

CHANGEMENTS CLIMATIQUES : MESSAGES CLÉS DES EXPERTS DU GIEC (Climate change: key messages from IPCC experts)

The Work of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change University Outreach Event in Montreal, Quebec

Hosted by Université du Québec à Montréal
with participation of IPCC Bureau Members

September 11, 2017, 11:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM)

Local (DS-R510)
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Overview:

The science of climate change is complex and global in nature and in order to advance our understanding of the issue, continued collaboration with scientific experts from around the world is required. Canada is a strong supporter and an active participant in climate change research and assessment efforts. An outreach event such as this would provide an opportunity to learn more about the work of the IPCC, as well as engage Canadian and other world-class experts, academia and youth to further this understanding.

A key objective of this event is to present the future activities of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) until 2022 and the production of the Sixth Assessment Report (AR6), as well as the Fifth Assessment Report (AR5) findings, with a focus Canada and the region.

Target audience: Academia, students, youth groups and the research community. Policymakers at provincial and city government level, international and intergovernmental organizations, climate and disaster risk management community, business leaders and organizations, civil society organizations are also welcomed.

Provisional Programme: 11.00 – 1.30

- **Opening Session:**

- Welcome by **Jean-Philippe Waaub**, Vice-Dean of research at Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM), Faculté des sciences humaines (5 min)
- Opening remarks by **Hoesung Lee**, Chair of the IPCC (5 min)
- Remarks of appreciation by **Abdalah Mokssit**, IPCC Secretary (5 min)

- **Session Dedicated to the IPCC Finding**

- Introduction by **Moderator** – identified by host university (2 min)
- The Physical Science Basis of Climate Change: key messages of the IPCC Fifth Assessment Report and content of the Sixth Assessment Report by **Fatima Driouech**, Vice-Chair of the IPCC Working Group I (10 min)
- Climate Change Impacts and Adaptation: key messages of the IPCC Fifth Assessment Report and content of the Sixth Assessment Report by **Hans-Otto Pörtner**, Co-Chair of the IPCC Working Group II (10 min)
- Climate Change Mitigation: key messages of the IPCC Fifth Assessment Report and content of the Sixth Assessment Report by **Diána Ürge-Vorsatz**, Vice-Chair of the IPCC Working Group III (10 min)
- Perspective from a Canadian Scientist by **Greg Flato**, Vice-Chair of the IPCC Working Group I (10min)
- Question & Answer with the students (25 min)

- **Session on IPCC role and future activities**

- Introduction by **Moderator** – identified by host university (2 min)
- IPCC history, mandate, and the production of the Sixth Assessment Report by **Youba Sokona**, IPCC Vice-Chair (20 min)
- Question & Answer with the students (20 min)
- Closing remarks by **Ko Barrett**, IPCC Vice-Chair (5min)