



Transatlantic Responses to 21st Century Environmental Challenges

**TOWARDS A NEW TRANSATLANTIC ENVIRONMENT FORUM:
Second Consultative Workshop - 1 April 2019**

**Hoover Institution in Washington, The Johnson Center
1399 New York Avenue NW, Suite 500, Washington, DC 20005**

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Objectives:

- Identify and prioritise a number of key issues which could be addressed by a new Transatlantic Environment Forum
- Propose and discuss ideas for the organisation and functioning of a new Transatlantic Environment Forum

08:45-09:00 **Arrival of Participants / Welcome Coffee**

09:00-09:15 **Welcome and Introduction**

- **Alice Hill**, Research Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University / Former Special Assistant to the President and Senior Director for Resilience Policy, National Security Council, White House
- **Ernst Stetter**, Secretary General, Foundation for European Progressive Studies (FEPS)
- **Ronald A. Kingham**, Executive Director, Environment & Development Resource Centre (EDRC) / Co-Coordinator, Brussels Dialogue on Climate Diplomacy (BDCD)
- **Alexander Verbeek**, / Policy Director, Environment & Development Resource Centre (EDRC) / Founder, Institute for Planetary Security

09:15-10:45 **Key Issues in Transatlantic Environment Relations – Round 1**

Moderator: **Alexander Verbeek**, EDRC

- **Martin Nesbit** (UK), Senior Fellow and Head of Climate and Environmental Governance Programme, Institute for European Environmental Policy / Former, Director for EU and International Affairs, UK Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
- **Felix Dodds** (UK), Adjunct Professor, Water institute, University of North Carolina / Former Executive Director, Stakeholder Forum for a Sustainable Future / Author, Stakeholder Democracy: Represented Democracy in A Time of Fear (Routledge/ Earthscan, July 2019) / Co-author, Negotiating the Sustainable Development Goals (Routledge/ Earthscan 2017) / Co-author, The Water, Food, Energy and Climate Nexus: Challenges and an agenda for Action (Routledge/ Earthscan 2016)
- **Sophie Jouineau** (FR), International Relations Consultant, ITG / Former Head of the Latin American Bureau at the French Ministry of Defense / Former Political Affairs Officer, UN Mission for the Stabilisation of Haiti

- **Marcus King** (US), John O. Rankin Associate Professor of International Affairs and Director of the M.A. Program in International Affairs at George Washington University

- **Discussion**

10:45-11:15 Coffee Break

11:15-12:45 Key Issues in Transatlantic Environment Relations – Round 2

Moderator: **Alice Hill**, Hoover Institution

- **R. Andreas Kraemer** (Germany), Chairman, Ecologic Institute US / Founder, Ecologic Institute / Senior Fellow, Center for International Governance Innovation (CIGI) / Adjunct Professor, Duke University
- **Mark Ritchie** (US), President, Global Minnesota / Former Minnesota Secretary of State / Former President, Institute for Agriculture and Trade Policy
- **Luc Bas** (Belgium), European Regional Director, IUCN European Regional Office, IUCN, International Union for Conservation of Nature
- **Harris Gleckman** (US), Senior Fellow, Center on Governance and Sustainability, University of Massachusetts, Boston / Director, Benchmark Environmental Consulting / Former Chief of the Environmental Unit, UN Centre on Transnational Corporations / Former Chief, NY office, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development / Project Planning Officer, UN Financing for Development Conference / Author, Multistakeholder Governance and Democracy: A Global Challenge (Routledge, 2018)

- **Discussion**

12:45-1:30 Lunch

1:30-2:30 Parallel Working Groups – in World Café Style – 5 x 15 minutes

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| • Table 1: Participation & Organisations | Moderator: Felix Dodds |
| • Table 2: Information & Research | Moderator: Martin Nesbit |
| • Table 3: External Relations & Communications | Moderator: Alexander Verbeek |
| • Table 4: Education & Training | Moderator: Sophie Jouineau |
| • Table 5: Program & Resources | Moderator: Max Gruenig |

2:30-3:30 Closing Session

Moderator: **Alexander Verbeek**, EDRC

- Working Group Reports (5 min each)
- Conclusions and Next Steps

3:30-5:30 Free Time

**5:30-8:00 Reception and Workshop Dinner:
Restaurant Woodward Table, 1426 H St NW, Washington, DC**

