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Accelerating climate action in tourism: The Glasgow Declaration

Information Sessions

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The Glasgow Declaration aims to catalyse an acceleration of climate action across travel and tourism during the COVID-19 recovery and beyond. It defines a clear and consistent sector-wide message and approach to climate action in the coming decade, aligned with the wider scientific framework and urgency to act now.

In advance of the Glasgow Declaration's official launch at COP26 this November, these two information sessions will explore the Declaration's background, its purpose and the pathways proposed to accelerate tourism's ability to transform and achieve Net Zero.

Morning Session: 10:00 CEST

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Welcome: Elisa Tonda, Head, Consumption and Production Unit, UN Environment Programme (UNEP)

The Way to Glasgow: Niclas Svenningsen, Manager, Global Climate Action, UN Climate Change (UNFCCC)

Panellists:

- Janie Neumann, Sustainable Tourism Manager, Visit Scotland
- Sven Wiltink, Director Responsible Business EMEA, Radisson Hotel Group
- Darrell Wade, Co-Founder & Chairman, Intrepid Travel
- Christopher Cocker, CEO, Pacific Tourism Organisation (SPTO)
- Tim Fairhurst, Secretary General, European Tourism Association (ETOA)

Moderator: Virginia Fernandez-Trapa, Programme Officer, Sustainable Development of Tourism, World Tourism Organization (UNWTO)

Afternoon Session: 17:00 CEST

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Welcome: Dr. Dirk Glaesser, Director, Sustainable Development of Tourism, World Tourism Organization (UNWTO)

The Way to Glasgow: Niclas Svenningsen, Manager, Global Climate Action, UN Climate Change (UNFCCC)

Panellists:

- Shannon Guihan, Chief, TreadRight & Sustainability Officer, The Travel Corporation (TTC)
- José Koechlin, Founder & CEO, Inkaterra
- Dr. Delphine Malleret King, CEO, The Long Run
- Christine Young, Board Member, Caribbean Alliance for Sustainable Tourism (CAST) Caribbean Hotel and Tourism Association (CHTA)
- Arica Sears, Deputy Director, Oregon Coast Visitors Association

Moderator: Jeremy Sampson, CEO, The Travel Foundation

