





ACADEMIC MASTERCLASSES:	PRACTICAL MASTERCLASSES:
<p>Transformative Adaptation</p> <p><i>Led by Prof Mark Pelling, King's College London</i></p>  <p>Participants are asked to come prepared to talk to an example of transformation they have encountered (either personally or read about), and part of the two hours would be built around small group discussion of these examples and their fundamental principles.</p>	<p>Designing and facilitating participatory processes for innovative dialogue</p> <p><i>Led by Bettina Koelle (Red Cross Red Crescent Climate Centre)</i></p>  <p>Engaging with increasingly complex situations often require innovative methodology to allow dialogue across sectors, disciplines and other divides. This MasterClass will explore some key principles for designing and facilitating participatory processes, while allowing participants to experience some of the smaller processes that can easily be used in a variety of contexts: from facilitating a community process to a meeting of trans-disciplinary research team.</p>
<p>New approaches to applied research: research to achieve societal outcomes</p> <p><i>Led by Dr Bruce Campbell (CGIAR Research Program on Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security (CCAFS))</i></p>  <p>This MasterClass will draw on experiences from the CGIAR program on Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security (CCAFS).</p>	<p>Opening up the methodological toolkit on adaptation research</p> <p><i>Led by Chandni Singh (Indian Institute of Human Settlements, IIHS)</i></p>  <p>The MasterClass will focus on shifting away from indicator-based metrics to study/monitor adaptation and give examples from Asia and Africa of ways people have done this. We will also 'launch' a How-to Guide on using life histories for adaptation research so the students will get something concrete to take back and maybe test in their own work. The MasterClass includes James Ford and Susannah Sallu from the University of Leeds as guest speakers and Mark Tebboth (UEA), Dian Spear (UCT) and Adelina Mensah (University of Ghana) as participants.</p>
<p>Working the most vulnerable communities on Community Based Adaptation (CBA)</p> <p><i>Led by Dr Saleemul Huq (International Centre for Climate Change and Development (ICCCAD), Bangladesh)</i></p>	<p>How to demonstrate adaptation reasoning to access climate finance</p> <p><i>Led by Daouda Ndiaye and Saliha Dobardzic (Adaptation Fund)</i></p>



Over the years the community of practice working with the most vulnerable communities in the most vulnerable countries have developed some good practice on Community Based Adaptation (CBA). Some of these will be shared.



This MasterClass focuses on a 'hot topic' in adaptation research for funders and development agencies, namely how to demonstrate adaptation reasoning to access climate finance by differentiating adaptation versus development.

Urban adaptation governance

Led by Assoc. Prof Gina Ziervogel (University of Cape Town)



Cities are central to adapting to climate change. Increasingly it is recognised that technical responses are only one part of adaptation and that the governance of adaptation needs close consideration. This session will unpack some areas of urban adaptation governance including cross-scalar engagement between city and local actors and barriers and opportunities for new modes of governance that might address inequality and socio-ecological concerns.

Monitoring & Evaluation of climate adaptation projects and portfolios

Led by Timo Leiter (GIZ) with Dennis Bours (GEF)



As more and more adaptation projects are getting implemented, a key question is what impacts these projects have. Are they individually and collectively leading to a reduction in vulnerability? Are they leading to "real" adaptation? The MasterClass will shed light on the complex issue of assessing adaptation outcomes at project and portfolio level.

How to communicate climate change and adaptation research in an accessible and engaging way for different audiences

Led by Roop Singh and Eddie Jjemba (Climate Centre)



Climate change and adaptation research is often esoteric and can feel disconnected from reality, despite its relevance to the everyday reality of millions. This highly interactive MasterClass will share practical tips and techniques for communicating complex topics in accessible and engaging ways. Through participatory exercises students will develop key messages for communicating their own work to different audiences such as policymakers, peers, and community members.

International career options and pathways in climate adaptation

Led by Johanna Nalau (Griffith University)



This MasterClass aims to help early career researchers navigate a career pathway in climate adaptation. The Class will be a mix of a practical tips for building a personal brand, an overview of the landscape of potential employers, clients and mentors, and a small panel of international professionals describing their career journeys and answering questions.