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ON
**CLIMATE CHANGE AND GOVERNANCE:
GENERAL TRENDS AND AFRICAN COUNTRIES**

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28-29 APRIL 2021
VENUE: ONLINE

Schedule ACCRA LOCAL TIME	Sessions	Speakers
DAY 1: 28 APRIL 2020: CLIMATE CHANGE. GENERAL TRENDS AND AFRICAN COUNTRIES		
FIRST SESSION - ZOOM LINK: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82166471117?pwd=VHdLR0pvNVBoSVMMySDRESkhxQzN5UT09 Meeting ID: 821 6647 1117 Meeting code: 567646		
8.30 - 9.00	Arrival and registration of participants	Facilitator
9.00 - 9.05	Welcome Address	Prof. Erasmus OWUSU, Director, Centre for Climate Change and Sustainability Studies, University of Ghana
9.05 - 9.15	Opening remarks by AMENET Representative	Prof. Daniel K. TWEREFU, Department of Economics, University of Ghana and AMENET Coordinator in Ghana
9.15-9.45	Covid-19 Crisis, Climate Change, and Policy Implications for Developing Countries	Mr. Arkebe OQUBAY, Senior Minister and Special Adviser to the Ethiopian Prime Minister. Candidate of the African Union to the position of General Director of UNIDO.

9.45 - 10.15	The impact of Climate Change on road infrastructure in Ghana	Prof. Daniel K. TWEREFU, Department of Economics, University of Ghana and AMENET Coordinator in Ghana
10.15 - 10.30	Discussions	Facilitator
10.30 - 11.00	Tea/Cocoa/Coffee Break	
SECOND SESSION - ZOOM LINK: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83990099329?pwd=YXdIUUhCSnFSdWpraHNLQ2ZqSURUQT09 Meeting ID: 839 9009 9329 Meeting code: 794458		
11.00-11.30	Supporting farmer resilience in semiarid areas in Ghana	Dr. Adelina MEMSAH, Institute of Environment and Sanitation Studies, University of Ghana
11.30-12.00	Reducing emission from fuel wood use and deforestation using Improved Cook Stoves: A case study of selected communities in the Oti and Volta regions of Ghana.	Dr. Dan NUKPEZAH, Institute of Environment and Sanitation Studies, University of Ghana
12.00-12.30	On Climate change Geopolitics.	Prof. Lara LÁZARO, Senior Analyst, The Elcano Royal Institute. Lecturer in Economic Theory, CES Cardenal Cisneros (attached to Universidad Complutense de Madrid)
12.30-13.00	Towards low carbon agriculture: Systematic Narrative of ClimateSmart agriculture mitigation potential in Africa	Dr. Samuel ANUGA, Research Fellow, Institute of Environmental Economics and World Trade, Hannover, Germany
13.00-13.30	What does the transition to climate resilient low carbon future mean to Africa: peeping into Ghana	Dr. Daniel BENEFOR, Chief Programmer Officer, Environmental Protection Agency, Ghana
13.30-13.45	Discussions	Facilitator
13.45-14.00	Concluding remarks	Facilitator
14.00	Lunch break/Closing	
DAY 2, 29th APRIL 2021 INSTITUTIONS, POLICIES, GOVERNANCE AND AFRICAN INTEGRATION		
FIRST SESSION - ZOOM LINK: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89583593079?pwd=W Ct0Mjc2Smt5NUdVMTlqdElrMlltdz09 Meeting ID: 895 8359 3079 Meeting code: 267252		
8.30-9.00	Arrival and registration of participants	Facilitator
9.00 - 9.15	Recap of day 1 activities	Prof. Daniel K. TWEREFU, Department of Economics, University of Ghana and AMENET Coordinator in Ghana
9.15 – 9.45	ECOWAS and good governance: Understanding constraints and policy shifts	Prof. Asteris HULIARAS, Professor of Political Science, Jean-Monnet Professor, University of Peloponnese
9.45 – 10.15	African integration: A comparative perspective	Prof. Jean-Marc TROUILLE, Jean-Monnet Professor of Political Science, University of Bradford

10.15 -10.45	African economic integration and the role of the European Union (EU)	Prof. Ainhoa MARÍN, Professor of Economics, The Elcano Royal Institute and University Complutense of Madrid
10.45 – 11.00	Discussions	Facilitator
11.00-11.30	Tea/Cocoa/Coffee Break	
SECOND SESSION - ZOOM LINK: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82814704216?pwd=UEVNSWRFNlJyd3NqVjhvOTFLdVlydz09 Meeting ID: 828 1470 4216 Meeting code: 880353		
11.30-12.00	Governance and the Challenge of strong Institutions in Africa	Prof A. Essuman JOHNSON, Department of Political Science, University of Ghana
12.00-12.30	Institutions and good governance in Africa: A case of the legislature in Ghana	Dr. Seidu ALIDU, Department of Political Science, University of Ghana
12.30-12.45	Discussions	Facilitator
12.45-13.15	Concluding remarks and next steps	Representative from University of Ghana
13.15	Closing	Prof. Luis COLLADO, General Coordinator of the AMENET Network and professor at Universidad Autónoma de Madrid

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