



25th Anniversary
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XXXIX MIT Global Change Forum

15 – 17 June 2016

The Royal Sonesta Hotel • Cambridge, MA

Theme:

CORPORATE STRATEGY AND CLIMATE CHANGE

Wednesday 15 June 2016

17:00 – 19:00	Registration	Grand Ballroom Foyer, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel
17:30 – 18:45	Reception	Longfellow Suites, West Tower, Ground Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel
19:00	Dinner	Skyline Suites, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel
	Welcome/Forum Overview	Dr. John Reilly, <i>Co-Director, Joint Program on the Science & Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
	Keynote Address	Prof. Maria T. Zuber, <i>Vice President for Research, MIT</i>

Thursday 16 June 2016

All Meeting Sessions will be held in: Grand Ballroom B, West Tower, 2nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel

8:30 – 10:00	1. SESSION TOPIC: Land and Agriculture	
	Opening Statement	Dr. John Reilly, <i>Co-Director, Joint Program on the Science & Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Dr. Alessandro De Pinto, <i>Senior Research Fellow, International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI)</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Dr. Sergey Paltsev, <i>Senior Research Scientist, Joint Program on the Science and Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Break: Refreshments served in: Grand Ballroom Foyer, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel	
10:30 – 12:00	2. SESSION TOPIC: Finance	
	Opening Statement	Mr. Christopher Kaminker, <i>Economist, Environment Directorate, OECD</i>
	Opening Statement	Prof. Gilbert Metcalf, <i>Department of Economics, Tufts University</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Mr. Joshua Hodge, <i>Deputy Executive Director for Resource Development, Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
12:00 – 14:00	Lunch: Served in: Skyline Suites, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel	
14:00 – 15:30	3. SESSION TOPIC: Future Directions in Energy	
	Opening Statement	Dr. Sergey Paltsev, <i>Senior Research Scientist, Joint Program on the Science and Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Prof. David Newbery, <i>Director, Energy Policy Research Group, University of Cambridge</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Ms. Anne Slinn, <i>Executive Director for Research, Joint Program on the Science and Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
15:30 – 16:00	Break: Refreshments served in: Grand Ballroom Foyer, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel	
16:00 – 17:30	4. SESSION TOPIC: Supply Chain Risk	
	Opening Statement	Dr. C. Adam Schlosser, <i>Senior Research Scientist, Joint Program on the Science and Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Dr. David M. Cleary, <i>Director, Global Agriculture, The Nature Conservancy</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Dr. John Reilly, <i>Co-Director, Joint Program on the Science & Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
17:30	Adjourn	
17:45 – 19:15	Reception	Grand Ballroom Foyer, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel
19:15	25 th Anniversary Dinner	<i>Celebrating 25 Years of the Joint Program: A Retrospective</i> Skyline Suites, West Tower, 2 nd Floor

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8:30 – 10:00	5. SESSION TOPIC: Water Resources and Adaptation Strategies	
	Opening Statement	Dr. Kenneth Strzepek, <i>Research Scientist, Joint Program on the Science and Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Mr. Alain Bourque, <i>Executive Director, OURANOS, Regional Climatology & Adaptation to Climate Change</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Dr. C. Adam Schlosser, <i>Senior Research Scientist, Joint Program on the Science and Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Break: Refreshments served in: Grand Ballroom Foyer, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel	
10:30 – 12:30	6. SESSION TOPIC: Implementing the Climate Agreement	
	Opening Statement	Prof. Joseph Aldy, <i>Associate Professor of Public Policy, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University</i>
	Opening Statement	Mr. Janos Pasztor, <i>Senior Advisor to the UN Secretary General for Climate Change, United Nations</i>
	Opening Statement	Mr. Douglas B. Helmuth, <i>Principal Investigator, Lockheed Martin Space Systems</i>
	Opening Statement	Prof. Ronald G. Prinn, <i>Co-Director, Joint Program on the Science & Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Prof. Henry Jacoby, <i>William F. Pounds Professor of Management, Emeritus, Sloan School of Management, MIT</i>
12:30	Closing Remarks	Prof. Ronald G. Prinn, <i>Co-Director, Joint Program on the Science & Policy of Global Change, MIT</i>
12:45	Adjourn	
12:45 – 15:15	Lunch: Served in: Skyline Suites, West Tower, 2 nd Floor, Royal Sonesta Hotel	