

INVITATION

Oil in the Water, Smoke in the Sky: The expansion of fossil fuel projects in sensitive areas and the urgent need to transition away

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OVERVIEW

During COP28 in Dubai, the world's nations made a commitment to transition away from fossil fuels and reduce the planetary dependency on hydrocarbons via just and equitable transition to renewable energy. Unfortunately, we see in the data that the exploration and production of fossil fuels are instead rising across the globe, including in sensitive ecosystems such as marine ecosystems of the Arctic, Brazil, the Congo Basins and Southeast Asia

The goal of this session is to bring together a community of experts to discuss the ways in which the growing presence and the expansion of fossil fuel projects into sensitive environments should be discouraged and phased out.

DATE

11 November 2024

TIME

16:30 GST (GMT+4) / 12:30 GMT

VENUE

WWF Pavilion, COP29

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SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS

Moderator:

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Speakers

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