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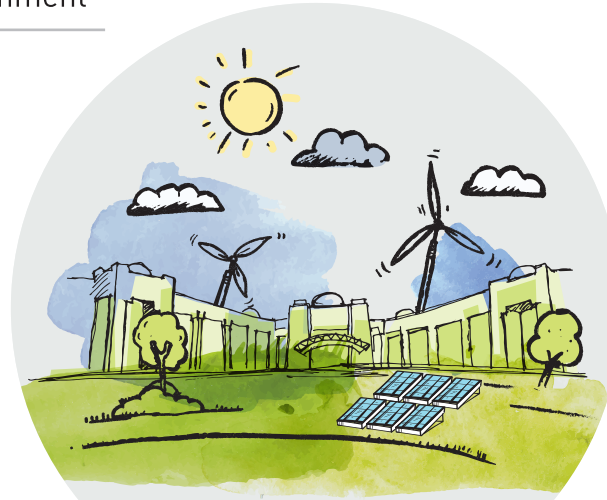
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April 26th, 2023



09:00 AM - 05:30 PM



Sheikh Zayed Center for Conferences
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| Time | Description | Speakers |
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| 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM | Registration and Networking | |
| 9:30 AM - 9:45 AM | Opening Speech | Dr. Karim Seghir Chancellor of Ajman University |
| 9:45 AM - 10:15 AM | Keynote Speakers Session | Keynote 1: H.E. Razan Khalifa Al Mubarak , IUCN President/ Managing Director, MBZ Fund/ UN Climate Change High-Level Champion for COP28 Keynote 2: H.E. Eng. Essa Al Hashmi , Assistant Undersecretary, Sustainable Communities Sector - Acting Assistant Undersecretary, Green Development & Climate Change Sector - Ministry of Climate Change and Environment Keynote 3: Eng. Mohamed Al Hosani , Chief Sustainability Officer- BEEAH |
| 10:20 AM - 11:10 AM | Panel Discussion 1: Role of Higher Education Institutions in promoting UN Sustainable Development Goals | Moderator: Mr. Saif Awadh (Associate Development Coordination Officer & Youth Portfolio Lead -United Nations Resident Coordinator Office (UN RCO) in the UAE) Panelist 1: HH Sheikh Dr. Abdulaziz Al Nuaimi (Green Sheikh) Panelist 2: Dr. Richard Perry (Advisor-Environment Agency Abu Dhabi) Panelist 3: Dr. Dima Jamali (Dean of the College of Business Administration -University of Sharjah) Panelist 4: Dr. Rahaf Ajaj (Assistant Professor – Environment Health and Safety - Abu Dhabi University and UAE Chapter Leader – Women in Renewable Energy (WiRE) Canada) Panelist 5: Mr. Khamis Almazrouei (Operations Manager- Sharjah National Oil Corporation) |
| 11:10 AM - 11:30 AM | Coffee Break | |
| 11:30 AM - 11:50 AM | Presentation 1: Future of green jobs in Race to Net Zero: focus on circular economy and zero waste in UAE | Presenter: Dr. Eng. Hani Hosni Expert in Environmental Sustainability |

Event Program



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| 11:50 AM - 12:20 PM | Interactive Session: Achieving Sustainable Development Goals through collaborative synergies and digitization | Presenter: Ms. Rana Hajirasouli (CEO/Founder-The Surpluss) |
| 12:25 PM - 1:15 PM | Panel Discussion 2: Raising the climate capacity, mobility and sustainability in the region | Moderator: Dr. Dalia Hafez (Assistant Professor, College of Architecture, Art and Design - Ajman University) Panelist 1: Mr. Hassaan Ghazali (Senior Manager - UAE Independent Climate Change Accelerators) Panelist 2: Mrs. Yasmine Berbir (Head of Sustainability MENA-Nestlé Middle East FZE) Panelist 3: Ms. Jamila El Mir (Senior Advisor to the UN Climate Change High-Level Champion-COP28 Presidency) Panelist 4: Ms. Rawad Barazanji (Process Engineer and Process Safety Team Leader- Sharjah National Oil Corporation) Panelist 5: Mr. Matt Doran (MENA Regional Hub Manager -The Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB)) |
| 1:20 PM - 2:00 PM | Roundtable Discussion 1: A 360° review of nature-based solutions for climate and biodiversity in the UAE | Moderator: Dr. Lucy Semerjian (Associate Professor and Chair of Department of Environmental Health Sciences - University of Sharjah) Speaker 1: HE Laila Mostafa Abdullatif (Director General Emirates Nature-WWF) Speaker 2: Dr. Adnan Aziz (Professor of Practice, College of Business Administration -Ajman University) Speaker 3: Mr. George Saad (CEO -ALZORAH) Speaker 4: Ms. Shaemma Rashed Mebwana (Climate Change Analyst - Ministry of Climate Change and Environment) |
| 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM | Lunch Break | |
| 3:00 PM - 3:20 PM | Presentation 2: Research in healthy buildings and indoor air quality | Presenter: Mr. Taher Al Danaf Head of Interior Design Lecturer, College of Architecture, Art and Design |
| 3:20 PM - 3:45 PM | Presentation 3: The role of energy efficiency in achieving net zero targets | Presenter : Mr. Majd Fayyad DSM Strategy & Policy Lead -Dubai Supreme Council of Energy |

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| 3:50 PM - 4:30 PM | Panel Discussion 3: Renewable energy future between academia and industry | <p>Moderator: Dr. Rahaf Ajaj (Assistant Professor – Environment Health and Safety - Abu Dhabi University and UAE Chapter Leader – Women in Renewable Energy (WiRE) Canada)</p> <p>Panelist 1: Dr. Ahmed Awan (Associate Professor, College of Engineering and IT- Ajman University)</p> <p>Panelist 2: Mr. Ashley Bryan (Operations Director -Emirates RDF)</p> <p>Panelist 3: Mr. Musbah Abu Jarad (Executive Director, Integrated Facility Management, Handover & Sustainability -Provis Estate Management)</p> <p>Panelist 4: Ms. Dina Epifanova (Global Head of Sustainability - IFFCO)</p> |
| 4:35 PM - 5:25 PM | Roundtable Discussion 2: Youth empowerment towards COP28 and a more sustainable future | <p>Moderator: Ms. Maya Haddad (Sustainability Manager - Ajman University)</p> <p>Speaker 1: Mr. Rabi Al Khofash (Chief Operating Officer -Ajman University)</p> <p>Speaker 2: Prof Imad Alsyouf (Director of Sustainability- University of Sharjah)</p> <p>Speaker 3: Ms. Emily Stott (Research Coordinator - Nature Positive Universities (UNEP)- University of Oxford)</p> <p>Speaker 4: Ms. Hind Al Huwaidi (Managing Director – BEEAH Education)</p> <p>Speaker 5: Mr. Antonios Vouloudis (Director of Sustainability & Stewardship-New York University Abu Dhabi)</p> <p>Speaker 6: Ms. Obiajulu Tawose (HSE Lead-Sharjah National Oil Corporation)</p> |
| 5:25 PM - 5:30 PM | | Closing Remarks |

The Workshop of Sustainable Nudges

Location: CCEE Halls 1-2-3

Date: 26-4-2023

Audience: AU students, students from other universities and High school students

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| 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM | Presenter: Ms. Fatima Humaid Alsuwaidi | BEEAH |
| 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM | Student Research in Sustainability | Ajman University |

Keynote Speakers



H.E. Razan Khalifa Al Mubarak
High-Level Climate Action Champion, UNFCCC's COP28



HE. Eng. Essa Alhashmi
Assistant Undersecretary, Sustainable Communities Sector-Acting Assistant
Undersecretary, Green Development & Climate Change Sector
Ministry of Climate Change and Environment



Eng. Mohamed Alhosani
Chief Sustainability Officer
BEEAH Group

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HH Sheikh Dr. Abdulaziz Al Nuaimi
(Green Sheikh)



HE Laila Mostafa Abdullatif
Director General - Emirates Nature-WWF



Mr. Rabi Al Khofash
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Mr. Hassaan Ghazali
Senior Manager of Investment & Finance
UAE's Independent Climate Change
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Mr. Majd Fayyad
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Dubai Supreme Council of Energy



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Mrs. Yasmine Berbir
Head of Sustainability
MENA at Nestlé Middle East FZE



Dr. Richard John O'Brien Perry
Advisor
Environmental Agency, Abu Dhabi



Mr. Saif Awadh
Associate Development Coordination Officer
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Coordinator Office (UN RCO) in the UAE

Speakers



Dr. Eng. Hani Hossni
Expert in Environmental Sustainability



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Organization: Operations Director - Emirates RDF /
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Professor of Practice, College of Business
Administration / Director, AU Centre for
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Ms. Fatima Humaid Alsuwaidi

Specialist
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