

# C40 WORLD MAYORS SUMMIT

## AGENDA

### WEDNESDAY, 19 OCTOBER 2022

**08:00 -  
17:00**

**Side Event**

**The 2022 Meeting of Mayors of the Network of Cities of the Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)**

The 2022 Meeting of Mayors of the IADB Cities Network will take place in Buenos Aires. The event is held within the framework of the C40 World Mayors Summit as a valuable networking opportunity with mayors from around the world and business leaders committed to fighting climate change.

**08:30 -  
13:00**

**Side Event**

**Federal Urban Forum**

The Federal Urban Forum is the last step in a long-running process known as the 'Federal Road to the Summit'. City leaders from across Argentina, legislative branch representatives, and civil society leaders came together to share best practices, exchange climate governance perspectives and develop the Declaration of Argentine Cities, which will be unveiled during the Forum.

National, regional and international mayors, legislators and youth climate leaders will participate in the Federal Urban Forum alongside World Bank representatives, who will present the 'Guidelines for the Development of a Climate Action Plan in the Buenos Aires Metropolitan Area' plan, as well as the Open Government Partnership (OGP) network.

**11:00 -  
13:00**

**Site Visits**

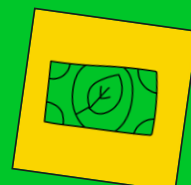
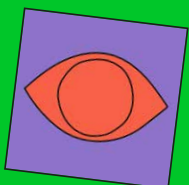
**City Recycling Center, Ecological Reserve, and Cultural Bus Tour**

**11:30 -  
13:00**

**Side Event**

**Leveraging Big Data to improve urban mobility planning in the post-COVID era: recent applications in Latin American cities**

The session will show the results of a comparative study conducted in the cities of Buenos Aires, Bogota, and the Metropolitan Area of the Aburrá Valley between 2021 and 2022. The project focused on analysing the impacts of COVID-19 on mobility patterns, comparing indicators between 2019, 2020 and 2021, using Big Data sources. The discussion will focus on the implications that the pandemic had on urban mobility planning and policy. It will also seek to analyse the future use of Big Data and advanced analytical techniques as a fundamental tool for transportation entities to make informed and intelligent decisions, especially in a context of rapidly changing mobility preferences and constraints.



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#### Side Event

#### **Delivering High-Quality Urban Transport Infrastructure**

The U.S. Department of Transportation invites you to join a roundtable session on the sidelines of the C40 World Mayors Summit to discuss the challenges and opportunities that decision-makers face when making investments in new transportation infrastructure.

The roundtable will address three of the most challenging elements that leaders face when delivering new transportation infrastructure: (1) Accelerating the delivery of the project so that users' transportation and mobility needs are met; (2) containing the costs of new infrastructure, especially in an inflationary economic environment; and (3) ensuring that projects deeply embed environmental protection and sustainability principles and account for their greenhouse gas emissions.

**14:30 -  
16:30**

#### Site Visits

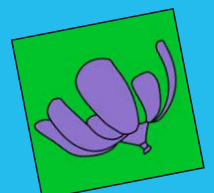
#### **Microcentro Industrial Area Tour, Creative Reuse Centre: ReMida BA Centre, and Buenos Aires Ecopark**

**19:00 -  
21:15**

#### **Opening Reception and C40-Bloomberg Awards Celebration**

Hosted by Bloomberg Philanthropies, the opening reception will officially commence the 2022 C40 World Mayors Summit. Chief of Government of the City of Buenos Aires, Horacio Rodríguez Larreta, will welcome guests to the host city, and C40 Chair and Mayor of London, Sadiq Khan, will provide remarks.

The winners of this year's **C40 Cities Bloomberg Philanthropies Awards** will also be announced, celebrating the most ambitious and impactful projects spearheaded by mayors from around the world to tackle the global climate crisis.



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09:45**

**Main Stage**

#### **Achieving Climate Justice: Opening**

Join global and regional mayors, environmental experts, youth climate leaders and more for the opening of the C40 World Mayors Summit main programme, where we will demonstrate what a strong global coalition that is united in action can achieve.

Keynote speakers will set the intentions for the Summit and introduce the key pillars of this year's programme: a fair and inclusive pandemic recovery, wellbeing cities, and the urgent need for climate finance.

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**Welcome Remarks:**

**Horacio Rodríguez Larreta**, Chief of Government of the City of Buenos Aires

**Mark Watts**, Executive Director of C40 Cities

**Hilda Flavia Nakabuye**, Founder and organiser of Fridays for Future Uganda

**Sadiq Khan**, Mayor of London and Chair of C40 Cities

**Antonio Guterres**, United Nations Secretary-General

**09:45 -  
11:00**

**Main Stage**

#### **United in Action for a Fair and Inclusive Transition**

We cannot achieve climate justice without social justice.

Mayors recognise this and will demonstrate their progress in delivering inclusive climate action since the Global Green New Deal (GGND) launch in 2019 at the C40 Summit in Copenhagen.

Experts and city leaders will share the vision of a just and inclusive transition that puts equity at the heart of decision-making, alongside sharing the impact of social and economic policies such as the GGND pilot programme and the C40 green jobs initiative.

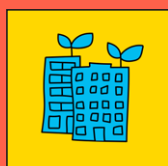
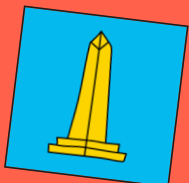
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**Keynote:**

**Ada Colau**, Mayor of Barcelona and C40 Vice-Chair

**Keynote:**

**Sir David King**, Founder of the Climate Crisis Advisory Group



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**In Conversation: *Paving The Way For Climate Justice Together***

*Moderated by:*

**Tais Gadea Lara**, Climate Journalist

*Speakers:*

**Ada Colau**, Mayor of Barcelona

**Pamela Escobar Vargas**, Member of the C40 Global Youth and Mayors Forum

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**Spotlight On... *Los Angeles' Global Green New Deal and a Fair Transition***

**Eric Garcetti**, Mayor of Los Angeles

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**Spotlight On... *A Just Transition in Accra***

**Elizabeth Tawiah Sackey**, Mayor of Accra

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**Panel Discussion: *Cities and Communities Leading Together to Ensure the Wellbeing of Everyone***

*Moderated by:*

**Milag San Jose-Ballesteros**, Regional Director for East, Southeast Asia & Oceania at C40

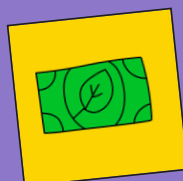
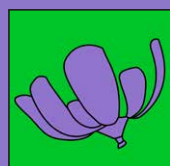
*Speakers:*

**Claudia Lopez Hernández**, Mayor of Bogotá

**Kate Gallego**, Mayor of Phoenix

**Oh Se-Hoon**, Mayor of Seoul

**Steve Letsike**, Founder and Executive Director of Access Chapter 2



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#### **Realising the Health Benefits of Climate Action**

The World Health Organization has warned that the climate crisis is humanity's most serious health threat. Those most vulnerable to climate breakdown's health effects contribute least to its causes, and the COVID-19 pandemic has exacerbated this injustice.

In this session, experts and leading voices from C40 cities will examine the inextricable link between health and the environment. They will explore the most effective solutions that protect and improve residents' health and wellbeing while helping transform cities into more liveable, sustainable places.

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#### **Keynote:**

**Dr Maria Neira**, Director of the Department of Environment, Climate Change and Health at WHO

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#### **Panel Discussion: *Taking Action on Air Quality***

#### **Moderated by:**

**Anthia Williams**, Head of Environment Programme, Bloomberg Philanthropies

#### **Speakers:**

**Daniel Quintero Calle**, Mayor of Medellín

**Gopal Rai**, Minister for Environment, Forest & Wildlife, Development and General Administration of Delhi

**Martina Otto**, Head of Secretariat, Climate and Clean Air Coalition, UN Environment Programme

**Rafał Trzaskowski**, Mayor of Warsaw

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#### **Spotlight On... *15-Minute Cities***

**Anne Hidalgo**, Mayor of Paris

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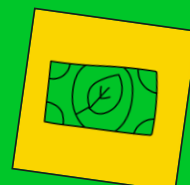
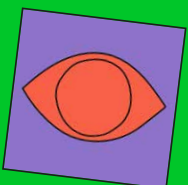
#### **Spotlight On... *Green Transport***

**Qin Weizhong**, Mayor of Shenzhen

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#### **Spotlight On... *Food***

**Eric Adams**, Mayor of New York City



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**Main Stage**

**In Conversation: *The Future of Sustainable Food***

*Moderated by:*

**Cassie Sutherland**, Managing Director of Climate Solutions and Networks at C40

*Speakers:*

**Germán Martitegui**, Chef/Owner Marti, Director of Proyecto Tierras; Judge Masterchef Argentina

**Marie Chureau**, C40 Global Youth and Mayors Forum Member

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**Spotlight On... *Resilience and Health***

**Francis X. Suarez**, Mayor of Miami

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**Closing: *Spoken Word Performance***

**Jade Lozada**, C40 Global Youth and Mayors Forum

**14:00 -  
15:00**

**Main Stage**

**Developing Green and Thriving Neighbourhoods**

This session will bring together urban planning experts and city representatives to share best practices and transformative actions that improve the wellbeing of city residents.

Experts will showcase how to create wellbeing cities through urban models like the 15-minute city, in which residents can access all the goods, services and green space they need within a short walk or cycle from their homes. Speakers will explore how green and thriving neighbourhoods help reduce emissions, improve air quality and create vibrant, sustainable, and well-connected communities.

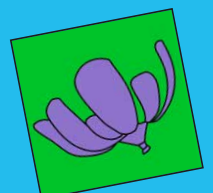
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*Opening Remarks:*

**Mark Watts**, Executive Director of C40 Cities

*Keynote: **The Rise of the 15-Minute City***

**Prof. Carlos Moreno**, Scientific Director of Sorbonne-Pantheon ETI Lab



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#### Panel Discussion: *The 15-Minute City: From Concept to Reality*

*Moderated by:*

**Martina Otto**, Head of Secretariat, Climate and Clean Air Coalition,  
UN Environment Programme

*Speakers:*

**Claudio Orrego**, Governor of Santiago

**Jette Jørgensen**, Head of Global Expansion for Ingka Group

**Niels Lund**, Vice President for Global Prevention and Health Promotion in Novo Nordisk

**Roberto Gualtieri**, Mayor of Rome

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#### Spotlight On... *Delivering Green and Thriving Neighbourhoods*

**Lin Nan**, Vice Mayor of Chengdu

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#### Panel Discussion: *Building Low-Carbon and Resilient Neighbourhoods*

*Moderated by:*

**Ben Smith**, Director for Energy and Climate Change at Arup

*Speakers:*

**Bruce Harrell**, Mayor of Seattle

**Jan Vapaavuori**, Senior Advisor for Urban Development at NREP and Former Mayor of Helsinki

**LaToya Cantrell**, Mayor of New Orleans

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15:45

#### Side Event

#### Cities and Business Forum: *Wellbeing Cities and Economic Prosperity*

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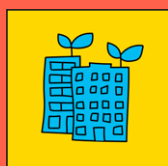
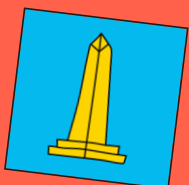
*Opening Remarks:*

**Horacio Rodriguez Larreta**, Chief of Government of the City of Buenos Aires

**Sadiq Khan**, Mayor of London and Chair of C40 Cities

**Maria Fernanda Garza**, Chair of the International Chamber of Commerce

**Clara Muzzio**, Minister of Public Space and Urban Hygiene of the City of Buenos Aires



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**Panel Discussion: *Working Together For a Circular Economy: Tackling Food and Waste in Cities to Ensure Wellbeing and Prosperity***

*Moderated by:*

**Shannon Bouton**, Deltterra

*Speakers:*

**Adanech Abiebie**, Mayor of Addis Ababa

**Juan Garibaldi**, CEO Danone (South Cone)

**Wayne Hubbard**, CEO ReLondon

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**Panel Discussion: *How Can Cities and Businesses Work Together to Re-skill Workers and Generate Green Jobs?***

*Moderated by:*

**Yukiko Arai**, Director, ILO Country Office for Argentina

*Speakers:*

**Anjali Raman-Middleton**, Youth activist, London

**Francisco Murray**, Executive Director of Sistema B International

**Maurizio Bezzeccheri**, Head of Latin America for Enel Group

**Tania Campbell**, Mayor of Ekurhuleni

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16:15**

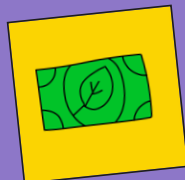
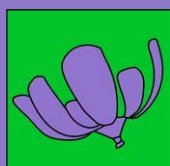
**Main Stage**

**Tackling Transport, Poverty, Air Pollution and Climate Breakdown**

Road transport is the number one source of air pollution globally and is responsible for one-third of greenhouse gas emissions in cities, which contributes to environmental damage and harms the health of residents. Rising fuel costs also make travelling around cities less affordable and accessible, limiting residents' mobility.

C40 cities are building a future with reduced emissions, where most residents can travel on foot, by bike or by public transport, while ensuring that the remaining vehicle trips are made using zero-emission vehicles.

In this session, leading cities and experts will share insights on financing zero-emission transport, moving away from combustion engines to electric vehicles, and utilising public transportation to solve social, economic and environmental challenges.





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**Main Stage**

**In Conversation: *Realising the Vision of Zero-Emission Transport***

*Moderated by:*

**Felipe Ramirez Buitrago**, Urban Mobility Director, World Resources Institute

*Speakers:*

**Ester Litovsky**, President of LATAM Division, The International Association of Public Transport

**Michelle Wu**, Mayor of Boston

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**Spotlight On... *Zero-Emission Areas***

**Franziska Giffey**, Governing Mayor of Berlin

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**Spotlight On... *Hangzhou***

**Sun Xudong**, Deputy Mayor of Hangzhou

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**Panel Discussion: *Financing the Transition to Sustainable Transport***

*Moderated by:*

**Nicolás Estupiñán**, Director of Sectoral Knowledge and expert in urban mobility

*Speakers:*

**Monica Araya**, Distinguished Fellow at the ClimateWorks Foundation advising the Drive Electric Campaign

**Ricardo Nunes**, Mayor of Sao Paulo

**Veronica Ortiz Cisneros**, Communications Director, ITDP

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**Spotlight On... *Istanbul's Sustainable Urban Mobility Plan***

**Ekrem İmamoğlu**, Mayor of Istanbul

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**Panel Discussion: *Reducing Dependence On Fossil Fuel Cars***

*Moderated by:*

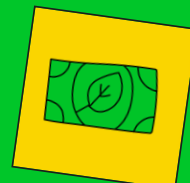
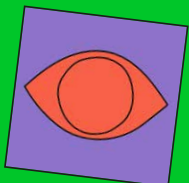
**Carlos Monje**, Undersecretary for Transport Policy as US Department of Transport

*Speakers:*

**Sheikh Fazle Noor Taposh**, Mayor of Dhaka South

**Paula Rivas Villarroel**, representing the International Transport Workers Federation

**Lina Fedirko**, Associate Director of Road Transportation, ClimateWorks Foundation



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**Cities and Business Forum: *Sparkling Urban Climate Innovation Through Collaboration***

**Panel Discussion: *Cities as Hubs of Innovation: Sparking Collaborative Action to Achieve Net Zero***

*Moderated by:*

**Nicola Yates**, CEO of Connected Places Catapult

*Speakers:*

**Francis Suarez**, Mayor of Miami

**Daniel Quintero**, Mayor of Medellín

**Mariana Freire**, Chief Technology Officer, Microsoft Latinoamérica

**Sarah Dimson-Tararuj**, Head of Programs & Partnerships, The Climate Pledge, Amazon

**Panel Discussion: *Pioneering Solutions for Urban Climate Action***  
(hosted by Endeavour)

*Moderated by:*

**María Julia Bearzi**, Executive Director of Endeavor

*Speakers:*

**Andrea Nallim Ponte**, CEO & Co-Founder of Reciclarg

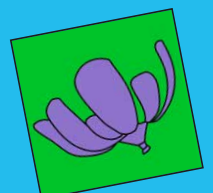
**Alexis Picon**, CEO & Co-Founder of Ualabee

**Sebastián Sajoux**, CEO of Arqlite

**Keynote: *Designing innovative solutions through city-business collaboration: Schools Reinventing Cities***

**Allison Matthews**, Head of Minecraft Education

Contest: Sustainable Scientific and Technological Startup of the Year 2022



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#### Side Event

#### **3rd Global Youth and Mayors Forum**

The C40 Global Youth and Mayors Forum is a first-of-its-kind platform that brings together youth climate leaders and mayors to work together on shaping the vision of a Global Green New Deal in cities around the world.

In the third official meeting of the Forum, youth and mayors will have a focused discussion on green jobs and how youth and cities can meaningfully work together to deliver inclusive climate action.

The session will be an opportunity for youth members of the Forum to share their experiences, challenges and lessons learned in their contributions to the global fight against climate change.

**16:30 -  
17:30**

#### Main Stage

#### **Putting People First in the Green Energy Transition**

The world's continued reliance on fossil fuels is causing dual climate and social crises. To secure a safe and healthy future for all, city and national leaders must urgently transition to decarbonised and more affordable energy systems.

This session will gather mayors, activists and energy experts to demonstrate how cities are accelerating the renewable energy transition. Speakers will showcase new C40 research on the benefits of shifting away from fossil fuels, including on job creation, cost savings and improvements in residents' wellbeing.

We will explore the tools available to cities to clean up energy systems and hear inspirational examples of political leadership, community empowerment and multi-stakeholder collaboration in building equitable and inclusive communities.

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#### **Spotlight On... *The Hidden Costs of Fossil Gas for C40 Cities***

**Dr Rachel Huxley**, Director of Knowledge and Learning, C40 Cities

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#### **Panel Discussion: *Renewable Cities, Inclusive Cities***

*Moderated by:*

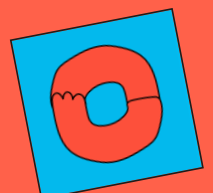
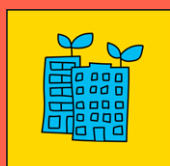
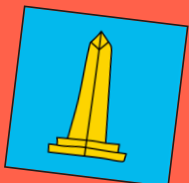
**Dr Rachel Huxley**, Director of Knowledge and Learning, C40 Cities

*Speakers:*

**Randall Williams**, Executive Mayor of Tshwane

**Ahmed Aboutaleb**, Mayor of Rotterdam

**Max Levitske**, Director for Workforce Training at Solar One



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#### Main Stage

##### Spotlight On... *'Save, Generate and Store Electricity' Strategy in Tokyo*

**Yuriko Koike**, Governing Mayor of Tokyo

##### **Building People-Centred Energy Projects: *In Conversation with the World Bank and Gerando Falcões***

*Moderated by:*

**Cassie Sutherland**, Managing Director of Climate Solutions Networks, C40 Cities

*Speakers:*

**Lucia Spinelli**, Senior Energy Specialist, World Bank

**Nina Rentel**, Director of Social Technologies at Gerando Falcões

##### **Innovating for Maximum Impact: *In Conversation with Copenhagen and Google***

*Moderated by:*

**Cassie Sutherland**, Managing Director of Climate Solutions Networks, C40 Cities

*Speakers:*

**Caroline Golin**, Global Head of Energy Markets and Policy, Google

**Sophie Hæstorp Andersen**, Lord Mayor of Copenhagen

##### **Closing: *Accelerating the Energy Transition Globally***

**Vanessa Nakate**, Youth Climate Justice Activist and UNICEF Goodwill Ambassador

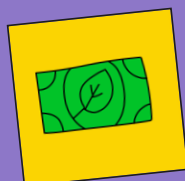
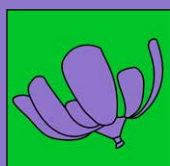
18:00 -  
21:00

#### Side Event

##### **Cities and Business Forum Networking Reception**

This event will provide a meeting space for C40 Summit participants, such as public and private-sector stakeholders, international representatives and business leaders, to come together and network.

The event will take place in the Pasos Perdidos Hall of the University of Buenos Aires School of Law, located next to the Buenos Aires Convention Centre (CEC).



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**Side Event**

**Unlocking Green Jobs in the Built Environment**

Existing buildings and infrastructure, and those that are yet to be built, are one of the largest sources of emissions in cities and a sector critical to meeting climate targets. Decarbonising our built environment yields enormous economic benefits and presents the single biggest opportunity to create jobs and mitigate climate change.

In this session, we will explore how cities and business leaders can implement strategies to reduce built environment emissions, tackle inequalities, and create an inclusive, thriving economy.

**09:00 -  
10:00**

**Main Stage**

**Making Methane and Consumption Emissions a Priority**

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**Opening Remarks: *Why We Must Act on Consumption and Methane Now***

**Giuseppe Sala**, Mayor of Milan

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**Panel Discussion: *Climate Justice Through Fair Consumption***

*Moderated by:*

**Hannah Cameron**, Creative Director, Project Everyone

*Speakers:*

**Ahmed Aboutaleb**, Mayor of Rotterdam

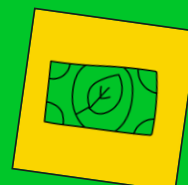
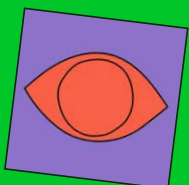
**Saoirse Exton**, C40 Global Youth and Mayors Forum Member

**Ayantika Dutta**, C40 Global Youth and Mayors Forum Member

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**Fireside Chat: *Pathways to Zero Waste***

**Marcelo Mena**, Chief Executive Officer, Global Methane Hub; Tania Campbell Mayor of Ekurhuleni



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**Cities and Business Forum: Public-Private Opportunities to Reduce Emissions in Buildings and Transport**

*Keynote:*

**Alfonso Vegara**, Founder and Honorary President of Fundacion Metropoli

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**City-Industry Dialogue: How Can Cities Encourage Private Investment in Electric Buses?**

*Moderated by:*

**Camila Rodriguez**, IFC Regional Pre-Investment Lead, Infrastructure and Natural Resources, Latin America and the Caribbean

*Speakers:*

**Rafael Greca**, Mayor of Curitiba

**Claudio Cunha**, Country Manager, Enel Argentina

**Tamara Berrios**, Country Manager BYD Chile

**Nicolas Bin**, Vice President for Smart Infrastructure at Siemens Argentina and Uruguay

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**City-Industry Dialogue: Cleaning Up the Construction Industry in Cities**

*Moderated by:*

**María Fernanda Aguirre**, Executive Director, Chile Green Building Council

*Speakers:*

**Matteo Lepore**, Mayor of Bologna

**Meera Joshi**, Deputy Mayor of Operations, New York City

**Jette Jørgensen**, Global Expansion Manager INGKA (IKEA)

**Sebastian Adamo**, Founding Partner, Adamo-Faiden Architects

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**City-Industry Dialogue: How to Retrofit Municipal and Private Buildings to Improve Sustainability, Health and Productivity**

*Moderated by:*

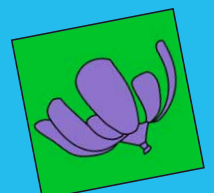
**Andrea Heins**, University of Buenos Aires

*Speakers:*

**Simay Arikan**, Senior Director of Business Development and Exploration at Velux

**David Nelson**, Senior Executive Partner and Head of Design for Foster & Partners

**Eric Garcetti**, Mayor of Los Angeles



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**Main Stage**

**Shaping the Future of Green Finance in Cities**

C40 Mayors, partners and industry experts will outline innovative solutions on how to ensure cities can deliver on their inclusive climate ambitions, and showcase new ways of aligning finance with climate action.

Speakers will share insights on the next frontier of green finance – from pioneering governance frameworks to net-zero portfolios – and world-leading business models that unlock private and public investment for cities' green infrastructure.

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**Keynote:**

**Ignacio de Calonje**, Chief Investment Officer and Sustainable Finance Lead, International Finance Corporation

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**Panel Discussion: *Shaping the Future of Green Finance in Cities***

**Moderated by:**

**Andy Deacon**, Co-Managing Director Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate & Energy

**Speakers:**

**Rafael Greca**, Mayor of Curitiba

**Rebecca Manuel**, Managing Director of Global Partnerships, CDPQ

**Robert Branagh**, CEO, London Pension Fund Authority

**Steve Adler**, Mayor of Austin

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**Spotlight On... *Climate Budgeting***

**Raymond Johansen**, Governing Mayor of Oslo

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**In Conversation: *Governance Integration and Climate Based Decision-Making***

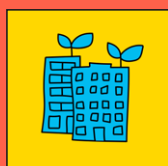
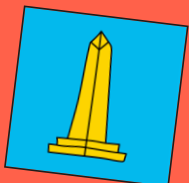
**Moderated by:**

**Lamia Senousi**, Managing Director of Communications & Events, C40 Cities

**Speakers:**

**Sophie Hæstorp Andersen**, Lord Mayor of Copenhagen

**Randall Williams**, Executive Mayor of Tshwane



# C40 WORLD MAYORS SUMMIT

## AGENDA

**FRIDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2022**

**10:45 -  
12:30**

**Side Event**

**Cities and Business Forum: Raising Local Business Ambition on Climate Action**

**Panel Discussion: *How Can Cities and Businesses Work Together to Accelerate Climate Action?***

*Moderated by:*

**Rebeca Lima**, Executive Director, CDP Latin America

*Speakers:*

**Eddie Andrews**, Deputy Mayor of Cape Town

**Reuven Ledianski**, Deputy Mayor for Environmental Protection and Sustainability, City of Tel Aviv-Yafo

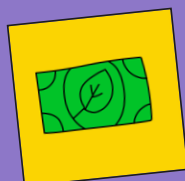
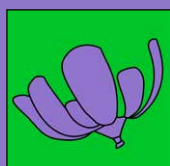
**Sergio Kaufman**, President Accenture Argentina

**Delivering Local Action in Buenos Aires: Launch of the Business and Climate Change Consultative Group**

**Renzo Morosi**, Buenos Aires EPA President; Horacio Rodríguez Larreta, Chief of Government of the City of Buenos Aires

**In Conversation**

**Martin Lousteau**, National Senator for Buenos Aires; Ahmed Aboutaleb, Mayor of Rotterdam





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**FRIDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2022**

**11:30 -  
12:30**

**Main Stage**

**United in Action to Confront The Climate Crisis**

C40 cities are united in action, working alongside regional and global networks, business leaders, climate experts and youth activists to tackle the climate emergency.

In this session, city leaders and global partners will highlight how cities collaborate to meet inclusive climate goals. They will explore the mechanisms available to empower cities to take meaningful climate action, sharing ideas and best practices on what is effective, and how to inspire others and maintain momentum.

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**Spotlight On... United in Action Against Multiple Crises**

**Rafał Trzaskowski**, Mayor of Warsaw

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**In Conversation: *Strengthening Multi-Level Collaboration to Accelerate Action***

*Moderated by:*

**Agustina Lopez**, Journalist at Todo Noticias

*Speakers:*

**Iqbal Singh Chahal**, Municipal Commissioner, Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation

**Pudence Rubingisa**, Mayor of Kigali

**Jesper Nygård**, CEO, Realdania

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**Spotlight On... *Guangzhou***

**Yonghang Guo**, Mayor of Guangzhou

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**Panel Discussion: *Mobilising Existing Networks for Action***

*Moderated by:*

**Federico Rivas**, El Pais

*Speakers:*

**Carolina Cosse**, Mayor of Montevideo

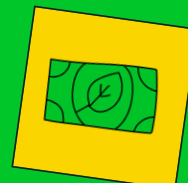
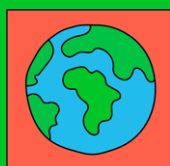
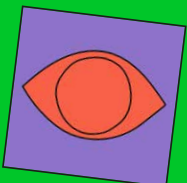
**Daniella Levine Cava**, Mayor of Miami-Dade

**Sharon Dijksma**, Mayor of Utrecht

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*Keynote:*

**Carlos Manuel Rodriguez**, CEO, Global Environment Facility



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## AGENDA

### FRIDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2022

**11:30 -  
12:30**

#### Side Event

#### The State of the Planet and How Mayors Can Fix It

In this engaging masterclass, we will explain the latest climate science, the urgent need for action, and how city leaders can play a crucial role in implementing the necessary transformational change.

Mayors will leave the masterclass with a clear understanding of the urgency of the climate crisis and the transformative governance systems, such as climate budgeting, that are needed to ensure an equitable, resilient world well below 1.5° C.

**Please note this meeting is a closed-door event for invited attendees only.**

**13:00 -  
13:45**

#### Side Event

#### Digital Storytelling as an Agent for Change: Exploring The Transforming Cities Series

Join BBC StoryWorks and C40 Cities as we take a look at a new online web series exploring the game changing work of Transforming Cities. This online film series, produced by BBC StoryWorks for C40 Cities and their partners, showcases some of the innovative, impactful and inclusive solutions emerging for cities to help achieve vital climate targets, improve the health, wealth and happiness of city residents, and build stronger, fairer economies that work for everyone.

#### Moderated by:

**Gemma Jennings**, Global Head of Programme Partnerships, BBC StoryWorks, BBC Studios

#### Speakers:

**Chumisa Thengwa**, Deputy Head of Biodiversity Protection and Ecosystem Restoration, Durban, South Africa

**Tommy Wells**, Director of the Department of Energy & Environment, Washington DC, USA

**Jesper Nygård**, CEO of Realdania, Denmark

**Toshiko Chiba**, Climate Change Specialist and Director Climate Change Division, Bureau of Environment, Tokyo Metropolitan Government, Japan

**14:00 -  
14:15**

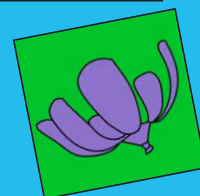
#### Main Stage

#### Financing the Green Transition: Opening

Join global and regional mayors, environmental experts, youth climate leaders and more on the final day of the C40 World Mayors Summit main programme.

#### Opening:

**Secretary John Kerry**, U.S. Special Presidential Envoy for Climate



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## AGENDA

**FRIDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2022**

**14:15 -  
15:15**

### **Main Stage**

#### **Creating Inclusive and Resilient Cities**

In this session, city leaders and built environment experts will explore ways to enhance cities' resilience to climate risks through adaptation and mitigation solutions.

Speakers will discuss what it means for cities to be safe, inclusive and thriving in the face of climate breakdown, making the case for proactive climate adaptation measures that reduce risks and deliver health, social and economic benefits. Mayors will demonstrate how they are transforming their cities to adapt to flooding, heat and other climate risks while also lowering emissions.

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#### **Keynote:**

**Zainab Waheed**, C40 Global Youth and Mayors Forum Member

#### **Fireside Chat:**

**Zainab Waheed** and **MC Vanessa Hauc**

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#### **Panel Discussion: *From Risk to Resilience: Green and Resilient Infrastructure***

#### **Moderated by:**

**Adam Freed**, Principal, Bloomberg Associates

#### **Speakers:**

**Kostas Bakoyannis**, Mayor of Athens

**Murtaza Wahab**, Administrator Karachi Municipal Corporation

**Valérie Plante**, Mayor of Montréal

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#### **Spotlight On... *Climate Resilient Buildings***

**Sally Capp**, Lord Mayor of Melbourne

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#### **In Conversation: *Partnership for Water Safe Cities***

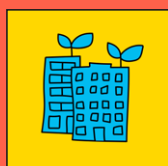
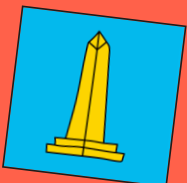
#### **Moderated by:**

**HP Nanda**, Executive Vice President & Divisional CEO, Water Utility at Grundfos

#### **Speakers:**

**Md. Atiqul Islam**, Mayor of Dhaka North

**David Sislen**, Practice Manager, Urban and Disaster Risk Management, Europe and Central Asia, World Bank



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## AGENDA

**FRIDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2022**

**15:30 -  
16:45**

**Main Stage**

### **Financing Our Future Now**

There is no time to waste — cities need urgent investment to ensure a safe, resilient, equitable and healthy future for all. Securing green finance is critical to help emerging economies develop without fossil fuels and implement solutions that help us avoid climate breakdown.

Finance experts and C40 mayors will explore ways to unlock and speed up the flow of green finance to cities, especially in the Global South. They will highlight strategies that ensure the economic benefits of climate action are distributed equitably, to support those with the greatest need.

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**Keynote:**

**Prof. Jeffrey Sachs**, Director of the Center for Sustainable Development, Columbia University

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### **Panel Discussion: *Financing Adaptation in the Global South Now***

**Moderated by:**

**Jennifer Semakula Musisi**, First City Leader in Residence at Bloomberg Harvard City Leadership Initiative

**Speakers:**

**Barthélémy Toye Dias**, Mayor of Dakar

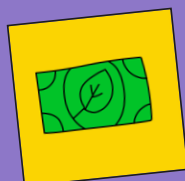
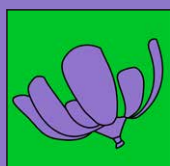
**Joy Belmonte**, Mayor of Quezon City

**Yvonne Aki-Sawyerr**, Mayor of Freetown

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### **Spotlight On... *Green Finance***

**Tse Chin-wan**, Secretary of Environment and Ecology of Hong Kong, China



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## AGENDA

### FRIDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2022

**15:30 -  
16:45**

#### Main Stage

#### **Panel Discussion: Accelerating City Climate Action Through Collaboration with Finance Institutions**

*Moderated by:*

**Fernando Straface**, Secretary General and Secretary of International Relations of Buenos Aires

*Speakers:*

**Elizabeth Tawiah Sackey**, Mayor of Accra

**Manuel Reyes Retana**, Regional Director of Latin America, International Finance Corporation.

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*Keynote:*

**Christian Gonzalo Asinelle**, Corporate Vice President, Strategic Programming, CAF

**16:45 -  
17:00**

#### Main Stage

#### **Closing Remarks**

*Speakers:*

**Michael Bloomberg**, UN Secretary-General's Special Envoy for Climate Action Ambition & Solutions and 108th Mayor of New York City

**Horacio Rodríguez Larreta**, Chief of Government of the City of Buenos Aires

**Sadiq Khan**, Mayor of London and Chair of C40 Cities

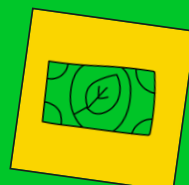
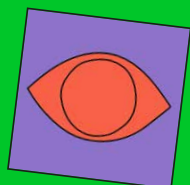
**19:00 -  
22:00**

#### Side Event

#### **Festival of Sustainability: 'Pies en el Pasto'**

'Pies en el Pasto' invites us to connect with our surroundings; we will put our feet in the grass and reflect on our relationship with the environment to create an awareness of the impact of our actions.

The festival will highlight ways that we can all reduce our carbon footprint. There will be classes on waste separation and recycling, renewable energy, composting and organic garden workshops, and physical fitness and yoga. The festival site will feature food areas, spaces for children to learn through play, and a main stage with live music.



# C40 WORLD MAYORS SUMMIT

## SUSTAINABILITY POLICY

### SUSTAINABILITY AT THE C40 SUMMIT

**The City of Buenos Aires and C40 Cities are committed to delivering a sustainable event that aligns with the spirit of the World Mayors Summit. From the handling of food and the creation of promotional materials to guest mobility and energy use, sustainability will be threaded throughout the organisation and logistics of the event.**

#### **Carbon footprint and offsetting**

To know the climate impacts of the Summit, the City of Buenos Aires is commissioning an estimation of the Summit's carbon footprint, including the emissions from air travel to and from Buenos Aires. The total emissions will be offset through a variety of projects, such as reforestation or conservation of natural areas across Argentina or Latin America, but with local efforts prioritised.

#### **Low-carbon food and zero waste**

We are striving to coordinate a zero-waste event. Buenos Aires and C40 will prioritise reusable materials and, whenever possible, will reuse and recycle those that are used. To reduce the Summit's carbon footprint, all food served by C40 at the Centro de Convenciones (summit venue) will be plant-based, and we will strive to source food options from local, sustainable producers, and reduce the amount of food waste.

#### **Venue**

Designed by architect Edgardo Minod with sustainability in mind, the Centro de Convenciones de Buenos Aires (CEC) incorporates a unique underground design intended to preserve and maintain the natural beauty of the surrounding area. The building uses thermo-mechanical energy to improve the efficiency of its lighting and air conditioning, and also collects and reuses rainwater to reduce water consumption. Thanks to its emphasis on symbiosis with the neighboring natural world, the CEC proudly sports a National Urban Sustainable Architecture and Design award.

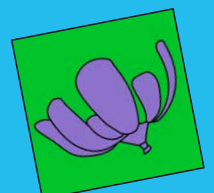
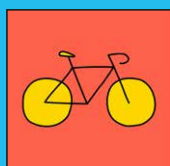
#### **Hotel**

The Sheraton Buenos Aires Hotel & Convention Center is one of three hotels in Buenos Aires to receive recognition as an EcoHotel from the City's Environmentally Responsible Hotels Program. The program recognises hotels with outstanding protocols surrounding energy efficiency, responsible consumption, waste management, air quality and water use. Recognised by Hoteles Más Verdes ("Greenest Hotels") as a bronze-star sustainability establishment, the Sheraton promotes green electromobility by providing electric vehicle charging stations in its parking garage.

#### **Travel around Buenos Aires**

The City of Buenos Aires is providing transportation to and from the CEC and some side events using a variety of mobility options with little to no carbon emissions, including:

- Subway
- Bus
- City bicycles, "BA EcoBici"



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