50TH ANNIVERSARY CONFERENCE OF THE CLUB OF ROME
17-18 OCTOBER 2018
Aula Magna, Università LUMSA
Rome

WORKING DRAFT PROGRAM

DAY 1: OCTOBER 17, 2018 | MORNING SESSION
Facilitator: Sandrine Dixson – Declève*, Special Advisor Sustainability & Climate Solutions

9:00 - 9:15  Introduction and welcome by the future president(s) of the club of Rome:

9:15 - 9:45  Opening address
Message from His Holiness, Pope Francis - tbc
Sergio Mattarella, President of Italian Republic - tbc
Virginia Raggi, Mayor of Rome

9:45 - 10:45  Keynote Debate: 50 Years of the Club of Rome – How Much Has the World Changed?
Gunter Pauli* §, Zero Emissions Research and Initiatives
Jorgen Randers* §, Norwegian Business School

10:45 - 11:15  Coffee Break

11:15 - 12:30  Keynote Addresses: Living in the Anthropocene
Johan Rockström §, Director, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research: Can Humanity Survive the Anthropocene?
Catia Bastioli*, CEO of Novamont: Eliminating Plastics in the Soil and the Oceans

12:30 - 13:45  Lunch Break

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Tim Jackson*, University of Surrey
Pavan Sukhdev, President, World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)
Robert Costanza*, Crawford School of Public Policy, Australian National University
Mariana Bozesan*, AQAL Capital and AQAL Foundation

15:15 - 15:45  Coffee Break

15:45 - 16:30  2018 Aurelio Peccei Lecture: Global Climate Change:
John Schellnhuber* §, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research

16:30 - 18:00  Keynote Debate: Climate Change - Turning an Emergency into Collective Action!
Connie Hedegaard, Former European Commissioner for Climate Action
Ian Dunlop*, Safe Climate Australia
Camilla Born, Senior Policy Advisor E3G
Yoshitsugu Hayashi*, President of the World Conference on Transport Research Society
John Schellnhuber* §, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research
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DAY 2: OCTOBER 18, 2018 | MORNING SESSION
Facilitator: Nora Bateson* President, International Bateson Foundation

9:00 - 10:00 The Latest Club of Rome Initiatives:
Ugo Bardi*, Università di Firenze: The Seneca Effect
Anders Wijkman* §, Author, member Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences:
A New Enlightenment for Sustainability

10:00 - 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 - 12:15 Keynote Discussion: Values for the Anthropocene
Tomoyo Nonaka*, GAIA Initiative
Mamphela Ramphele*, Nelson Mandela Foundation
Cardinal Peter Turkson, Prefect of the Dicastery for the Promotion of Integral Human Development, Holy See (tbc)
Ernst von Weizsäcker* §, Past President International Resource Forum (UNEP), founder Wuppertal Institute for Climate, Environment and Energy

12:15 - 13:30 Lunch Break

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13:30 - 15:15 Keynote Discussion: The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) – Today’s Implementation Challenges
Hans Herren*, President Millennium Institute
Enrico Giovannini* §, Università di Roma Tor Vergata, Spokeperson Italian Alliance for Sustainable Development (ASviS)
Frans Timmermans, Vice President European Commission
Petra Kuenkel*, Potsdam Collective Leadership Institute

15:15 - 15:45 Coffee Break

15:45 - 17:15 Keynote Debate: Energy for the Future - Turning a Solution into Collective Action!
Ernest Moniz, Massachussets Institute of Technology (MIT)
Francesco Starace*, CEO of Enel Group
Thorhild Widvey, Chair Statkraft
Jeremy Leggett, Chairman Solar Aid

17:15 - 17:45 Closing remarks by the Future President(s) of the Club of Rome: A Call to Action

17:45 - 18:15 Press Conference

NOTES

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§ Aurelio Peccei Lecturer