

Agenda
Nexus 2014: Water, Food, Climate and Energy Conference
March 5-8, 2014
Chapel Hill, North Carolina



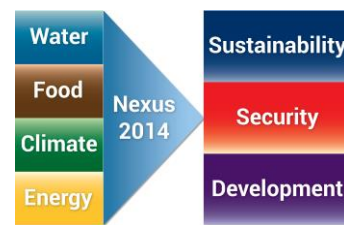
Wednesday, March 5

- 12:30pm Registration Opens
- 1:00-5:30pm **SIDE EVENTS**
- 5:45-7:00pm **PLENARY- Learning from the Past, Building a New Future: Nexus Scientific Research**
Chair: Jamie Bartram, Director of the Water Institute at UNC
Panelists:
Prof Joachim von Braun, Director, Center for Development Research (ZEF), University of Bonn
Lidia Brito, Director of Science Policy and Capacity Building for Natural Sciences, UNESCO and co-director of the Planet Under Pressure Conference and former Mozambique Minister
Johan Kuypenstierna, Executive Director, Stockholm Environment Institute
Josh Tewksbury, Director Luc Hoffmann Institute
- 7:00-8:00pm **OPENING RECEPTION- From Bonn Nexus to Chapel Hill via Rio+20**
With remarks from *Albert Butare*, co-chair of the 2011 Bonn Nexus Conference and former Minister of Energy and Water in the Republic of Rwanda and *Felix Dodds*, Co-Director of the Conference and Associate Fellow of the Tellus Institute

Thursday, March 6

- 7:30am Registration Opens
- 8:00-8:30am Continental Breakfast
- 8:30-9:30am **OPENING SESSION and SPEAKER:**
Paula Caballero Gomez, Director of the Directorate for Economic, Social and Environmental Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Colombia – The SDG Dashboard
- 9:30-10:45am **PLENARY- Natural Resource Security for People: Water, Food and Energy**
Chair: Mohamed Khalil, Counsellor, Mission of Egypt to the UN
Panelists:
Anders Berntell, Executive Director 2030 Water Resources Group / IFC
Ania Grobicki, Executive Secretary, Global Water Partnership
Sylvia Lee, Manager Water at Skoll Global Threats
Greg Koch, Director of Global Water Stewardship in the Environment & Water Resources Department, The Coca-Cola Company
- 10:45-11:00am Break
- 11:00am-12:30pm **VERBAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS**
- 12:30-1:30pm Lunch

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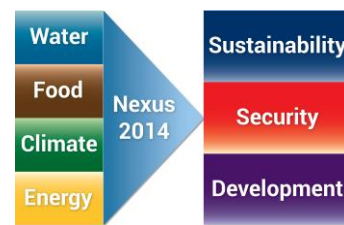


- 12:45-1:30pm Additional Program- **Empowering Social and Environmentalism Entrepreneurs for Nexus Solutions**
Chair: Jean Brittingham, CEO, Katerva and former US Director for the Prince of Wales
Panelists:
Aneri Patel, Senior Associate, Energy Access at the United Nations Foundation
David Rothschild, Principal of the Portfolio Team, Skoll Foundation
- 1:30-3:00pm **PLENARY- Nexus Corporate Stewardship: How Business is Improving Resource Use**
Chair: Katherine Teh-White, Managing Director, Futureye
Panelists:
Gary Lawrence, Vice President AECOM
Stuart Orr, Head of Water Stewardship WWF International
Dan Bena, Senior Director of Sustainability at PepsiCo
Kim Marotta, Director of Sustainability, MillerCoors
Puvan Selvanathan, Head of Sustainable Agriculture at the UN Global Compact
- 3:00-3:30pm Break
- 3:30-5:00pm **VERBAL ABSTRACT PRESENTATIONS**
- 5:00-6:30pm Poster Reception
- 6:30-8:00pm Conference Dinner

Friday, March 7

- 7:30am Registration
- 8:00-8:45am Continental Breakfast
- 9:00-10:30am **PLENARY- Nexus Perspectives: Water, Food and Climate**
Chair: Olav Kjørven, Special Advisor on the Post-2015 Development Agenda, UNDP
Panelists:
Alexander Müller, Senior Fellow, Institute for Advanced Sustainability Studies, Potsdam Germany
Julie van der Blik, Adviser Program and Business Development, International Water Management Institute
Iain MacGillivray, Special Advisor to the President, International Fund for Agricultural Development
Astrid Hillers, Senior Environmental Specialist, Global Environment Facility
Jesse Hirsch, Staff Writer, Modern Farmer
- 10:30-11:00am Break

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1:30-3:00pm **PLENARY- Nexus Perspectives: Water, Energy and Climate**

Chair: Johan Kuylenstierna, Executive Director, Stockholm Environment Institute

Panelists:

Frank Wouters, Deputy Director-General of International Renewable Energy Agency

Jonas Monast, Director of Climate and Energy Program at the Nicholas Institute, Duke University

Liz Thompson, UN Assistant Secretary General for Rio+20 and former Barbados Energy Minister

Jens Berggren, Director, Stockholm International Water Institute

Anna Delgado, Technical Specialist, Water Unit, World Bank

3:00-3:30pm Break

3:30-5:00pm **SIDE EVENTS**

5:00-6:30pm Open Reception

5:30-6:30pm Directors' Reception

Saturday, March 8

7:30am Registration

8:00-8:45am Continental breakfast

9:00-10:30am **PLENARY- Urban Challenges of the Nexus: Local and Global Perspectives**

Chair: Jorge Laguna-Celis, Senior Sustainable Development Advisor to the President of the UN General Assembly

Panelists:

Maruxa Cardama, Executive Project Coordinator Communitas, Coalition for Sustainable Cities and Regions in the new UN Development Agenda

Michael Schmitz, Executive Director ICLEI-Local Governments for Sustainability USA

Nicholas You, Chairman UN-Habitat World Urban Campaign Steering Committee

Yamina Djacta, Director, New York Office, United Nations Human Settlement Programme

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1:30-3:30pm	PLENARY- Financing the Nexus: Policy and Practice <i>Chair: Farrukh Iqbal Khan</i> Counsellor, Pakistan Mission to the UN <i>Panelists:</i> <i>Adeline Diab</i> , Head of Responsible Investment Integration, AVIVA Global Investors <i>Richard Alex Roehrl</i> , Policy Analyst, UNDESA <i>Andre Laperriere</i> , Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Global Environment Facility
2:30-2:45pm	Break
2:45-4:15pm	PLENARY- Closing Session Presentation of the Declaration Felix Dodds , Co-Director of the Conference and Associate Fellow, Tellus Institute Jamie Bartram , Co-Director of the Conference and Director, Water Institute at UNC