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Tuesday, February 1

12:30 – 2:00pm **Training Courses I**

- **Launch of Strata: Introduction and Hands-on Training of UNEP's Climate Security Data Tool for Programming and Policy Support**
Marie Schellens, United Nations Environment Programme (Belgium)

3:00 – 4:30pm **PLENARY: Opening and Welcome**

Chair: *Annika Erickson-Pearson, Head of Community Management, Geneva Peacebuilding Platform (Switzerland/United States)*

- *Carl Bruch, President, Environmental Peacebuilding Association (United States)*
- *Marie-Laure Salles, Directrice, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)*
- *Robert Jenkins, Assistant to the Administrator for the Bureau for Conflict Prevention and Stabilization, U.S Agency for International Development (United States)*
- *Erika Weinthal, Vice-President, Environmental Peacebuilding Association (United States)*
- *Silja Halle, Programme Officer, United Nations Environment Programme (Switzerland)*
- *Christian Bréthaut, Scientific Director, Geneva Water Hub, University of Geneva (Switzerland)*
- *Oli Brown, Founder, Alp Analytica (United Kingdom)*
- *Päivi Lujala, Treasurer, Environmental Peacebuilding Association (Finland)*

4:30 – 6:00pm **Poster Session and Art Exhibition**

- **Exploring Grassroots Environmental Organisation Strategies in Combating Climate Change: A Critical Synthesis**
Oshienemen Albert, Centre for Environmental Peacebuilding (United States)
- **Transboundary Waters Security and Peacebuilding**
Sedeyeh Ghoreishi (Iran)
- **Environmental Peacebuilding in Indigenous Communities**
Matthieu Guillier, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)

Please note that this agenda is a work in progress. The composition and timing of the sessions are subject to change.

- Water for Basic Needs and Social Cohesion in Conflict and After Conflict in Syria
Ahmed Haj Asaad, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Syria)
- Mitigating Conflict by Introducing Peacebuilding Tools into Indigenous Water Management Practices of the Sagarmatha (Everest) National Park, Nepal
Emily Hayes (United States)
- German Political Foundations and Track II Diplomacy – Case Study of Israel and Palestinian Territories
Jozsef Kadar, University of Haifa (Israel)
- So, De-Westernizing Environmental Peacebuilding? A Qualitative Report of Indigenous Practices in the Liptako Gourma of the Sahel
Ousseyni Kalilou, Gum Arabic Institute of Poverty Alleviation (Niger/United States)
- Wielding Water: Constraints and Opportunities of the Red Sea/Dead Sea Canal Project for Peacemaking in Israel, Palestine, and Jordan
Rebecca Katz, American University (United States)
- Forests as a Casualty of Peace: The Consequences of Conflict Cessation on Forest Loss within Colombia
Heather Needham (United Kingdom)
- Pathways for Addressing Climate-Security Risks in International Development Cooperation
Lisa Nowag, Otto-von-Guericke-University Magdeburg (Germany)
- Diverse Power Structures Inform Diverse Pathways of Valuing Water in International Freshwater Agreements in the Middle East
Erica-Lynn Porta, Oregon State University (United States)
- Exploring Cooperation Over Transboundary Wetlands: The Hamoun Wetlands, Okavango Delta, and Wadden Sea
Zoe Rosenblum, Oregon State University (United States)
- Making History – Understanding the Role of Social Leaders in the Defense of the Territory in the Putumayo
Juan Samper, Lund University (Colombia)
- The Challenges of Climate Diplomacy in Developing Countries
Felix Shihundu, University of Nairobi (Kenya)
- A Road to Geneva Retrospective: Overview and Lessons Learned
Claire Doyle, University of Michigan (United States/France)
Harriet Alice Taberner, Environmental Peacebuilding Association (Italy)
- Women and Sustainable Peace: Strengthening EcoCapabilities in the Colombian Post-conflict Territories
Stephanye Zarama Alvarado, University of Massachusetts Amherst (United States/Colombia)

Photo Exhibition

- Last Wildest Place
Jason Houston, Inaugural EnPAX Arts Fellow (United States)

4:30 – 6:00 pm **Film Screening of “Diamond Boys”**
Jaremej McMullin, University of St. Andrews (United Kingdom)

6:00 – 7:30 pm **Reconnecting!: Online Social Hour (via Remo)**

7:30 – 9:00 pm **Training Courses II**

- **Environmental Impact Assessment Tools and Environmental Peacebuilding**
Charles Kelly (United States)
- **Monitoring and Evaluation of Environmental Peacebuilding**
Amanda Woomer (United States)
Carl Bruch, Environmental Law Institute (United States)
Shehla Chowdhury, Environmental Law Institute (United States)
- **Water Conflict Management and Transformation**
Christian Bréthaut, Geneva Water Hub, University of Geneva (Switzerland)
Susanne Schmeier, IHE-Delft (Germany)
Aaron Wolf, Oregon State University (United States)
Anamika Barua, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati (India)
Léna Salamé, Geneva Water Hub (France)

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Wednesday, February 2

9:00 – 10:30am **Breakout Sessions**

Climate Change and Human Security in Asia

Chair: *Koji Sakane, Japan International Cooperation Agency (Japan)*

- **Managing Climate Fragility Risks: Integrating Assistance Approaches between Peacebuilding and Climate Change Adaptation**
Mikio Ishiwatari, The University of Tokyo (Japan)
- **Conflict, Development, and the Environment in Asia**
Brendan Howe, Ewha Womans University (South Korea)
- **Disasters, Climate Change and Population Movements in Asia: Challenges for Human Security**
Oscar A. Gómez, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University (Japan)
- **Perception of Climate (In)security in NDC Submissions**
Anselm Vogler, Institute for Peace Research and Security Policy Hamburg (Germany)

Climate Change: Conflict Driver and/or a Force for Peace?

Chair: *Martina Klimes, Stockholm International Water Institute (Sweden) (invited)*

- Climate Change, Disasters, and Conflict De-Escalation
Tobias Ide, Murdoch University (Australia)
- Projecting Long-Term Conflict Risk in Response to Climate Change: An Underappreciated Field of Inquiry?
Sophie de Bruin, PBL Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency (Netherlands)
- The Climate Security Nexus in the United Nations Security Council – Recurring Yet Contested Issue for UN Peacekeeping
Florian Lenner, University of Munich (United Kingdom)
- Coping Strategies Adopted by Refugees to Defuse their Vulnerability to Climate Change at Kakuma Refugee Camp in Turkana County, Kenya
Ben Akala, Maseno University (Kenya)

Water Management During Conflict: Connecting Experiences from Research and Praxis in the Middle East

Chair: *Gül Özerol, University of Twente (Netherlands)*

- Conceptualizing the Impacts of Armed Conflict on Local Water Management in the Middle East
Juliane Schillinger, University of Twente (Netherlands)
- Power, Politics, and Peace in the Jordan and Tigris-Euphrates River Basins
Alexandra Caplan, Oregon State University (United States)
- Ensuring Access to Essential Services during Protracted Armed Conflict
Michael Talhami, International Committee for the Red Cross (Switzerland)
- The Challenges of Iraq's Water and Environment
Salman Khairalla, Humat Dijlah (Iraq)

Environmental Damage from Conflict

Chair: *Michael Bothe, Johann Wolfgang Goethe University (Germany)*

- Assessing Environmental Impacts of Armed Conflict: The Case of Eastern Ukraine
Brendan Duprey, Narxoz University (Kazakhstan)
- Remnants of War and the UN Investigative Team to Support Domestic Efforts to Hold ISIS Accountable for War Crimes: A Bridge that Should be Used
Montserrat Abad Castelos, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid (Spain)
- Environmental Degradation as an Unprecedented Threat to Human Security in Pakistan
Bilal Aslam, University of the Punjab (Pakistan)
- Uvira, a City in Disappearance
Dominique Asanga Yamba Yamba, UNOPS (Democratic Republic of the Congo)

11:00 – 12:30 Breakout Sessions

RESILAND in Central Asia

Chair: *Paola Agostini, World Bank (Italy)*

- *Sara Mierke, Anchor Ed Schools (United States)*
- *Ben Jarihani, University of Central Asia (Iran)*
- *Boris Erg, IUCN Regional Office for Eastern Europe and Central Asia (Serbia)*
- *Byun Sangwoo, Korea Forest Service (South Korea)*

A Green Blue Deal for the Middle East

- *Gidon Bromberg, EcoPeace Middle East (Israel)*

- *Yana Abu Taleb, EcoPeace Middle East (Jordan)*
- *Nada Majdalani, EcoPeace Middle East (Palestine)*

Climate Change, Resilience, and Peace

Chair: *Swathi Veeravalli, U.S. Africa Command (United States)*

- Understanding Ecological Threats, Resilience and Peace
Steve Killelea, Institute for Economics and Peace (Australia)
- Climate Change, Food Security, and Gender Equality
Farah Hegazi, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (Sweden)
Elizabeth Seymour Smith, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (Sweden)
- Climate Change Resilience through Gender: Exploring Indigenous and Ecofeminist Critiques
Maria Martin de Almagro, University of Ghent

1:00 – 2:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Mainstreaming Environment, Conflict, and Peace

- *Wim Zwijnenburg, PAX International (Netherlands)*
- *Brittany Roser, PAX International (United States)*
- *Rene Nijenhuis, UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (Netherlands)*
- *TBD, International Committee of the Red Cross (Switzerland)*

Climate Change, Food Security, and Armed Conflict

Chair: *Lisa Dellmuth, Stockholm University (Germany/Sweden)*

- Exploring Transitory Mechanisms between Climate Shocks and Social Unrest in Eastern DRC
Chris Mahony, World Bank (United States)
- Exploring Pathways from Climate to Conflict: Evidence from Karamoja, Uganda
Nina von Uexkull, Uppsala University (Sweden)
Marco d'Errico, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (Italy)
Agnese Loy, University of Florence (Italy)
- Modeling Household Resilience to Acute Malnutrition
Ravinder Bhavnani, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)
Nina Sophia Schlager, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)
Karsten Donnay, University of Zurich (Switzerland)
- Macro-Level Predictors of Hunger and Implications of Future Climate and Societal Changes for Undernourishment until 2050
Halvard Buhaug, Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway)

The Role of Gender in Environmental Peacebuilding

Chair: *Tobias Ide, Murdoch University (Australia)*

- *Christiane Fröhlich, German Institute for Global Area Studies (Germany)*
- *Ambreen Ben-Shmuel, Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Israel)*
- *Keina Yoshida, London School of Economics*
- *Punam Yadav, University College London*
- *Marisa O. Ensor, Georgetown University (United States)*

3:00 – 4:30pm **PLENARY: Environmental Peacebuilding and Sustainable Development – The Way Forward**

Chair: *Achim Wennmann, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)*

- *Keynote: Lise Grande, United States Institute of Peace (United States)*
- *Johanna Lissinger Peitz, Ministry of the Environment/Swedish Government Offices (Sweden) (invited)*
- *H.E. Jürg Lauber, The Permanent Mission of Switzerland to the United Nations and other Organizations in Geneva (Switzerland) (invited)*
- *H.E. Nazhat Shameem Khan, The Permanent Mission of Fiji to the United Nations and other International Organisations in Geneva (Fiji) (invited)*
- *Catriona Gourlay, PeaceNexus Foundation (invited)*
- *Päivi Lujala, Environmental Peacebuilding Association (Finland)*

5:00 – 6:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Blind Spots in Environmental Security and Environmental Peacebuilding

Chair: *Daniel Abrahams, United States Agency for International Development (United States)*

- *Sharon Burke, Ecospherics (United States)*
- *Olivia Lazard, Peace in Design (Belgium)*
- *Joram Tarusarira, University of Groningen (Zimbabwe)*
- *Tracy Hart, World Bank (United States)*
- *Eliot Levine, Mercy Corps (United States)*
- *Emma Whitaker, Mercy Corps (United States)*
- *Catherine Wong, United Nations Development Programme (United Kingdom)*
- *Corey Pattison, United Nations Environment Programme (United States)*

Environmental Peacebuilding in University Programs [Education Interest Group] [R2G]

Chair: *Larry Swatuk, University of Waterloo (Canada)*

- *Noemi Zenk-Agyei, The Hague University of Applied Sciences (Ghana)*
- *Erika Weinthal, Duke University (United States)*
- *Nikola Zivkovic, Tecnológica de Monterrey (Mexico/Serbia)*
- *Bilal Aslam, University of Wisconsin (Pakistan)*
- *Zabrina Welter, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg im Breisgau (Germany) (invited)*
- *Alejandra Cely (Colombia) (invited)*

An Intergenerational Look at Transboundary Water Cooperation and Hydrodiplomacy

Chair: *Léna Salamé, Geneva Water Hub (France)*

- **Updating the International Freshwater Treaties Database: Trends and Approaches to International Water Cooperation**
Alexandra Caplan, Oregon State University (United States)
Aaron Wolf, Oregon State University (United States)
- **Multi-Scalar Peacebuilding Over Water Quality Degradation**
Alyssa Offutt, IHE Delft (Netherlands)
Susanne Schmeier, IHE Delft (Netherlands)
- **Friendship Dams: Exploring the Instrumentalization of Water in Hydropolitics via the Case of the Asi/Orontes River**
Hannah Hilbert-Wolf, University of Geneva (Switzerland)
Christian Bréthaut, University of Geneva (Switzerland)
- **Monitoring Trends in Transboundary Groundwater Agreements**

Melissa McCracken, Tufts University (United States)

Renata Bolotova, Tufts University (United States)

- Water Politics in Industrial Agriculture Landscapes: A Case Study of Buenos Aires, Costa Rica
Clara Ramin, University for Peace (Costa Rica)
Olivia Sylvester, University for Peace (Costa Rica)

Managing Climate Security Risks

Chair: *Tegan Blaine, United States Institute of Peace (United States)*

- Climate-Fragility Risks in the Philippine Bangsamoro
Laurence Delina, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Hong Kong)
- The Africa Climate Security Crisis Observatory
Frans Schapendonk, CGIAR (United Kingdom)
- Approaches to Disaster Risk Reduction in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Contexts: A Case Study of the NGO GOAL's Response to the Syria Conflict
Sonny Patel, Harvard University (United States)
- Climate Shocks and Food Resilience: Assessing the Effectiveness of Adaptation Strategies for Smallholders in sub-Saharan Africa
Tim Wegenast, University of Konstanz (Germany)

Building Peace through Cooperative, Inclusive, and Sustainable “Climate-Security” Practices

Chair: *Geoff Dabelko, Ohio University (United States)*

- Mapping Climate-Security Risks’ Opportunities for Environmental Peacebuilding: The Case of Peace Operations
Lukas Rüttinger, adelphi (Germany)
- Environmental Peacebuilding through Regional Water Cooperation: A Green Blue Deal for the Middle East
Gidon Bromberg, EcoPeace Middle East (Israel)
- Military - An Enabler of Environmental Peacebuilding
Louise van Schaik, Clingendael Institute (Netherlands)
- Security Sector Governance and Reform's (SSG/R) Role in Environmental Peacebuilding
Gabriela Manea, DCAF-Center for Security Sector Governance (Switzerland)

7:00 – 8:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Lessons in Conflict-Sensitive Conservation

Chair: *Hector Morales Munoz, ZALF (Colombia)*

- CI’s Journey to Conflict Sensitive Conservation: Golden Nuggets and Pebbles in our Shoes
Janet Edmond, Conservation International (United States)
- Findings from GEF IEO’s Evaluation of GEF Support in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Situations
Shehla Chowdhury, Environmental Law Institute (United States)
- Leveraging Geospatial Science in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Conservation Hotspots
Anupam Anand, Global Environment Facility Independent Evaluation Office (India)

Business and Environmental Peacebuilding: Opportunities and Challenges

Chair: *Tom Wilcox, Environmental Peacebuilding Association (United States)*

- From Gorilla Conservation to Peace? Environmental Peacebuilding in the Great Lakes of Africa
Matt Hanley, Lancaster University (United Kingdom)

- Extractivism and Green Extraction: Implications for Sustainable Development and Environmental Peacebuilding
Erik Post, University of British Columbia (Canada)
- REDD+ Project Design Options and Land Tenure Conflict
Thomas Murray, Yale University (United States)

Voices of Young Professionals & the Future of Environmental Peacebuilding [Young Professionals Interest Group]

Chair: *Amanda King, Wilson Center (United States)*

- *Ambreen Ben-Shmuel, Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Israel)*
- *Ratia Tekenet, United Nations Development Programme (Kenya)*
- *Tobechukwu Anuna, Pumar Network (Nigeria)*
- *Juliane Schillinger, University of Twente (Netherlands)*

“What’s Missing (and Needed)” Post COP26?: Root Causes, Human Rights and Avoiding Securitization in Climate Action and Natural Resource Management

Chair: *Maya Street, Quaker United Nations Office (Switzerland)*

- *David Boyd, UN Special Rapporteur on Human Rights and the Environment (Canada)*
- *Nick Buxton, Transnational Institute (United Kingdom)*
- *Lindsey Fielder Cook, Quaker United Nations Office (United Kingdom)*
- *TBD, Initiatives for International Dialogue, Mindanao (Philippines)*

Characterizing and Preventing the Green Resource Curse

Chair: *Jordan Dieni, Environmental Law Institute (United States)*

- Green Curses & Violent Conflicts: The Contentious Dynamics of Africa’s Green Energy Transition
Kendra Dupuy, Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway)
- Green Curses and the Persistence of Contested Sovereignty in Latin America
John-Andrew McNeish, Norwegian University of Life Sciences (United Kingdom/Norway)
- Identifying and Addressing Green Resource Curse Conflict Risks
Philippe LeBillon, University of British Columbia (Canada)
- Can Existing Governance Arrangements Prevent the Green Resource Curse? A Review of Sub-Saharan African Laws
Tracy Stein, Environmental Law Institute (United States)

Discussant: *Stacy VanDeveer, University of Massachusetts Boston (United States)*

9:00 – 10:30pm Breakout Sessions

Fragility and Resilience: What the Fragile States Index Can Tell Us About Climate Conflict

Chair: *Emily Sample, Fund for Peace (United States)*

- *Elizabeth Hume, Alliance for Peacebuilding (United States)*
- *Natalie Fiertz, Fund for Peace (United States)*
- *Patricia Taft Nasri, Fund for Peace (Tunisia)*
- *Jessica Hartog, International Alert (United Kingdom)*
- *Daniel Woodburn, Fund for Peace (United Kingdom)*
- *Wendy Wilson, Fund for Peace (United States)*

Innovations in Conceptualizing and Undertaking Environmental Peacebuilding

Chair: *Stacy VanDeveer, University of Massachusetts Boston (United States)*

- Beyond Disaster Vulnerabilities: An Empirical Investigation of the Causal Pathways Linking Conflict to Disaster Risks
Laura Peters, Oregon State University (United States)
- All of Creation: Faith and Environmental Peacebuilding
Elsa Barron, Notre Dame University (United States)
- Addressing Climate Change through Peace Education
Leonisa Ardizzone, Vassar College (United States)

Exploring the Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) and Peacebuilding Nexus

Chair: *Siad Darwish, CDA Collaborative Learning Projects (Australia)*

- *Vincenzo Bollettino, Harvard Humanitarian Initiative (United States)*
- *Langdon Greenhalgh, Global Emergency Group (United States)*
- *Elise Remling, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (Australia)*

Thursday, February 3

9:00 – 10:30am **Breakout Sessions**

Communities and Environmental Peacebuilding

Chair: *Harriet Alice Taberner, King's College London (Italy)*

- Supporting, Scaling and Sustaining Grassroots Environmental Peacebuilding Movements in Northern Kenya
Charis Enns, University of Manchester (United Kingdom)
- Community Development for Peacebuilding in Israel and Jordan
Rina Kedem, Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Israel)
Suleiman Halasah, The Arava Institute for Environmental Studies (Jordan)
- Environmental Peacebuilding in Myanmar: The Potential of Community-Based Forest Management
Flavia Eichmann, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)
- Participatory Peacebuilding: Designing and Co-creating Ecological Peace with Nature
Anna Grichting Solder, Institute for Environmental Diplomacy and Security, UVM (Switzerland)
- Culture-Sensitive and Computer-Aided Participatory Watershed Characterization and Vulnerability Assessment: Entry Point in the Sustainable Management of Watershed Resources in Conflict-Affected Areas in Mindanao, Philippines
Casimiro Olvida, Sarangani Energy Corporation (Philippines)

Environmental Peacebuilding Amidst Protracted Violence in Africa's Great Lakes Region

Chair: *Ivan Ashaba, University of Antwerp (Uganda)*

- Landscapes of Memory: Political Ecologies of Memory and Environmental Peacebuilding in Africa's Great Lakes Region
Esther Marijnen, University of Wageningen (Belgium)
David Mwambari, King's College London (Kenya)
- When Armed Groups Do Not Undermine Conservation: The Curious Case of the Itombwe Nature Reserve, Eastern DRC
Fergus Simpson, University of Antwerp (Belgium)
- Living In and Through War and Forests: Bambuti in the Okapi Wildlife Reserve in Eastern DRC

Peer Schouten, Danish Institute for International Affairs (Denmark)

- Dealing with Armed Actors in Environmental Peacebuilding
Judith Verweijen, University of Sheffield (United Kingdom)

Sustainable Land Management and Peace in Kenya: Fostering Synergies

Chair: *Alan Channer, Global EverGreening Alliance/Initiatives of Change (United Kingdom)*

- *Mukhtar Ogle, Cabinet Affairs Office, Executive Office of the President of Kenya (Kenya)*
- *Janet Jeruto, Legal Affairs, County Government of Elgeyo Marakwet (Kenya)*
- *Munini Mutuku, National Cohesion and Integration Commission (Kenya)*
- *Eileen Wakesho, Namati (Kenya)*
- *Nwukabu Abama, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Nigeria)*
- *Miranda Barker, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)*
- *Lambros Syrmos, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (United States)*

11:00 – 12:30 **Breakout Sessions**

Environment, Transitional Justice, and Peacebuilding [Africa Interest Group] [R2G]

Chair: *Fakunle John Aremu, Cedro Royal Multiventures (Nigeria)*

- *Munini Mutuku, Bosch Alumni Network (Kenya)*
- *Shamiso Mtisi, Zimbabwe Environmental Law Association (Zimbabwe)*
- Peacebuilding in the Anthropocene in the African Great Lakes Region
Daniel Ruiz, Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (Italy)

Implementation of and Compliance with the International Law Protecting the Environment in Relation to Armed Conflict [Law Interest Group]

Chairs: *Stavros Pantazopoulos, University of Helsinki (Greece)*

Britta Sjöstedt, Lund University (Sweden)

- *Marie Jacobsson, Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Former ILC Special Rapporteur on Protection of the Environment in Relation to Armed Conflict (Sweden)*
- *Daniëlla Dam-de Jong, Leiden University (Netherlands)*
- *Elizabeth Hessami, Johns Hopkins University (United States)*
- *Mara Tignino, Geneva Water Hub (Switzerland)*
- *Doug Weir, The Conflict and Environment Observatory (United Kingdom)*
- *Marja Lehto, Finnish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and ILC Special Rapporteur on Protection of the Environment in Relation to Armed Conflict (Finland) (TBC)*

1:00 – 2:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Mobilizing International Geneva for Environmental Peacebuilding

Chair: *Bruno Pozzi, United Nations Environment Programme*

- *Switzerland Permanent Representative to the United Nations (invited)*
- *Iraq Permanent Representative to the United Nations (invited)*
- *Colombia Permanent Representative to the United Nations (invited)*
- *IUCN Director General (invited)*
- *Annika Erickson-Pearson, Geneva Peacebuilding Platform (Switzerland)*

Forest Management, Conflict and Peacebuilding: Research, Practice & Policy for the Future [Forest Interest Group]

Chair: *Nora Moraga-Lewy, Conservation International (United States)*

- *Andiko Mancayo, AsM Law Office (Indonesia)*
- *Mahawa Komala, Everyday Gandhis (Liberia)*
- *Fankule John Aremu, Cedro Royal Multiventures (Nigeria)*

Environmental Peacebuilding Governance and Practices: Comparative Lessons

Chair: *Karen Hulme, University of Essex (United Kingdom)*

- **Post-Conflict Environmental Peacebuilding: Pathways to Sustainable Peace**
Fábio Reis, Centre for Social Studies of the University of Coimbra (Portugal)
- **Environment vs. Development: Analysis of the Socioeconomic and Security Effects of Two Flagship Projects in Mexico**
Nikola M. Zivkovic, Tecnológico de Monterrey (Mexico/Serbia)
- **Ecological Peace in Akagera National Park: Conflict Resolution in a More-Than-Human World**
Elaine Hsiao, Sheffield Institute for International Development (Taiwan)

Transitional Justice and Nature

Chair: *Jonathan Liljeblad, Australian National University (Australia)*

- **Peace Producing Science: Biological Expeditions in the Replacement of War**
Carolina Angel Botero, University de Los Andes (Colombia)
- **Rights of Nature in Northern Ireland: Early Stirrings in a Post-Conflict Community**
Peter Doran, Queen's University Belfast (Ireland)
- **Environmental Restorative Justice in Transitions**
Rachel Killean, Queen's University Belfast (Ireland)
- **International Solidarity and Resisting Land Grabs: A Comparative Analysis of Nonviolent Resistance to Settler Colonial Land Grabs**
Stephen Gasteyer, Michigan State University (United States)
- **Territory – A Living Victim of Armed Conflict: Critical Reflections on This Legal (Im)possibility**
Lieselotte Viaene, University Carlos III de Madrid (Spain)
- **Self-Determination, Ostrom, & Post-Conflict Prospects for Indigenous Environmental Governance in Myanmar**
Jonathan Liljeblad, Australian National University (Australia)

Securing Clean Water in Transboundary Indus, Jordan, Mekong and Amazon Basins through Science and Environmental Diplomacy

Chair: *Caitlin Waddick, Bennington College (United States)*

- *Susan Sgorbati, Bennington College (United States)*
- *Clive Lipchin, Arava Institute for Environmental Studies (Israel)*
- *Richard Friend, University of York (United Kingdom)*
- *Faiz Mohammad Fayyaz, Community Mobilization Development Organization (Pakistan)*
- *Suleiman Halasah, i.Greens (Jordan)*
- *Teerapong Pomun, Mekong Community Institute (Thailand)*
- *Bindu Panikkar, University of Vermont (United States)*
- *Maria del Pilar Cornejo, Polytechnic University (Ecuador)*
- *Mujahid Hussain, PEDAI International (Pakistan)*
- *Ben Ryan, University of Vermont (United States)*

3:00 – 4:30pm **PLENARY: Awards and Dialogue with Awardees**

Chairs: *Lauren Herzer Risi, Wilson Center (United States)*

Becca Farnum, Syracuse University London (United States/United Kingdom)

- Award for Best Student Paper on Environmental Peacebuilding
- Award for Outstanding Early Career Contribution to Environmental Peacebuilding
- Award for Enhancing the Environmental Peacebuilding Knowledge Base
- Award for Impactful Practice in Environmental Peacebuilding

5:00 – 6:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Looking Back and Moving Forward: Reflections Twenty Years After Environmental Peacemaking [Conca & Dabelko 2002]

Chair: *Lauren Herzer Risi, Wilson Center (United States)*

- *Ken Conca, American University (United States)*
- *Geoff Dabelko, Ohio University (United States)*
- *Ashok Swain, Uppsala University (Sweden)*
- *Larry Swatuk, University of Waterloo (Canada)*
- *Stacy VanDeveer, University of Massachusetts, Boston (United States)*
- *Erika Weinthal, Duke University (United States)*

Climate Change, Diplomacy, and a Resilient Peace

Chair: *Marcus King, George Washington University (United States)*

- Theorising Climate Diplomacy: Evaluating Competing Frameworks, Applications and Models
Asim Zia, University of Vermont (United States)
- Transforming Environmental Peacebuilding: Building Sustainable and Climate Resilient Peace
Barbara Magalhaes Teixeira, Lund University (Sweden)
Christie Nicoson, Lund University (United States/Sweden)
- Climate Change and Agro-Pastoralism Strife in Cameroon: Environmental Securitization Stakes
Emmanuel Sunjo Tata, University of Buea (Cameroon)
- Climate and Social Pressures on Pastoralists' Livelihoods and their Implications for Armed Conflict in Burkina Faso
Stefanie Wesch, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (Germany)
- Environmental Peacebuilding and Climate Change Adaptation
Michael Beevers, Dickinson College (United States)

Gender and Environmental Peacebuilding: From Protection to Agency [Gender Interest Group]

Chair: *Joanne Lebert, IMPACT (Canada)*

- The Gendered Politics of Natural Resource Management in 'Complex Crises'
Caitl Ryan, University of Groningen (Netherlands)
María Martín de Almagro, Université de Montréal (Canada)
- Voices in the Background: Environmental Degradation and Climate Change as Driving Forces of Violence against Indigenous Women
Szilvia Csevár, The Hague University of Applied Sciences (Netherlands)
- Key Principles to the Gender, Climate, and Security Nexus
Jessica Hartog, International Alert (United Kingdom)
- Women's Agency in Conflict and Peacebuilding in Nigeria's Niger Delta Region
Abosede Omowumi Babatunde, University of Ilorin (Nigeria)

- Bridging the Gap: Gender-Inclusive Multi-Track Diplomacy as Environmental Peacebuilding
Marisa O. Ensor, Georgetown University (United States)

The Role of Responsible Business Conduct in Natural Resource Management – The Case of Sustaining Peace in Liberia

Chair: *Jessica Johansson, Swedwatch (Sweden)*

- *Hannah Peters, Swedwatch (Sweden)*
- *Radiatu Kahnplaye, Natural Resource Women Platform (Liberia)*
- *T. Debey Sayndee, University of Liberia (Liberia)*
- *Jaremey McMullin, University of St. Andrews (United Kingdom)*

Building a Career in Environmental Peacebuilding Resume Review Workshop [Young Professional Interest Group]

Chair: *Clara Summers, National Caucus of Environmental Legislators (United States)*

- *Octavio Goio, Environmental Law Institute (Angola)*
- *Sherri Goodman, Wilson Center (United States)*
- *Silja Halle, United Nations Environment Programme (Switzerland)*
- *Anne Hammill, International Institute for Sustainable Development (Canada)*
- *Tegan Blaine, United States Institute of Peace (United States)*
- *Lalanath de Silva, Green Climate Fund (Sri Lanka)*

7:00 – 8:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

COVID and Environmental Peacebuilding: Looking Back, Looking Forward [Disasters and Resilience Interest Group]

Chair: *Charles Kelly, Independent Expert (United States)*

- *Päivi Lujala, University of Oulu (Finland)*
- *Phoebe Girouard Spencer, World Bank (United States)*
- *Allison Brown, U.S Agency for International Development (United States)*

Environmental Peacebuilding in Seemingly Intractable Situations

Chair: *David Jia-Lung Tsai, Yale University (United States)*

- Conservation During Conflicts - the Role of Civil Society in Mobilizing Communities
Kyungmee Kim, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (Sweden)
- Openings for Dialogue Using Natural Resources in Afghanistan
Elizabeth Hessami, The Johns Hopkins University (United States)
- Environmental Peacebuilding in Afghanistan: The Role of Youth in Peacebuilding
Mohammad Shoaib Ahmadzai, Community Development, Rehabilitation and Educational Organization (Afghanistan)
- Experiences of Jordanian, Palestinian, and Israeli Alumni of a Multicultural Program in Environmental Peacebuilding
Sharón Benheim, Ben Gurion University of the Negev (Israel)

Perspectives on Water and Peace [Water Interest Group]

Chair: *Shanna McClain, National Atmospheric and Space Administration (United States)*

- *Mara Tignino, Geneva Water Hub (Switzerland)*
- *Liliana Pimentel, University of Brazil (Brazil)*

- *Lidia Cano Pecharromán, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (United States)*
- *Camille Marquette, International Alert (France)*
- With Water to Peace? The Effect of Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM) on Environmental Peacebuilding
Stefan Döring, Uppsala University (Sweden)

Climate Change, Security Risks, and Actions in Africa: Examples of Cooperation around Adaptation and Mitigation that Support Sustainable Peace [Africa Interest Group]

Chair: *Octavio Goio, Environmental Law Institute (Angola)*

- *Speakers TBA*

9:00 – 10:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

The Minerals Behind Our Low Carbon Future - A Reason to Worry?

Chair: *Kimberly Thompson, U.S Agency for International Development (United States)*

- *Kendra Dupuy, Fridtjof Nansens Institutt (Norway)*
- *Moisés Arce, Tulane University (United States)*
- *Benjamin Spatz, Tufts University (United States)*
- *Mike Jobbins, Search for Common Ground (United States)*

Climate Change and A New Colonialism: A Case Study on How a Warming Arctic is Raising Issues of Colonialism, Conflict, and Human Rights

Chair: *Sarah Xu, University of California Berkeley (United States)*

- Between Development and Preservation: Arctic Coastal Communities, Neocolonialism, and Social-Ecological Resilience
Kristin Weis, George Mason University (United States)
- Narratives of Risk: A Comparative Analysis of a US Arctic Coastal Community and US Arctic Strategy Policy
Sara Cobb, George Mason University (United States)
- Human Rights in a Developing Arctic: Recognizing Human Rights at Risk to Confront Conflict, Colonialism and Cultural Destruction
Haydee Dijkstal, 33 Bedford Row Chambers (United Kingdom)
- Knowledge Sharing as A Peacebuilding Tool: Preventing Future Conflicts and Reshaping the Geopolitical Landscape in Rural Communities
Shontaye Abegaz, International Institute for Human Security (United States)

Friday, February 4

9:00 – 10:30am **Breakout Sessions**

Climate Change, Conflict, and Peace

Chair: *Buket Altınçelep, Middle East Technical University (Turkey)*

- National vs. Local – Economic Upgrading Undermines Climate Change Adaptation Processes in Kenya and Uganda
Julia Renner, University of Münster (Germany)
- Tipping from the Climate-Conflict Nexus to the Climate-Peace Nexus
Jürgen Scheffran, University of Hamburg (Germany)

- REDD+: Driver of Conflict or Tool for Environmental Peacebuilding?
Rowan Alumasa Alusiola, University of Koblenz-Landau (Kenya)
Rebecca Froese, University of Koblenz-Landau (Germany)
Janpeter Schilling, University of Koblenz-Landau (Germany)
Paul Klär, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (Germany)
- Beyond Critique: Towards a Pragmatic Pluralism in Climate Security and Environmental Peacebuilding Research
Cedric de Coning, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (Norway)
Paul Beaumont, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (Norway)
Elisabeth Lio Rosvold, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (Norway)

Disinformation, Data Collection, and the Weaponization of Environmental Harm During Armed Conflict

Chair: *Annica Waleij, Swedish Defence Research Agency (Sweden)*

- The First Casualty of War: Post-Conflict Environmental Assessments as an Instrument for Common Understanding in Politicized Settings
Emma Hakala, University of Helsinki (Finland)
- Environment as a Bargaining Leverage: The Issue of Water Supplies to Crimea and its Implications for Russian-Ukrainian Conflict
Margaryta Rymarenko, Central European University (Austria)
- Toxic Floods, Porous Lands: Assessing Risk and Conflict Pollution in the Armed Conflict in Eastern Ukraine
Freek van der Vet, University of Helsinki (Finland)

11:00 – 12:30 **Breakout Sessions**

Conflict Causes and Prevention

Chair: *Gabriel Gomes Couto, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Brazil)*

- It's All About Politics: Migration and Resource Conflicts in the Global South
Charlotte Wiederkehr, Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research (Germany)
- Nomadic Herders' Banditry, Ungoverned Spaces and Community Security in Nigeria's South West Region
Mike Omilusi, Ekiti State University (Nigeria)
- The Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam and Management of the Nile
Yannis Paoleillo, University of Geneva (Switzerland)
- Storm in the Wild: The Effects of Natural Resources Privatization for Wildlife Conservation on Pastoralism in Kenya -- a Case of Laikipia County
Winfred Nyokabi, University of Birmingham (Kenya)
Paul Mugambi, Corvinus University (Kenya)
Laichena Mutabari, Tharaka University College (Kenya)

Conservation in Violent Environments

Chair: *Teresa Lappe-Osthege, The New Institute (United Kingdom)*

- Conservation in the Crossfire: Strategies for Effective Conservation in Post-Conflict Colombia
Julia Gorricho (Colombia)
- Securing Conservation: Uganda Wildlife Authority and Uganda Peoples Defence Forces' Collaboration in MFNP
Ivan Ashaba, University of Antwerp (Belgium)

- Trans-boundary Indigenous Water Management System Mediating Inter-ethnic Conflict on the India-Bhutan Borderlands
Anwasha Dutta, Chr. Michelsen Institute (Norway)

Discussant: *Rosaleen Duffy, University of Sheffield (United Kingdom)*

Tools for Managing Climate Security Risks

Chair: *Siri Aas Rustad, Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway)*

- Weathering Risk: A Climate and Security Risk and Foresight Assessment
Lisa Binder, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (Germany)
Lukas Rüttinger, adelphi (Germany)
- A Climate of War or Peace? Testing the Effects of Drought on Conflict Dynamics
Paola Vesco, Uppsala University (Sweden)
- Using Machine Learning to Improve Conflict Predictions in a Changing Climate
Sidney Micheleni, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact (United States)

1:00 – 2:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Environmental Peacebuilding in Colombia

Chair: *John-Andrew McNeish, Norwegian University of Life Sciences (United Kingdom/Norway)*

- The Nature of Peace – Post-Conflict Environmental Peacebuilding in Colombia and Uganda
Fariborz Zelli, Lund University (Sweden)
Britta Sjöstedt, Lund University (Sweden)
- A Multi-Scale Sustainability Analysis of Productive Landscapes in Armed Conflict Regions of Colombia
Serena Caucci, United Nations University – FLORES (Germany)
- Emplaced Citizen Participation and Territorial Planning in Post-Agreement Colombia: Understanding Community Agency Amidst Global Dynamics of Peace and Violence
Theresa Bachmann, University of Kent (United Kingdom)
- The Changing Face of External Military Assistance and Techniques of Informal Penetration: U.S. Security Assistance in Somalia & Colombia
Sidney Williams, London School of Economics and Political Science (United States)

Highlands to Oceans (H2O): Anticipatory Governance of Hydroclimatic Regime Shifts in the Transboundary Indus, Mekong, Jordan and Amazon River Basins

Chair: *Asim Zia, University of Vermont (United States)*

- *Ghulam Rasul, International Center for Integrated Mountain Development (Nepal)*
- *Qian Ye, Beijing Normal University (China)*
- *Ashutosh Mohanty, Madhyanchal Professional University, Bhopal (India)*
- *Nisar Memon, Water Environment Forum (Pakistan)*
- *Peter May, Federal Rural University of Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)*
- *Michael Glantz, University of Colorado (United States)*
- *Yanyong Inmoung, Mahasarakham University (Thailand)*
- *Mak Sithirith, University of Phnom Penh (Cambodia)*
- *Asif Khan, University of Peshawar (Pakistan)*
- *Sandra Megens Santos, Wageningen University (Netherlands)*

Decarbonization and Peace in Fragile States

Chair: *Jeremy Moore, United States Institute of Peace (United States)*

- *Alex de Waal, Tufts University (United States)*
- *Benjamin J. Spatz, Tufts University (United States)*
- *Aditya Sarkar, Tufts University (India)*

People Power for Climate and Environmental Justice: Nonviolent Action in the Age of Climate Change

Chair: *Tegan Blaine, United States Institute of Peace (United States)*

- *Donatella della Porta, Scuola Normale Superiore in Florence (Italy)*
- *Robin Gulliver, University of Queensland (New Zealand)*
- *Makoma Lekalakala, Earthlife Africa (South Africa)*
- *Lottie Cunningham Wren, Center for Justice and Human Rights of the Atlantic Coast of Nicaragua (Nicaragua)*
- *Emmanuel Davalillo Hidalgo, United States Institute of Peace (Venezuela)*

3:00 – 4:30pm PLENARY: An Intergenerational Dialogue on Climate Change, Peace, and Conflict in the Anthropocene

Chair: *Claudia Seymour, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (United States)*

- *Alexis Manuela Cañari, University of Konstanz (Peru)*
- *Jan Kairal Cabalona Guillermo, World Meteorological Organization (Philippines)*
- *Gilles Carbonnier, International Committee of the Red Cross (Switzerland) (invited)*
- *Michel Jarraud, World Meteorological Organisation (France)*
- *Maria Paloma Noriega Jalil, UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (Mexico)*
- *Marc Hufty, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland) (invited)*
- *Päivi Lujala, Environmental Peacebuilding Association (Finland)*

5:00 – 6:30pm Breakout Sessions

Environmental Peacebuilding, Rights, and Justice

Chair: *Emmanuel Davalillo Hidalgo, United States Institute of Peace (Venezuela)*

- Environmental Law and Human Rights: Interpretative Paradigms and Jurisprudential Developments within the Inter-American Court of Human Rights
Alejandro Fuentes, Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law (Sweden)
- Nature as Victim in the Colombian Armed Conflict: The Case of Attacks Against Oil Infrastructure
Hector Herrera, Institute of Development Policy (IOB) Antwerp University (Colombia)
Juliana Galindo, Guernica Centre for International Justice (Colombia)
- Understanding and Identifying Good Practices in Support of Environmental Human Rights Defenders (EHRDs) and Their Local Communities
Mariana Montoya, Universal Rights Group (Colombia)
- Can UN Peacekeeping Promote Environmental Quality?
Tobias Böhmelt, University of Essex

Resource Implications of Human Mobility and Migration

Chair: *A.J. Morgen, International Organization for Migration (Switzerland)*

- Migration with Dignity as a Peacebuilding Strategy
Shanna McClain, National Atmospheric and Space Administration (United States)
- Planet on the Move - The Role of Conservation at the Intersection of Migration, Conflict and Environmental Change
Richard Matthew, University of California Irvine (United States)

- *Saleem Ali, University of Delaware (United States)*
- *Oli Brown, Chatham House (United Kingdom)*
- *David Arnold, International Organization for Migration (United Kingdom)*
- *Silja Halle, United Nations Environment Programme (Switzerland)*

Environmental Defenders and Environmental Peacebuilding

Chair: *Peter Schwartzstein (United States)*

- *Yves Lador, Earthjustice (Switzerland)*
- *Peter Larsen, Geneva University*
- *Philippe Le Billon, University of British Columbia (Canada)*
- *Päivi Lujala, University of Oulu (Finland)*
- *Stephanye Zarama Alvarado, University of Massachusetts Amherst (United States/Colombia)*

Rethinking Environmental Peacebuilding and Innovating Solutions

Chair: *Kirk Talbott, Environmental Law Institute (United States)*

- **Environmental Violence in Everyday Life**
Richard Marcantonio, Notre Dame University (United States)
- **Choco4Peace: Building Lives with Dignity in Colombia with Chocolate and Disruptive Technology**
Matt Whiteman, Choco4Peace (Canada)
- **Blockchain and Climate Entrepreneurship**
Asish Singh, Ashoka University (India)
- **Evaluating Arts-Based Approaches in Peacebuilding and Environmental Awareness in Jos, Nigeria**
Kingsley Madueke, University of Jos (Nigeria)
Zayda Sorrell Medina, University of California Irvine (United States)
Richard Matthew, University of California Irvine (United States)

Decolonization and Environmental Peacebuilding

Chair: *Elaine Hsiao, Sheffield Institute for International Development (Taiwan)*

- *Ousseyni Kalilou, Gum Arabic Institute of Poverty Alleviation (Niger/United States)*
- *Sarah Njeri, Overseas Development Institute (Kenya/United Kingdom)*
- *Iokine Rodriguez-Fernandez, University of East Anglia (Venezuela/United Kingdom)*
- *Barbara Magalhães Teixeira, Lund University (Brazil/Sweden)*
- *Christie Nicoson, Lund University (United States/Sweden)*
- *Emily Sample, The Fund for Peace (United States)*
- *Giovanni Reyes, Indigenous Peoples' & Community Conserved Territories and Areas Consortium (Philippines)*
- *Chiyok'ten (Paul) Wagner, Salish Coast (United States)*
- *Grandma Mona Polacca, Hopi (United States)*
- *Anwasha Dutta, Chr. Michelson Institute (India/Norway)*
- *Archana Soreng, Vasundhara Odisha (India)*
- *Thomas Worsdell, Right and Resources Initiative (Chile/Portugal)*

7:00 – 8:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Lessons from the Front Lines of Environmental Peacebuilding in Colombia

Chair: *Gloria Amparo Rodríguez, Rosario University (Colombia)*

- **Influence of the Implementation of Peace Accords in Deforestation in Northwestern Amazonia (Guaviare, Colombia)**

Lorena Romero, University of Florida (Colombia)
Sebastian Silva, University of Caldas (Colombia)
Liyibeth Moreno, Universidad Externado de Colombia (Colombia)

- New Corruption Practices Associated with Crimes against Natural Resources and the Environment in Colombia
Natalia Jiménez Galindo, DAI (Colombia)
- Decolonizing Environmental Peacebuilding in Colombia
Carolina Montes, Externado University (Colombia)
- Women that Weave Life and Environmental Protection
Nataly Domicó, Interethnic Network of Women (Colombia)

What Research and Experience Tells Us about Environmental Peacebuilding Monitoring and Evaluation [Monitoring & Evaluation Interest Group] [R2G]

Chair: *Juha Uitto, Global Environment Facility (Finland)*

- The State of Environmental Peacebuilding M&E: Findings
Amanda Woomer (United States)
- Do No Harm Approach as a Tool for Tailoring M&E Frameworks in Environmental Peacebuilding Interventions
Hector Morales Munoz, ZALF (Colombia)
- Environmental Peacebuilding M&E Practice from a Funder's Perspective [Working Title]
Erica Key, Future Earth (United States)
- Can We Attribute Improvement to Intervention? A Critical Review of Environmental Dimensions in Environmental Peacebuilding
Jamon Van Den Hoek, Oregon State University (United States)
Laura Peters, Oregon State University (United States)

Research & Fieldwork in a Pandemic: Building Resilient Work Systems for Current and Future Disasters [Disasters and Resilience Interest Group]

Chair: *Kristin Weis, George Mason University (United States)*

- Understanding the Impacts of Covid-19 for Environmental Peacebuilding in Fragile and Conflict Affected Regions: A Case Study of Northern Kenya
Brock Bersaglio, University of Birmingham (United Kingdom)
- Human Security through Health Crises: Lessons from the Ebola Virus in the Structures of Peace Operations
Mariana Carluccio, Escola de Comando e Estado-Maiorlin do Exército (Brazil)
Julia Nishio, Brazilian War College (Brazil)

Discussant: *Lidia Cano Pecharromán, Earth Institute (Spain)*

Building the Next Generation through Mentorship [Young Professionals Interest Group]

Chairs: *Amanda King, Wilson Center (United States)*

Clara Summers, National Caucus of Environmental Legislators (United States)

9:00 – 10:30pm **Breakout Sessions**

Territories, Governance, and Environmental Peacebuilding in Colombia

Chair: *Iván Darío Valencia, Global Green Growth Institute (Colombia)*

- Peace and Parks in the Colombian Amazon: Protected Area Governance in the Transition from Conflict to Peacebuilding
McKenzie Johnson, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign (United States)
- Environmental Peace in Southern Tolima: Resistances, Transformations and New Conflictivities
Cristina Sala Valdés, University of East Anglia (United Kingdom)
- Nature as a Subject of Rights and Its Relationship with Environmental Peacebuilding in Colombia
Angela María Amaya-Arias, Universidad Externado de Colombia (Colombia)

Public Health and Environmental Peacebuilding: Linkages and Lessons

Chair: *Richard Matthew, University of California Irvine (United States)*

- Collaborations for Equitable Information Access in Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic and Climate Change
Jessica Huang, Meedan Digital Health Lab (United States)
- Examining Access to WASH during COVID-19 in Egypt and Sudan
Sama Elmahdy, Duke University (United States)
Hadeel Hamoud, Duke University (United States)
- The Energy-Health Nexus in Contemporary Conflicts
Erika Weinthal, Duke University (United States)
Jeannie Sowers, University of New Hampshire (United States)

Environmental Change, Migration, and Peace in Central America's Northern Triangle

Chair: *Lauren Risi, Wilson Center (United States)*

- *Amanda King, Wilson Center (United States)*
 - *Cynthia Brady, Wilson Center (United States)*
 - *Sherri Goodman, Wilson Center (United States)*
 - *Roger Pulwarty, U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (United States)*
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