



## Symposium the Governance of Adaptation, 22-23 March 2012, Amsterdam

### Theme - The modes of governance and available instruments

*Chair: S. Hughes, National Center for Atmospheric Research, USA*

Are we adapting to climate change: Approaches for tracking adaptation action

*J. D. Ford, L. Berrang-Ford, A. Lesnikowski*

*McGill University, Canada*

22 March  
13:30-15:15  
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Viewing policy through a 'climate lens'? Evolving climate policy 'mainstreaming' practice in the European Commission

*T. Rayner*

*Tyndall Centre for Climate Change Research, UK*

The governance of climate change adaptation in ten OECD countries: challenges and approaches

*A. Bauer, J. Feichtinger, R. Steurer*

*University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences Vienna, Austria*

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*Chair: D. Huitema, Institute for Environmental Studies – VU Amsterdam, Netherlands*

Enabling adaptation: A polycentric institutional approach

*E. Boyd, B. Kjellen*

*University of Reading, UK*

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Analytical Framework for Analyzing Adaptation in Social-Ecological Systems

*M. Jain*

*Columbia University, USA*

Governing water resources adaptively: strengths and weaknesses of current water governance concepts

*E. Herrfahrdt-Pähle*

*German Development Institute, Germany*

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*Chair: F. Berkhout, Institute for Environmental Studies - VU Amsterdam, Netherlands*

Towards a legal framework for coastal adaptation: Assessing the first steps in Europe and Australia

*J. Verschuuren, J. McDonald*

*Tilburg Sustainability Center, Netherlands*

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Climate change adaptation in practice: lessons from two coastal cities

*L. Junghans*

*Universität Trier, Germany*

When innovative adaptation strategies meet actors and institutions: Water squares in the City of Rotterdam

*G.R. Biesbroek, C.J.A.M. Termeer, J.E.M. Klostermann, P. Kabat*

*Wageningen University, Netherlands*



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*Chair: J. Jurewitz, Pomona College, USA*

The double struggle of climate policy – insights for the governance of mitigation and adaptation from an insurance perspective

*C. Heuson*

*Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research, Germany*

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Intergovernmental fiscal transfers for climate change adaptation

*S. Mumbunan*

*University of Indonesia, Indonesia*

Adaptation, governance and politics in sub-Saharan Africa

*M. Lockwood*

*Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex, UK*

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*Chair: J. Hinkel, Postdam Institute for Climate Impact Research, Germany*

Adapting adaptation: a critical governance analysis of the English eco-town initiative

*D. Tomozeiu, S. Joss*

*University of Westminster, UK*

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Social Networks, Institutional Relations and Climate change Adaptation in Greater Manchester, UK

*A. Kazmierczak, H. Knox*

*University of Manchester, UK*

Adaptation Discourses and Modes of Governance in Swiss Alpine Regions

*A. Widmer, C. Hirschi*

*Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Switzerland*

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*Chair: S. Meijerink, Radboud University Nijmegen, Netherlands*

Effective governance of climate change adaptation

*P. K. Rao*

*Rutgers University, USA*

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Priming the governance system for climate change adaptation: The application of a Social Ecological Inventory to engage actors in Niagara, Canada

*K. Pickering, J.M. Baird, R. Plummer*

*Brock University, Canada*

The Climate Adaptation Navigator as a tool for analyzing governance issues

*M. Marchand, S. Hommes*

*Deltares, Netherlands*