



## List of Participants 17 Rooms – 2020 Annual Flagship

### Co-chairs

- Zia Khan, Senior Vice President, Innovation, The Rockefeller Foundation
- John McArthur, Director, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution

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- Natalie Burg, Intern, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution
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- Leonie Maruani, Senior Advisor, Innovation, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Selen Ozdogan, Research Analyst, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution
- Jacob Taylor, Senior Project Manager, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution

### Room 1 – Poverty

#### Moderators:

- Gargee Ghosh, President of Global Policy & Advocacy, The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation
- Homi Kharas, Senior Fellow, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution

#### Participants:

- William Asiko, Managing Director of the Africa Region Office, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Chime Asonye, Former Senior Special Assistant on Sustainable Development Goals to the Governor of Abia State, Nigeria
- Francesca Bastagli, Director of Equity and Social Policy, Overseas Development Institute
- Kaysie Brown, Vice President for Policy and Strategic Initiatives, The United Nations Foundation,
- Jamie Drummond, Global Strategist, Global Goals
- Michael Faye, President & Co-founder, GiveDirectly
- Hafez Ghanem, Regional Vice President for Eastern and Southern Africa, The World Bank
- Lesly Goh, Senior Technology Advisor, The World Bank
- James Muraguri, Founder and CEO, Institute of Public Finance Kenya
- Elina Ribakova, Deputy Chief Economist, Institute of International Finance
- Michael Sachs, Director of Equity and Social Policy, University of Witwatersrand
- Vera Songwe, Executive Secretary, United Nations Economic Commission for Africa

### Room 2 – Food and hunger

#### Moderators:

- Ruth Richardson, Executive Director, Global Alliance for the Future of Food
- Roy Steiner, Senior Vice President for the Food Initiative, The Rockefeller Foundation



**Participants:**

- Francisca Acevedo, Coordinator: Agrobiodiversity, National Commission for Knowledge and Use of Biodiversity (Mexico),
- Lauren Baker, Director of Programs, Global Alliance for the Future of Food
- A-dae Briones, Director of Programs – Native Agriculture and Food Systems, First Nations Development Institute
- Emma Chow, Lead, Food Initiative, The Ellen MacArthur Foundation
- Adrian de Groot Ruiz, Co-founder and Executive Director, True Price
- Marta Echavarria, Director, EcoDecision
- Jessica Fanzo, Bloomberg Distinguished Professor of Global Food & Agricultural Policy and Ethics, The Johns Hopkins University
- Sara Farley, Managing Director, Integrated Operations, Food Initiative, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Michael Hamm, C.S. Mott Professor of Sustainable Agriculture, Michigan State University
- Vijay Kumar, Advisor for Agriculture & Cooperation, Government of Andhra Pradesh, India
- Alesha Miller, Vice President: Strategy & Partnerships, Digital Green
- Modi Mwatsama, Senior Science Lead (Food Systems, Nutrition and Health), Wellcome Trust
- Batamaka Some, Independent Consultant
- Pavan Sukhdev, Founder and CEO, GIST Advisory Switzerland S.A.
- Fabrice DeClerck, Science Director, EAT

**Room 3 – Health and wellbeing****Moderators:**

- Mark Smolinski, President, Ending Pandemics
- Wendy Taylor, Vice President, Technical Leadership and Innovation, JHPIEGO

**Participants:**

- Assaf Anyamba, Principal Scientist, Universities Space Research Association
- Silvia Bino, Associate Professor of Infectious Diseases: Head, Control of Infectious Diseases Department, Institute of Public Health, Tirana, Albania
- Yolanda Botti-Lodovico, Policy Writer, Broad Institute
- Mosoka Fallah, Deputy Director General for Technical Services, National Public Health Institute of Liberia
- Don Gips, CEO, Skoll Foundation
- Dylan George, Vice President, Technical Staff, In-Q-Tel
- Prabhat Jha, Professor, Dalla Lana School of Public Health
- Gabriel Leung, Dean, Hong Kong University School of Public Health
- Amanda McClelland, Senior Vice President of the Prevent Epidemics Team, Resolve to Save Lives
- John Nkengasong, Director of the Africa Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, African Union
- Jono Quick, Managing Director, Pandemic Response, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Steven Riley, Professor of Infectious Disease Dynamics, Imperial College London
- Caitlin Rivers, Assistant Professor, Johns Hopkins University
- Pardis Sabeti, Institute Member, Broad Institute
- Gavin Yamey, Director, Center for Policy Impact in Global Health, Duke University

**Room 4 – Quality education****Moderators:**

- Kwame Akyeampong, Professor of International Education and Development, The Open University
- Emiliana Vegas, Senior Fellow and Co-director of the Center for Universal Education, Brookings Institution



**Participants:**

- Maria Victoria Angulo, Minister of Education, Ministry of Education, Colombia
- Jo Bourne, Chief Technical Officer, Global Partnership for Education
- Alejandro Ganimian, Assistant Professor of Applied Psychology and Economics, NYU Steinhardt,
- Rachel Glennerster, Chief Economist, DFID
- Ana Maria Ibanez, Economics Principle Advisor, Inter-American Development Bank
- Robert Jenkins, Chief, Education and Associate Director, Programme Division, UNICEF
- Denis Mizne, CEO, Lemman Foundation
- Silvia Montoya, Director UNESCO Institute for Statistics
- Karthik Muralidharan, Tata Chancellor's Professor of Economics, UC San Diego
- Sungsup Ra, Chair, Education Sector Group, Asian Development Bank
- Jaime Saavedra, Lead, Education Global Practice, The World Bank
- Abhijeet Singh, Assistant Professor of Economics, Stockholm School of Economics
- Antonia Wulff, Coordinator, Education International

**Room 5 – Gender equality****Moderators:**

- Michelle Nunn, President and CEO, CARE USA
- Blessing Omakwu, Founder, The She Tank

**Participants:**

- Hafsat Abiola-Costello, President & CEO, Women in Africa Initiative
- Sundaa Bridgett-Jones, Managing Director: Policy & Coalitions, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Steve Davis, Lecturer: Social Innovation, Stanford Business School
- Christine Heenan, Founder and President, Clarendon Group
- Purity Kagwiria, Director, With and For Girls
- Stephanie Kimou, Founder and Lead Consultant, Population Works Africa
- Silvana Koch-Mehrin, President and Founder, Women Political Leaders
- Josh Lozman, Director of Program Advocacy & Communications for Gender Equality, The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
- Pat Mitchell, Media executive, Producer, and Curator of TEDWomen, Pat Mitchell Media
- Mabel van Oranje, Chair, Girls Not Brides
- Alex Reid, Founder & CEO, Reid Strategies

**Moderator Associates:**

- Hilary Mathews, Senior Director, Gender Justice, CARE

**Room 6 – Water and sanitation****Moderators:**

- Catarina de Albuquerque, Chief Executive Officer, Sanitation and Water for All
- Letitia Obeng, Chair, Water Integrity Network (WIN)
- Jennifer Sara, Global Director: Water Global Practice, The World Bank

**Participants:**

- Koumbou Boly Barry, United Nations Special Rapporteur on the Right to Education
- Sharan Burrow, General Secretary, International Trade Union Confederation



- Monserrat Creamer, Minister of Education, Ministry of Education, Ecuador
- Val Curtis, Director of the Environmental Health Group, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
- Haley Hill, Director, Office of the President, and chief of Staff, Global Development, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation
- Evalin Karijo, Project Director, Youth Advocacy Project
- Peter ter Kulve, President, Home Care, Health and Well-being, Unilever
- Dominic Waughray, Managing Director, World Economic Forum Centre for Global Public Goods
- Zouera Youssoufou, Managing Director and CEO, The Aliko Dangote Foundation

**Moderator Associates:**

- Monika Weber-Fahr, Senior Advisor, Results and Partnerships, Water Global Practice, The World Bank

## **Room 7 – Affordable and clean energy**

**Moderators:**

- Ashvin Dayal, Senior Vice President, Power Initiative, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Michael Webber, Chief Science and Technology Officer, ENGIE & Josey Centennial Professor in Energy Resources, University of Texas at Austin

**Participants:**

- Richard Adams, Director of the Innovation & Entrepreneurship Center, NREL
- Drew Baglino, Senior Vice President, Powertrain and Energy Engineering, Tesla
- Jim Cabot, Managing Director, Breakthrough Energy
- Morgan DeFoort, Co-founder and Managing Principle, Factor[e] Ventures
- Jessica Freireich, Managing Director & Senior Advisor: Organizational Performance, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Emmanuel Lagarrigue, Chief Innovation Officer, Schneider Electric
- Ije Okeke, CFO, Abuja Electricity Distribution Co.
- Chris Rauscher, Director, Policy & Storage Market Strategy, Sunrun
- Dipender Saluja, Partner, Capricorn Investment Group
- Varun Sivaram, CTO, ReNew Power
- Sam Slaughter, CEO and co-founder, PowerGen
- Praveer Sinha, CEO/Managing Director, Tata Power
- Hadley Taylor, Associate Energy Access Specialist, Sustainable Energy for All

## **Room 8 – Decent work and economic growth**

**Moderators:**

- Marcela Escobari, Senior Fellow, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution
- Otis Rolley, Senior Vice President, U.S. Equity and Economic Opportunity Initiative, The Rockefeller Foundation

**Participants:**

- Daniella Ballou-Aares, Co-founder/CEO, Leadership Now Project
- Beth Clymer, CFO, Jobcase
- Greg Fischer, President, US Conference of Mayors and Mayor, Louisville, Kentucky
- Thomas Kamei, Morgan Stanley
- Mia Mends, CAO, Sodexo
- Janice McNair, CFO, EZ Texting
- Alison Omens, Chief Strategy Officer, JUST Capital
- Ethan Rouen, Asst. Prof. of Business Administration, Harvard Business School



- Anne-Marie Slaughter, CEO, New America
- Warren Valdmanis, Partner, Two Sigma Impact
- Martin Whittaker, CEO, JUST Capital
- Carolina Young, Policy Advisor, U.S. Senate: Mark Warner's Office

**Moderator Associates:**

- Natalie Geismar, Project Coordinator, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution
- Erin Leyson, Intern U.S. Equity and Economic Opportunity Initiative, The Rockefeller Foundation

## Room 9 – Industry, innovation and infrastructure

**Moderators:**

- C.V. Madhukar, Managing Director, Beneficial Technology, The Omidyar Network
- Kevin O'Neil, Director of Data and Technology, The Rockefeller Foundation

**Participants:**

- Magdi Amin, Senior Advisor, Ministry of Finance of Republic of Sudan
- Vyjayanti Desai, Program Manager, Identification for Development (ID4D) Initiative, World Bank
- Adama Diallo, Head of Partnerships, Next Billion Users Africa, Google
- Liv Marte Kristiansen Nordhaug, Senior Adviser, Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation (NORAD)
- James Mwangi, Executive Director, Dalberg Group
- Ory Okolloh, Principal, Asphalt & Ink
- Olanrewaju Osibona, Founder & CEO, The Foresight Group
- Sanjay Purohit, Chief Curator, Societal Platform
- Elizabeth Stuart, Executive Director, Digital Pathways at Oxford University
- Tomicah Tillemann, Director, Digital Impact and Governance Initiative, New America
- Yodahe Zemichael, Principal Technical Advisor Office of the Prime Minister, Government of Ethiopia

**Moderator Associates:**

- Lin Gao, Research Specialist, Innovation, The Rockefeller Foundation

## Room 10 – Reduced inequalities

**Moderators:**

- Martin Abregu, Vice President for International Programs, Ford Foundation
- Margaret Biggs, Chairperson, International Development Research Centre

**Participants:**

- Grieve Chelwa, Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard University Center for African Studies
- Myrna Cunningham, President, The Centre for the Autonomy and Development of Indigenous Peoples (CADPI)
- Deepali Khanna, Managing Director, Asia Regional Office, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Raj Kumar, Founding President and Editor-in-Chief, Devex
- Danny Leipziger, Professor of International Business, The George Washington University
- Nora Lustig, Samuel Z. Stone Professor of Latin American Economics and Director of the Commitment to Equity Institute (CEQ), Tulane University
- Abby Maxman, President & CEO, Oxfam America
- Mahmoud Mohieldin, Special Envoy on Financing the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, United Nations
- Kennedy Odede, Co-founder and CEO, Shining Hope for Communities



- César Rodríguez-Garavito, Founder of the Program on Global Justice and Human Rights, Dejusticia
- Victoria Tauli-Corpuz, Indigenous and gender adviser, The Third World Network

**Moderator Associates:**

- Vera Mshana, Program Officer, Natural Resources and Climate Change, Ford Foundation

## **Room 11 – Sustainable cities and communities**

**Moderators:**

- James Anderson, Director of Government Innovation, Bloomberg Philanthropies
- Tony Pipa, Senior Fellow, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution

**Participants:**

- Penny Abeywardena, Commissioner, International Affairs, New York City
- Yvonne Aki-Sawyer, Mayor, Freetown
- Beth Blauer, Executive Director and Founder, Centers for Civic Impact, Johns Hopkins University
- Jenny Durkan, Mayor, Seattle
- Nina Hachigian, Deputy Mayor for International Affairs, Los Angeles
- Sascha Haselmayer, Public Interest Technology Fellow, New America
- Mauricio Rodas, Visiting Scholar, University of Pennsylvania
- Randall Woodfin, Mayor, Birmingham, Alabama

**Moderator Associates:**

- Max Bouchet, Senior Policy Analyst, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution
- Leigh O'Neill, Government Innovation Program Chief of Staff, Bloomberg Philanthropies

## **Room 12 – Responsible consumption and production**

**Moderators:**

- Matthew Bishop, Co-founder, Social Progress Index & Co-founder, 17 Rooms initiative, Nonresident Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution
- Jessica Long, Former Managing Director, Strategy and Sustainability, Accenture

**Participants:**

- Priyanka Bakaya, Founder & CEO, Renewlogy
- Robert Bernard, Founding Partner, Commonwealth Equity Partners
- Peter Bryant, Co-Founder and Board Chair, Development Partner Institute
- Annerieke Douma, Director Global Alliances & Cities, Circle Economy
- George Ingram, Senior Fellow, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution
- David McGinty, Global Director, Platform for Accelerating the Circular Economy
- Jane Nelson, Director of the Corporate Responsibility Initiative, Harvard Kennedy School
- Cherie Nursalim, Vice-Chairman, Citi Group
- Sue Riddlestone, Chief Executive and Co-Founder, Bioregional
- Oriana Romano, Head of Unit, Water Governance and Circular Economy, OECD
- Adam Werbech, Global Lead for Sustainable Shopping, Amazon



## Room 13 – Climate action

### Moderators:

- Elizabeth Cousens, CEO, United Nations Foundation
- John Podesta, Founder, Center for American Progress

### Participants:

- Manish Bapna, Executive Vice President and Managing Director, World Resources Institute (WRI)
- Amar Bhattacharya, Senior Fellow, Center for Sustainable Development, Brookings Institution
- Arunabha Ghosh, Founder-CEO, Council on Energy, Environment and Water (CEEW)
- Stephen Hammer, Advisor, Global Partnerships and Strategy (Climate Change), World Bank
- Selwin Hart, Special Adviser and Assistant Secretary-General for Climate Action, United Nations Secretary General (UNSG)
- Rachel Kyte, Dean, The Fletcher School at Tufts University
- Rémy Rioux, CEO, Agence Française de Développement
- Shuo Li, Senior Climate & Energy Policy Officer, Greenpeace China
- Nigel Topping, High Level Climate Action Champion, UK Government COP
- Laurence Tubiana, CEO, European Climate Foundation
- Liz Yee, Chief of Staff, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Min Zhu, Deputy Managing Director, International Monetary Fund

### Moderator Associates:

- Pete Ogden, Vice President for Energy, Climate, and the Environment, United Nations Foundation
- Jenna Sjogren, Special Assistant to the Executive Team, Center for American Progress

## Room 14 – Oceans & life below water

### Moderators:

- Kristin Rechberger, CEO, Dynamic Planet
- Enric Sala, Explorer-in-Residence, National Geographic & Executive Director, Pristine Seas

### Participants:

- Marisa Drew, Chief Sustainability Officer & Global Head Sustainability Strategy, Advisory, and Finance, Credit Suisse International
- Viacheslav Fetisov, Ice Hockey legend, UN Environment Goodwill Ambassador, WTO Global Ambassador, MP at Russian Duma, UN Environment, WTO
- Richard Florizone, President, International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD)
- Vidar Helgesen, Special Envoy to the Ocean, Norway
- Nayantara Jain, ED, Reef Watch Marine Conservation
- Taholo Kami, Special Representative for Oceans, Fiji
- Karin Kemper, Global Director for the Environment, Natural Resources and Blue Economy Global Practice, World Bank
- Masanori Kobayashi, Senior Research Fellow, OPRI, Sasakawa Foundation
- Aileen Lee, Chief Program Officer, Environment & Conservation, Moore Foundation
- Manas Roshan, Program Manager, International Collective in Support of Fish Workers

## Room 15 – Life on land

### Moderators:



- Rosina Bierbaum, Roy F. Westin Chair in Natural Economics and Research Professor, University of Maryland's School of Public Policy & Professor and Dean Emerita, University of Michigan School of Natural Resources and Environment
- Thomas Lovejoy, University Professor, George Mason University & Senior Fellow, United Nations Foundation
- John Robinson, Joan L. Tweedy Chair in Conservation Strategy, Wildlife Conservation Society

**Participants:**

- Adriana Dinu, Deputy Director, Bureau for Program and Policy Support, UNDP
- Tom Evans, Professor at the School of Geography and Development, University of Arizona
- Gustavo Fonseca, Director of Programs, Global Environment Facility
- Bronson Griscom, Ecological accountant, The Nature Conservancy
- Charlotte Karibuhoye Said, Director, West Africa Programme, MAVA Foundation
- Melinda Kimble, Senior Fellow, United Nations Foundation
- Yadvinder Malhi, Professor of Ecosystem Science, Programme Leader in Ecosystems Research, Environmental Change Institute, Jackson Senior Research Fellow at Oriel College, University of Oxford
- Pamela McElwee, Associate Professor, Rutgers University
- Graciela Metternicht, Professor at the Institute of Environmental Studies, UNSW Australia
- Jeff Seabright, Chief sustainability officer, Unilever
- Nathalie Seddon, Professor of Biodiversity in the Department of Zoology, University of Oxford
- Bernardo Strassburg, Professor (Assistant), Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro

**Room 16 – Peace, Justice and strong institutions**

**Moderators:**

- Nancy Lindborg, President and CEO, the David & Lucile Packard Foundation, Former President of US Institute of Peace
- Sarah Mendelson, Distinguished Service Professor of Public Policy and Head of Heinz College in Washington DC, Carnegie Mellon University

**Participants:**

- Ariel C. Armony, Vice Provost for Global Affairs, Director of the University Center for International Studies, University of Pittsburg
- Elizabeth Andersen, Executive Director, World Justice Project
- Camille Busette, Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution
- Ilwad Elman, Director of Programs & Development, The Elman Peace and Human Rights Center
- Alvaro Herrero, Under Secretary for Strategic Management and Institutional Quality, The government of Buenos Aires City
- Christof Heyns, Professor of Human Rights Law, Director of the Institute for International and Comparative Law in Africa
- Victor Ochen, Founder and Executive Director, African Youth Initiative Network (AYINET)
- Borislav Petranov, Senior Program Advisor, Open Society Foundations (OSF)
- Sanjay Pradhan, Chief Executive Officer, Open Government Partnership
- Danny Sriskandarajah, Chief Executive, Oxfam GB
- David Steven, Senior Advisor and former Director, Pathfinders for Peaceful, Just and Inclusive Societies
- David Yang, Vice president of the Center for Applied Conflict Transformation, The U.S. Institute of Peace
- Uzra Zeya, CEO and President, Alliance for Peacebuilding

**Room 17 – Partnerships/universities**

**Moderators:**

- Angel Cabrera, President, Georgia Institute of Technology & Chair, University Global Coalition



- Suzanne Fortier, Principal and Vice-Chancellor, McGill University & Chair of the World Economic Forum's Global University Leaders Forum

**Participants:**

- Ana Mari Cauce, President, University of Washington
- Guillermo Cisneros Perez, Rector, Universidad Politecnica de Madrid
- Arturo Condo, President, EARTH University
- Jim Garrett, Provost, Carnegie Mellon
- David Garza, President, Tecnologico de Monterrey
- Feridun Hamdullahpur, President, University of Waterloo
- Kadar Kaneye, President, African Development University
- Wendy Kopp, CEO and Co-founder, Teach For All
- Tod Laursen, System Administration Provost & Sr. Vice Chancellor, SUNY
- Joanna Newman, Secretary General, Association of Commonwealth Universities
- Bairbre Redmond, Provost, Universitas 21
- Shai Reshef, President, University of the People
- Juan Romo, Rector, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid
- Nikhil Seth, Executive Director, UNITAR
- Gregory Washington, President, George Mason University

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- Santiago Navarro, Research Analyst, Dynamic Planet
- Kaitlyn Pendrak, Carnegie Mellon Work Study Fellowship Extern, Brookings Institution
- Kathryn Posko, Research Assistant, Carnegie Mellon University
- Leo Wolansky, Data Product Manager, Health Initiative, The Rockefeller Foundation
- Lucia Zhou, Manager, Innovation, The Rockefeller Foundation

