety, Germany**
- Julian Popov, Fellow, **European Climate Foundation**
- Geneviève Pons, Director of European Policy Office, **WWF**

**Discussion/ Q&A**

#### 17.10 Panel Discussion IV - 2017: Challenges for the year ahead

**Chair:** Jo Leinen, **MEP**

- Artur Runge-Metzger, Director, DG Climate Action, **European Commission**
- Marco Mensink, Director General, **Cefic**
- Rachel Solomon Williams, Managing Director, **Sandbag**
- Olivier Pirez, General Manager, Energy Markets Division, **3M Europe**
- Marko Pomerants, **Minister of the Environment, Estonia**

**Discussion/ Q&A**

**18.10 Closing Remarks & Next Steps:** Jill Duggan, Director, EU Green Growth Platform, The Prince of Wales's Corporate Leaders Group, **CISL**

**18.15 Drinks Reception for all participants at Bibliothèque Solvay (VIPs move to European Parliament at 18.40)**

**19.15 End of Drinks Reception**