



Keep it Cool: Climate Change Education Project

Symposium: 2nd and 3rd August 2022

Kopanong Hotel

2 August 2022: Climate Change Education Dialogues: Reflections from the Keep it Cool: Climate Change Education Project	
09h00	Registration and Tea
10h00	<p>Programme Director: Mr Buyani Zwane</p> <p>Opening Session:</p> <p>Welcome: Dr Geraldine Reymenants (Diplomatic Representative of Flanders, Embassy of Belgium)</p> <p>Opening Remarks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr Phillip Dikgomo (Director: Teacher Development Programmes - DBE)• Mr Thomas Mathiba (Director: Sector Education Training and Development - DFFE)• Mr Mukwevho (Secretary-General: UNESCO: SA National Commission)• Dr Wilfried Theunis (VVOB Country Programmes Manager)
Video: Keep it cool: Climate Change Education Project	
11h00	<p>Keynote: Locating Climate Change Education in South Africa: A Reflective Journey:</p> <p>Dr Presha Ramsarup (Director Wits: Researching Education and Labour) Real Centre and EEASA President</p>

12h00	The Learning Café – networking/sharing and hosting conversations: Shanu Misser (National Fundisa for Change Coordinator)		
13h00	Lunch		
14h00	Roundtable Discussions Reflective dialogue on insights and experiences from the KIC project		
	Workshop Session 1: Chair: Vivian Malema	Workshop Session 2: Chair: Shanu Misser	Workshop Session 3 Chair: Chantal Snyman / Kgomotso Thomas
	Title: Reflective dialogue on insights from experiences of research and Climate Change Education	Title: Curriculum, Pedagogical approaches and resources	Title: Leading Climate Change in Education: Lessons from Schools and Universities
	Preliminary Insights from the Comparative Research Team: Professor Rob O' Donoghue and Dr Lebona Nkhahle		
	Insights from experiences: University of Zululand: Professor Samantha Govender	Insights on Climate Change Education and the Curriculum Assoc. Prof I Schudel	Insights on Climate Change Education leadership: University of Fort Hare: Professor Mavuso
	Insights from experiences University of Venda: Professor Takalani Mashau	Insights about Pedagogical Experiences in local contexts: Teacher Experiences: Mr Jon Allen / Mr Nemalamangwa	Insights on Climate Change Education: School leadership perspectives: Dr Sikhakhane
Insights from experiences: University of KwaZulu Natal: Dr Angela James	Insights about curriculum activated climate change projects in Professional Learning Communities Mr Sebastian Sanjigadu/Dr Arorisoe Sibanda	Insights on teachers' roles in leading Climate Change in education: Teacher perspectives: Ms Betty Mmema	

	Insights from experiences: University of Fort Hare: Dr Xolani Khalo	Insights on pedagogical approaches and materials on Climate Change to support School Leadership teams. Mrs LS Raliphada	Insights from the WESSA: Eco-schools programme: curriculum activated climate change projects. Ms Cindy Lee Cloete
15h30	Tea		
16h00 17h00	<p>Plenary: Chair Ms Palesa Tyobeka (UNESCO - SA: Education Sector Committee Chairperson)</p> <p>What are challenges and opportunities for mainstreaming Climate Change in Education:</p> <p>Ms Maureen Keitumetse Modiba (DBE), Ms. Michelle Mathey (DHET), Mr. Pandelani Dzhugudzha (DFFE), Prof Samantha Govender (Unizulu), Shanu Misser (National Coordinator Fundisa for Change), Henre Benson (CASME), Mr Haruna (Principal), Zinziswa Kagaro (Teacher), Rudzani Matamela (Teacher), Prof Mavuso (University of Fort Hare)</p> <p>Reflections on Climate Change in Schooling (Curriculum/ Teacher Professional Development)/ textbooks/ special projects)</p> <p>Reflections on Climate Change in Higher Education (Curriculum and Teacher Educator Professional Development/ Teacher Competencies and Teacher education qualifications)</p>		
	Way forward and Summation of the Day		
18h00	<p>Dinner Mzansi Style: Thandeka Mtobi (VVOB) and Kgomotso Thomas (GreenMatter)</p> <p>Mr. Nikolas Bosscher (Deputy Diplomatic Representative of Flanders, Embassy of Belgium): Overview of the cooperation between SA and Flanders on climate change adaptation and the green economy.</p> <p>Susan Brundrit (University of Cape Town): Launch of the digital library.</p> <p>Mr Buyani Zwane: Insights on developing the Communities of Practice for Climate Change Education – Focussing the gaze.</p> <p>Dress: Smart Casual or Cultural</p>		



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3 rd August 2022: Reimagining Climate Change (in) Education: An imperative we need for the future we want	
09h00	<p>Welcome: Mr Buyani Zwane</p> <p>Opening Remarks: South African National Biodiversity Institute: Ms Carmel Mbizvo (Head of Branch: Biodiversity Science and Policy Advice)</p> <p>Mr S. Zungu (Deputy Director General --TVET): Department of Higher Education</p> <p>Dr Henry Roman (Director: Environmental Services and Technologies) Department of Science and Innovation</p>
09h30	<p>Keynote: Climate Change and a Just Transition. What is the role of education? What role can education play in the Climate Change Responses in achieving the just transition:</p> <p>Distinguished Professor Heila Lotz-Sisitka (Rhodes University)</p>
10h00	Innovations towards developing a system for upscaling ESD and CCE. (Distinguished Prof Heila Lotz-Sisitka)
10h30	Tea
11h15	<p>Reflecting and analysing system level changes in education towards the countries development pathway:</p> <p>Engaging the Policy and Practice Landscape in South Africa: Ms Mapula Tshangela (Director: Climate Change Mitigation Sector Plan Implementation - DFFE)</p> <p>The Global Change Research Programme: Ms Kogilam Govender (Deputy Director: Global Change and Sustainability: DSI)</p>

12h00	<p>Workshop 1: Chair: Ms Michelle Mathey (DHET) / Distinguished Prof Heila – Lotz Sisitka</p> <p>Reflecting on people joining hands in Communities Of Practice.</p> <p>Supporting Institutional Change in Education contexts.</p>	<p>Workshop 2: Chair: Lefoka Letlhogonolo (DHET) / Ms Vivian Malema (SANBI)</p> <p>What changes, systems and processes are needed to strengthen intersectoral collaborations?</p>	<p>Workshop 3: Chair: Ms Keitumetse Maureen Modiba (DBE) / Mr Pandelani Dzhugudzha (DFFE)</p> <p>Leverage points for systemic transformation and change.</p>
13h00	Lunch		
14h00	<p>Plenary: Supporting Agile Communities of Practice for Strategic Advantage in Climate Change Education Chair: Ms Shanu Misser</p> <p>Report back from the workshops with recommendations on actions for the roadmap.</p> <p>Synthesizing and Framing an “Action orientated roadmap for Climate Change in Education”.</p> <p>Distinguished Prof Heila Lotz-Sisitka (Rhodes University)</p>		
15h00	<p>Final Way forward: Programme Director: Mr Buyani Zwane</p> <p>Vote of thanks and Closure of the sessions: Dr Wilfried Theunis</p>		

Programme subject to change