

**The Future of Sea level Rise and Potential Response Options**  
**SROCC Special Event, Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup> (14:45-16:00)**

**Location:** IPCC Pavilion

**Short description (max 250 words):**

The Special Report on the Ocean and Cryosphere in a Changing Climate (SROCC) evaluated the potential sea level rise risk of low-lying coasts and islands at different levels of future warming. The session will discuss the sea level rise projections and risks looking over the next century and longer, and regional sea level risk extremes. The discussion will also explore the different ways to respond to rising sea levels from local to global scales, as well as ways to reduce risk and some of the barriers and enabling conditions needed for implementing response options.

Provisional Programme

Moderator: Nathali Untersell (Talanoa think and do tank)		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
5 mins	Opening Remarks and welcome	Moderator
	Speakers (presentations)	
10 mins	Erwin Lambert	Sea-level rise and Extreme Sea Level Events
10 mins	Johanna Nalau	Implementing Adaptation to SLR
	External Experts (Comments only)	
5 mins	expert commentary	Anne Merwin, Ocean Conservancy
5 mins	expert commentary	TBC
5 mins	expert commentary (business, finance)	Claudia V. Thyme, Director Emerging Markets Development
30 mins	Q&A session	All

	Closing Remarks/Summary	Moderator
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