



MIT GLOBAL CHANGE FORUM II

March 30–April 1, 1992

AGENDA

Monday, March 30, 1992

4:00–6:00 pm REGISTRATION

6:00 pm SOCIAL HOUR AND DINNER

Welcome: Prof. Henry Jacoby, Prof. Ronald Prinn

Remarks: Prof. Mark Wrighton, MIT Provost

Tuesday, March 31, 1992

8:30–10:00 am **1. REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF IPCC UPDATE.**

Opening Statement: Prof. Bert Bolin

Initial Comments: Dr. Fred Bernthal

Discussion Moderator: Prof. Ronald Prinn

10:00–10:30 am *Break*

10:30–12:00 pm **2. EMERGING SCIENCE ISSUES IMPORTANT FOR POLICY.**

a. Opening Statement on CFC-Ozone: Dr. V. Ramaswamy

Initial Comments: Prof. Mario Molina

b. Opening Statement on CH₄: Prof. Ronald Prinn

Initial Comments: Dr. Brian Flannery

12:15–1:30 pm *Lunch*

1:30–3:00 pm

c. Opening Statement on sulfur emissions and clouds: Dr. Stephen Schwartz

Initial Comments: Dr. James Yohn

d. Opening Statement on future global observations: Dr. Shelby Tilford (EOS)

Initial Comments: Dr. Eldon Ferguson, Prof. Carl Wunsch

Discussion Moderator: Prof. Thomas Jordan

3:00–3:30 pm *Break*

3:30–5:00 pm **3. THE INC PROCESS AFTER BRAZIL.**

Opening Statement: Mr. Jonathan Pershing

Initial Comments: Prof. Eugene Skolnikoff

Discussion Moderator: Prof. Richard Schmalensee

6:00pm SOCIAL HOUR AND DINNER

Wednesday, April 1, 1992

8:30–10:30 am **4. MITIGATION POLICIES.**

a. Opening Statement on carbon taxes: Mr. Michael Grubb

Initial Comments: Dr. Richard Morganstern

b. Opening Statement on targets and trading: Dr. Howard Gruenspecht

Initial Comments: Dr. Alice LeBlanc

Discussion Moderator: Prof. James Poterba

10:30–11:00 am *Break*

11:00–12:00 pm **5. INFORMATION AND ANALYSIS NEEDS, POST-BRAZIL.**

a. Goal: emissions or impacts?

b. Adaptability to evolving science.

c. Treatment of uncertainty (science and economics)

Initial Comments: Prof. Richard Eckaus, Dr. Mack McFarland

Discussion Moderator: Prof. Henry Jacoby

12:15–1:30 pm *Lunch*

1:30 pm *Adjournment*