



XLIV MIT GLOBAL CHANGE FORUM

GLOBAL NET ZERO EMISSIONS GOALS: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

MARCH 22-24, 2022

MIT SAMBERG CONFERENCE CENTER - 50, MEMORIAL DRIVE, CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

SPONSOR AGENDA

Tuesday, March 22, 2022

14:00 – 17:00	<i>Sponsor Meeting</i>	MIT Samberg Conference Center – Cambridge, MA
17:15 – 18:30	<i>Reception</i>	Marriott Hotel Concept Foyer – Cambridge, MA
18:30 – 20:30	<i>Sponsor Dinner</i>	Marriott Hotel Concept – Cambridge, MA

Wednesday, March 23, 2022

All meeting sessions and coffee breaks will at Samberg Conference Center on the 7th floor, 50 Memorial Drive, Cambridge, MA.

08:15 – 08:45 Registration & Light Breakfast

08:45 – 9:00 Opening Remarks: **Ronald G. Prinn**, Director, MIT Joint Program

9:00 – 10:30 **SESSION ONE – Carbon Budgets**

*Presenter: **Adam Schlosser**, Deputy Director and Senior Research Scientist, MIT Joint Program*

*Presenter: **Joeri Rogelj**, Director of Research, Grantham Institute, Imperial College London*

*Moderator: **Anne Slinn**, Executive Director for Research, MIT Joint Program*

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30 **SESSION TWO – Decarbonizing Energy & Industry**

*Presenter: **Sergey Paltsev**, Deputy Director and Senior Research Scientist, MIT Joint Program*

*Presenter: **Araceli Fernandez**, Energy Analyst, International Energy Agency*

*Moderator: **Mei Yuan**, Research Scientist, MIT Joint Program*

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 **SESSION THREE – Nature-Based Solutions**

*Presenter: **Angelo Gurgel**, Research Scientist, MIT Joint Program*

*Presenter: **Suzi Kerr**, Chief Economist, Environmental Defense Fund*

*Moderator: **Horacio Capera**n, Executive Director of External Affairs, MIT Joint Program*

15:30 – 16:00 Break

16:00 – 17:30 **SESSION FOUR – Climate and Health**

*Presenter: **Noelle Selin**, Professor, MIT Institute for Data, Systems and Society (IDSS), and MIT Department of Earth, Atmospheric and Planetary Sciences (EAPS)*

*Presenter: **Pallavi Pant**, Senior Staff Scientist, Health Effects Institute*

*Moderator: **Adam Schlosser**, Deputy Director and Senior Research Scientist, MIT Joint Program*

17:30 – 18:30 Reception

18:30 – 20:30 **DINNER & KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

*Speaker: **Richard Lester**, Professor and Associate Provost, Massachusetts Institute of Technology*

Thursday, March 24, 2022

08:00 – 08:30 Registration & Light Breakfast

08:30 – 10:00 **SESSION FIVE – Negative Emission Technologies**

*Presenter: **Jennifer Morris**, Research Scientist, MIT Joint Program*

*Presenter: **Niall Mac Dowell**, Professor, Centre for Environmental Policy, Imperial College London*

*Moderator: **Sergey Paltsev**, Deputy Director and Senior Research Scientist, MIT Joint Program*

10:00 – 10:30 Break

10:30 – 12:30 **SESSION SIX – [PANEL] Policy Session on the Path Forward**

*Panelist: **John Reilly**, Co-Director Emeritus, MIT Joint Program*

*Panelist: **Michael Mehling**, Deputy Director, MIT Center for Energy & Environmental Policy Research*

*Panelist: **Ana Unruh Cohen**, Staff Director, The U.S. House Select Committee on the Climate Crisis (invited)*

*Panelist: **Kathleen Theoharides**, Secretary, Executive Office of Energy & Environmental Affairs, Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

*Moderator: **Henry Jacoby**, Professor Emeritus, MIT Sloan School of Management*

12:30 CLOSING REMARKS: **Ronald Prinn**, Director, MIT Joint Program

12:45 Adjourn

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