

The Role of Indigenous Knowledge from a Human Rights Perspective

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Short description:

Indigenous peoples experience some of the most severe impacts of climate change on the planet. The necessity for adaptation has led to innovative, Indigenous-led actions including the stewardship of carbon rich peatlands. Indigenous leaders and youth will share their experiences with climate action. Indigenous peoples find themselves on the frontlines of climate change. This moderated panel will feature indigenous leaders who face major ecological and societal disruption due to a changing climate, and will explore ways that these leaders are bringing their people's knowledge to develop the solutions needed in a climate-altered world.

Provisional Programme

Moderator: Nigel Crawhall, UNESCO		
Time	Description	Speaker
11:30-11:35	Welcome/Introduction	Moderator
11:35-1:00	Moderated Discussion & Audience Q&A	Thelma Krug, IPCC Vice Chair Joanna MacDonald, SROCC Author Doris Saez (University of Chile) Ciro Colombara (Inter-American Court of Human Rights) Juan Antonio Correa Calfin Lafkenche Marcos Terena e hija Tayli Terena

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