

International Meeting on STRATEGIES FOR MITIGATING CLIMATE INDUCED HEALTH THREATS AND RISKS

A Coruña 21-25 November 2022

Room: Salón de Grados, School of Architecture (ETSAC)

University of A Coruña

Aims of the international meeting

The objective of this meeting is to exchange research experiences and knowledge on research aspects that are developed in four Universities from different parts of the World, with which our research group has had recent research contact.

The meeting aims to open the possibility of creating synergies about the organization or joint work in research activities, research organizations for which common objectives can be designed. The experience of our research group is extensive in this regard, as is the reputation and prestige of the visiting professors. We hope that the joint discussion can generate positive interaction dynamics for the future.

Organisers and collaborators

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PROGRAM

November 21st (public)

10.00 Presentation of the meeting and its objectives.
An introduction to the international visiting scholars.
Professor Ricardo García Mira.
Welcome words of the Coordinator of the People-environment Research Group, Cristina García Fontán.
Welcome words of the Director of the School of Architecture, Plácido Lizancos Mora.
Welcome words by the Vice-Chancellor of Research Policy, Professor Salvador Naya.

10.30 Introduction to the research work on going at the People-Environment Research Group, UDC. Environmental challenges at the European level. Main research lines on Energy transition, and and Climate Change.
Professor Ricardo García Mira (Health and Climate Change),
Dr Isabel Lema Blanco (Energy transition and social innovation with communities),
Dr Nachatter Singh (Social research on Energy Transition).

11.30 Coffee break

12.00 Presentation by Professor Yurika Yokoyama, University of Tokyo. The reality of risk after the disaster: Some reflections on the Fukushima disaster.

13.00 Q&A

November 22nd (public)

10.30 Presentation by Dr Beatriz Piñeiro Lago, Doctor in Medicine, Manager of Innovation and Sustainability at the SERGAS (Galician Department for Health), Director of "The New Bauhaus" proposal in Galicia: "The Health sector, the backbone of cultural transformation based on sustainability, inclusion and aesthetics. New European Bauhaus project".

11.00 The work of LIDIA research group on Artificial Intelligence. Introduction by Ricardo G Mira.
Presentation by Professor Amparo Alonso Betanzos.
More relevant research lines connected with behavioural models of social simulation.

11.30 Coffee break

12.00 Presentation by Professor Graciela Tonello, National University of Tucumán, Argentina. Climate Change and Health - Research Strategies in Argentina.

13.00 Q&A

November 23rd (public)

10.30 Presentation by Professor Cristina García Fontán: "Urbanism and Health. Climate change implications".

11.00 Presentation by Professor Patricia Muñiz: "Sustainable habitat. Refugees and internally displaced persons: the crucial challenge of the century XXI".

11.30 Coffee break

12.00 Presentation by Professor Gary Evans, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. Climate Change and Childhood - Research strategies at Cornell University.

13.00 Q&A

November 24th and November 25th (restricted to research staff and PhD students)

A number of meetings and discussions will take place oriented to define research common objectives. Collaborative debate about joint research. Strategies for dissemination and publication.