

Changemakers Open Events

Monday (14th October) Understanding Climate Risk

13:45 - 16:00 **Understanding Climate Risks Lectures**

Venue: The Auditorium (112 A/B)

- 13:45 - 14:45 • **Dr. Sarah Feron**, Assistant Professor of Climate Change and Energy Transition at Campus Fryslân: The impacts of extreme weather and climate extremes.
- 15.00 - 16:00 • **Dr. Raul Cordero Carrasco**, Assistant Professor of Climate Change and Energy Transition at Campus Fryslân: Climate data in addressing climate risk

Thursday (17th October) Actionable Strategies for Implementation

09:20 - 09:30 **Overview of the Day's Goals and Agenda**

Venue: The Auditorium (112 A/B)

GCA team, Infrastructure and Nbs Program

09:30 - 10:45 **Financing Adaptation and the Case for Nature-based solutions**

- **Aikaterina Myserli**, Senior Program Officer, Infrastructure & Nbs, GCA

11:00 - 12:00 **Advancing Infrastructure Systems Resilience in Africa: A Case Study of AAAP's Natural-Based Solutions**

- **Ms. Edith Ofwona Adera**, Lead Coordinator, AAAP and Regional Principal Officer, African Development Bank.
- **Mr. Aliou Diouf**, AAAP Secretariat, African Development Bank.

12:00 - 12:45 **Lunch**

12:45 - 13:00 **Signing Ceremony for Launch of the Dual Doctoral Degree**

13:00 - 14:00 **Ban Ki-moon Chair of Climate Adaptation Governance Yearly Lecture "Bridging the Finance Gap: Climate Adaptation in a Multipolar World"**

- **Professor Patrick Verkooijen**, Ban Ki-moon Chair on Climate Adaptation Governance RUG, CEO of Global Centre on Adaptation.

14:00 - 14:15 **Awarding Op-Ed Competition Winner**

14:15 - 14:45 **Social Break**

15:15 - 16:30 **Youth Adaptation Action Day Celebration**

Venue: Room 0232/0236

- **Adriana Valenzuela**, Youth Leadership and Education Officer, GCA: The outcomes of the Youth Climate Adaptation Action Day.
- Honoring Youth Climate Adaptation Action Day – Student Reflections

