

# Climate Adaptation Summit

## The Resilient Infrastructure Opportunity



26<sup>th</sup> January 2021 | 9:30 to 11:30 (CET)



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The **Climate Adaptation Summit 2021** is an online global conference to accelerate, innovate and scale up the world's efforts in adapting our societies and economies to the inevitable effects of climate change over the coming decade.

The **Infrastructure Anchoring Event** will promote opportunities to enhance people's climate resilience through infrastructure. It will also showcase good practices and stimulate discussions on the way forward to make climate resilience the norm for infrastructure

### Co-hosted by:



**Cora van Nieuwenhuizen**

Minister of Infrastructure and Water Management of the Netherlands



**Shemara Wikramanayake**

CEO, Macquarie Group

### Agenda

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| 9:30  | <b>Welcome Remarks</b>  | <b>Cora van Nieuwenhuizen</b> , Minister of Infrastructure and Water Management of the Netherlands  |
| 9:35  | <b>Fireside Chat</b>  | <b>Shemara Wikramanayake</b> , CEO, Macquarie Group<br><b>Makhtar Diop</b> , Vice President Infrastructure, World Bank  |
| 9:50  | <b>Panel – Infrastructure We Have</b><br>Leadership by the public and private sector to enhance resilience of existing assets                   | <b>Dick Benschop</b> , President & CEO, Royal Schiphol Group<br><b>Lawrence Slade</b> , CEO, Global Infrastructure Investors Association<br><b>Preeti Bhandari</b> , Chief of Climate Change and Disaster Risk Management, Asian Development Bank<br><b>Shemara Wikramanayake</b> , CEO, Macquarie Group  |
| 10:20 | <b>Panel – Infrastructure We Need</b><br>Mobilizing infrastructure investment to fill the resilience gap.                                       | <b>Ambroise Fayolle</b> , Vice-President, European Investment Bank<br><b>Jennifer Morris</b> , CEO, The Nature Conservancy<br><b>Martina Cheung</b> , President, S&P Global Market Intelligence<br><b>Mekala Krishnan</b> , Partner, McKinsey Global Institute  |
| 10:50 | <b>Panel – Achieving Resilient Infrastructure Systems</b><br>Transformational approaches to strengthen the resilience of infrastructure systems | <b>Patrick Verkooijen</b> , CEO, Global Center on Adaptation<br><b>Kwabena Frimpong-Boateng</b> , Minister of Environment, Science, Technology and Innovation of Ghana<br><b>Grete Faremo</b> , Under-Secretary-General and ED, UNOPS<br><b>Yannick Glemarec</b> , Executive Director, Green Climate Fund<br><b>Solomon Quaynor</b> , Vice-President, Private Sector, Infrastructure and Industrialization, African Development Bank<br><b>Abul Kalam Azad</b> , PM's Special Envoy to the Climate Vulnerable Forum |