

# EDUCATION TRANSFORMATION IS AT THE HEART OF CLIMATE ACTION

## SUMMIT PROGRAMME

**RewirEd Summit @COP28**  
8 December 2023  
Expo City Dubai



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## 09:00 - 09:45 REGISTRATION

## 09:45 - 10:55 OPENING

### Opening Remarks:

**H.E. Reem Al Hashimi**, Minister of State for International Cooperation, UAE

### Keynote:

**Rt. Hon. Gordon Brown**, United Nations Special Envoy for Global Education & Former Prime Minister, United Kingdom - (Video)

**H.E. Dr. Tariq Al Gurg**, CEO & Vice-Chairman Dubai Cares

### Moderator:

**Dr. Andrew Cunningham**, Global Lead for Education, Aga Khan Foundation

### Speakers:

**Hon. H.E. João Marques da Costa**, Minister of Education, Portugal

**H.E. Edil Baisalov**, Deputy Chairman, Cabinet of the Ministers, Kyrgyz Republic

**Yasmine Sherif**, Executive Director, Education Cannot Wait

**H.E. Dr. Tariq Al Gurg**, CEO & Vice-Chairman Dubai Cares

### Closing Remarks:

**Prof. Jeffrey Sachs**, Director, Centre for Sustainable Development, Columbia University

### Special Announcement

## 11:00 - 11:45 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (A)

### » Green Rising: Powering Youth Action & Solutions for Climate

#### Moderator:

**Charlene Ruto**, Founder & Patron, SMACHS Foundation

#### Keynote:

**Kevin Frey**, Chief Executive Officer, Generation Unlimited

**Nour Elnabawy**, Actor & UNICEF Shabab Balad Ambassador

**Hon. Shri Bhupender Yadav**, Minister of Labour & Employment, Environment, Forest & Climate Change, India

**Kitty van der Heijden**, Deputy Executive Director, Partnerships, UNICEF

#### Speakers:

**Amal Ridene**, YPAT Member & Youth Negotiator, Generation Unlimited

**Ahmed Alhendawi**, Secretary General, Chief Executive Officer, World Organization of the Scout Movement

**Shobha Meera**, Chief Corporate Responsibility Officer, CapGemini

**Alexandra van der Ploeg**, Head of Corporate Social Responsibility, SAP

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## » Unlocking Innovative Financing for Climate-Resilient Education in Emergencies

### Moderator:

**Yasmine Sherif**, Executive Director, Education Cannot Wait

### Speakers:

**Hon. Awut Deng Achuil**, Minister of General Education & Instruction, South Sudan

**Avinash Persaud**, Special Envoy on Investment & Financial Services to the Office of the Prime Minister of Barbados

**Ole Thonke**, Undersecretary for Development Policy, Government of Denmark

**Amy Clarke**, Chief Impact Officer, Tribe Impact Capital (Video Remarks)

**Aya Mohamad El Hawarneh**, Youth Advocate & Project Co-ordinator, ANERA

## » Teachers for the Planet: Leadership for Climate Action in & through Education

### Moderator:

**Lennart Kuntze**, Global Head of Climate Education & Leadership, Teach For All

### Speakers:

**Hon. H.E. João Marques da Costa**, Minister of Education, Portugal

**H.E. Edil Baisalov**, Deputy Chairman, Cabinet of the Ministers, Kyrgyz Republic

**Wendy Kopp**, Chief Executive Officer & Co-founder, Teach For All

**Esther Gacigi**, Teacher Primary School, Teach For Kenya

**Maïlys Reneaume**, Teacher Secondary School, L'École de la Transition, La Garnache

**Nick McKinlay**, Director, Global Programmes, Aga Khan Foundation

**Ryan Bestre**, Teach for the Philippines Alumnus, Climate Change Officer, Asian Development Bank

**Dr. Andrew Cunningham**, Global Lead for Education, Aga Khan Foundation

## » The Role of Education in Building Climate-Resilient Development in the 21st Century

### Moderator:

**Adriana Valenzuela**, Education & Youth Leadership Program Lead, Global Center on Adaptation

### Speakers:

**Dr. Ede Ijjasz-Vasquez**, Senior Advisor, Global Center on Adaptation

**Fatou Gaye**, Former Minister of Forestry & the Environment, Republic of the Gambia

**H.E. Dr. Tariq Al Gurg**, Chief Executive Officer, Dubai Cares

**Prof. Tan Sri Zakri bin Abdul Hamid**, Joint Chair, Malaysian Industry-Government Group for High Technology (MIGHT)

**Maja Groff**, Convener, Climate Governance Commission

**Aryaa Sahoo**, Youth Representative

## » Metrics That Matter: Utilizing Data for Effective Climate Education

### Moderator:

**Abdul Matheen Yusuf**, Chief Executive Officer, Project You

### Speakers:

**Dr. Randa Grob-Zakhary**, Chief Executive Officer, Education.org

**Sallyann Della Casa**, Chief Executive Officer & Chief Identity Hacker, GLEAC

**Martin Benavides**, Executive Director, UNESCO IIEP

**David Hollow**, Director, Jigsaw Education

**Kamran Robert Kardan**, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Knowledge E

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## 12:00 - 12:45 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (B)

### » Growing Green Champions: Building the Foundations of Climate Action by Investing in Children

#### Moderator:

**Elizabeth Lule**, Executive Director, ECDAN

#### Keynote:

**H.E. Dr. Tariq Al Gurg**, Chief Executive Officer, Dubai Cares (Opening Remarks)

**Kitty van der Heijden**, Deputy Executive Director, Partnerships, UNICEF

#### Speakers:

**Hon. Madalitso Wirima Kambauwa**, Minister of Education, Republic of Malawi

**H.E. Dr. Rania Al Mashat**, Minister of International Cooperation, Egypt

**H.E. Edil Baisalov**, Deputy Chairman, Cabinet of the Ministers, Kyrgyz Republic

**Gillian Caldwell**, Chief Climate Officer & Deputy Assistant Administrator, USAID

**Rebecca Chandler Leege**, Chief Executive Officer, Worldreader

**Francisco Vera**, Youth Advocate, UNICEF

### » Green Jobs: Paving the Way for a Sustainable Future

#### Moderator:

**Monika Froehler**, Chief Executive Officer, Ban Ki-moon Centre for Global Citizens

#### Keynote:

**H.E. Ban Ki-moon**, 8th UNSG & Co-chair, Ban Ki-moon Centre for Global Citizens (Video Statement)

**Irina Bokova**, Former Director-General, UNESCO

#### Speakers:

**H.E. Rossieli Soares da Silva**, Secretary of Education, State of Pará, Brazil

**H.E. Miguel Sedoff**, Minister of Education, Misiones Province, Argentina

**Sharon Armstrong**, Director-General of Social Development, Global Affairs Canada

**Kathleen Sherwin**, Chief Strategy & Engagement Officer, Plan International

**Lateefa Alnoaimi**, Sustainable & Renewable Energy Engineer, YOUNGO's Green Jobs Working Group

#### Closing Remarks:

**H.E. Dr. Tariq Al Gurg**, CEO & Vice-Chairman Dubai Cares

### » Connecting the Dots: Youth-led Initiatives in Rewiring Education for Climate Action

#### Moderator:

**Prof. Marcelo Sánchez Sorondo**, Chancellor Emiritus, Pontifical Academy of the Social Sciences, The Vatican

#### Keynote:

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

#### Speakers:

**H.E. Jurrian Middelhoff**, Ambassador of Youth, Education & Skills, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Netherlands

**Rev. Canon. Dr. Betsee Parker**, Baroness of Locheil, Scotland

**Dr. Wen-Wen Tung**, Associate Professor & Director of Geodata, Science for Professionals MS Program, Purdue University

**Maryam Rabiee**, Head of SDGs Today at UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network (UNSDSN)

**Vidya Bindal**, 10th grade Millburn High School, New Jersey, (Youth Environmental Leader)

**Eshaan Jain**, 11th Grade High-School Student, Pingry School, New Jersey, (Youth Environmental Leader)

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» **Innovative Education Models for Green Skilling in Emergency Contexts**

**Moderator:**

**Derek Madsen**, Chief Development Officer, ANERA

**Keynote:**

**Sean Carrol**, President & Chief Executive Officer, ANERA

**Speakers:**

**Julia Dicum**, Director of Education, UNRWA

**Latifa Mattar**, Gulf Advocacy and External Engagement Manager, Save the Children International

**Mageed Yahia**, Country Director UAE & Representative to GCC, UN World Food Programme

**Youth Voices**

**Bisan Owda**, Youth Advocate Palestine (video intervention)

**Aya Mohamad El Hawarne**, Youth Advocate & Project Coordinator, ANERA

**Qamar Samir Karamah**, Youth Advocate, Lebanon

**Dana Mahmoud Ali Musaffar**, Youth Advocate, Palestine

**Ayeda Mohammad Ghnam**, Youth Advocate, Egypt

» **Moving from Ideas to Action: Localized Levers to Support Youth Education & Employment in the Green Economy**

**Moderator:**

**Dr. Liesbet Steer**, President & Chief Executive Officer, Education Development Center

**Speakers:**

**H.E. Jeanne d'Arc Mujawamariya**, Minister of Environment, Rwanda

**Jennifer Morris**, Chief Executive Officer, The Nature Conservancy

**Hamoon Ekhtiari**, Chief Executive Officer, FutureFit AI

**Dr. Nada Berrada**, African Union Youth & Education Champion, Education Development Center, RegenIntel Fellow

**12:45 - 13:15 LUNCH BREAK**

**13:15 - 14:00 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (C)**

» **Transforming Climate Education for Justice, Equity, Diversity & Inclusion**

**Moderator:**

**Armand Arton**, Chief Global Citizen & Founder, Arton Capital

**Speakers:**

**Hon. Philip J. Pierre**, Prime Minister, St. Lucia

**Irina Bokova**, Former Director-General, UNESCO

**Joyce Mendez**, UNSG Youth Climate Change Advisor & Co-founder, Latin American Observatory of Geopolitics of Energy

**Yusra Mardini**, Goodwill Ambassador, UNHCR

**Sister Zeph**, Global Teacher Prize Winner 2023

**Daniela Gissara**, Assistant Director, International Partnerships, Perkins School for the Blind

**Feraye Ozfescioglu**, Chief Executive Officer, World Humanitarian Forum

## » Placing Gender Equality & Youth at The Heart of Education Transformation for Climate

### Moderator:

**Kathleen Sherwin**, Chief Strategy & Engagement Officer, Plan International

### Speakers:

**Hon. Madalitso Wirima Kambauwa**, Minister of Education, Republic of Malawi

**Dr. Heike Kuhn**, Head of Division, Education, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation & Development of Germany

**Yasmine Sherif**, Executive Director, Education Cannot Wait

**Salha Aziz**, Youth Leader, GPE, Tanzania

**Nelly Beatriz Yaguachi Caiz**, Indigenous Youth Leader, Ecuador

**Renata Koch Alvarenga**, Founder & Director, EmpoderaClima, Brazil

## » Funding the Future: Financing Models for Climate-Smart Education

### Moderator:

**Zahara Malik**, Founder, Impact Gate

### Speakers:

**H.E. Cheikh Oumar Anne**, Minister of National Education, Senegal

**H.E. Dr. Tariq Al Gurg**, Chief Executive Officer, Dubai Cares

**H.E. Dr. Amel Karboul**, Chief Executive Officer, Education Outcomes Fund

**Richard Hawkes**, Chief Executive Officer, British Asian Trust

**Véronique Faujour**, Managing Director, Grameen Crédit Agricole Foundation

**Pierre Lucas**, Country Director Senegal, WFP

**Dr. Rachael Barza**, Lead, Climate Adaptation & Nature Finance, European Bank for Reconstruction & Development

## » Accelerating Climate Action: The Transformative Power of Rewired Education

### Moderator:

**Anna Murru**, Strategic Partnership Advisor, VVOB - Education for Development

### Speakers:

**H.E. Conrad Omalikeh Sackey**, Minister of Basic & Senior Secondary Education, Sierra Leone

**Hon. Eng. Collins Nzovu**, Minister of Green Economy, Republic of Zambia

**Koen Timmers**, Director, Take Action Global

**Peace Monica Pimer**, Founder & Executive Director, Nile Girls Forum, Uganda

## » What Works to Build More Inclusive & Climate-Resilient National Systems?

### Moderator:

**Natalia Mattioli**, Deputy Manager, United Nations Partnership on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNPRPD) Fund

### Opening Remarks:

**Dr. Heike Kuhn**, Head of Division, Education, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation & Development of Germany

### Speakers:

**Kati Anttalainen**, Senior Specialist International Relations, Ministry of Education and Culture, Finland

**Gabriela Ramos**, Assistant Director-General for the Social & Human Sciences, UNESCO

**Mahbub Kabir**, Advocacy & Inclusion Advisory Manager, CBM Ireland

**Tala Al Ramahi**, Director, Reaching The Last Mile

**Stefan Tromel**, Senior Disability Specialist, International Labour Organization



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## 14:15 - 15:00 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (D)

### » Launch of the BRACE Initiative: Financing Climate Resilient School Systems

#### Moderator:

**Nick Ireland**, Climate Change Director, Save The Children

#### Speakers:

**Hon. Awut Deng Achuil**, Minister of General Education & Instruction, South Sudan

**Hon. Eang Sophalleth**, Minister of Environment, Cambodia

**Hon. Didacus Jules**, Director General, Organization of Eastern Caribbean States

**Salha Aziz**, GPE Youth Leader, Tanzania

**Sarah Beardmore**, Climate Initiatives Lead, Global Partnership for Education

**Bapon Fakhruddin**, Senior Specialist, Green Climate Fund

### » Roots of Resilience: The ECD Imperative in a Climate-changing World

#### Moderator:

**Jim Emerson**, Chief Executive Officer, The Power of Nutrition

#### Speakers:

**Emily Gogra**, Deputy Minister of Basic & Secondary Education, Sierra Leone

**Dr. Erum Mariam**, Executive Director, BRAC Institute of Educational Development

**Geneviève Nunez Kebe**, Senior Policy Advisor, Education, International Rescue Committee

**Dr. Kim Foulds**, Vice President of Content Research and Evaluation, Sesame Workshop

**Liana Ghent**, Executive Director, International Step by Step Association

**Suliemman Mleahat**, Education Program Director, ANERA

### » ClimateEd: Education for Climate Action

#### Moderator:

**Dr. Luis Benveniste**, Global Director for Education, World Bank

#### Speakers:

**H.E. Conrad Omalikeh Sackey**, Minister of Basic & Senior Secondary Education, Sierra Leone

**Robert Jenkins**, Director of Education & Adolescent Development, UNICEF

**Maria Soledad Bos**, Education Lead Specialist, Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)

**Temilade Salami**, Youth Climate Leader, Nigeria

### » Partnerships for Responsible Education

#### Co-Moderators:

**Ahmed Alhendawi**, Secretary General, Chief Executive Officer, World Organization of the Scout Movement

**Wissam Kadi**, Vice President for Global Initiatives, SAP Academies & University Alliances

#### Speakers:

**H.H. Princess Sama Bint Faisal Al Saud**, Board Member, World Scout Foundation

**Dr. Karina Edmonds**, Senior Vice President, Global Head of Academies & University Alliances, SAP

**Dr. Eesa Bastaki**, President, University of Dubai

**Kuljit Ghata-Aura**, President in the Middle East, Türkiye & Africa, Boeing

**Sara El Dallal**, Country Director, Amideast UAE

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» **Education as a Catalyst for People & Planet: Rewiring Our Common Agenda**

**Moderator:**

**Priya Joshi**, Senior Project Officer (Research), Global Education Monitoring Report

**Speakers:**

**Stefania Giannini**, Assistant Director-General for Education, UNESCO

**Kathleen Rogers**, President, Earthday.org

**Koen Timmers**, Director, Take Action Global

**Melanie Sany**, Director of Youth, Workforce Development & Green Economies, Education Development Center

**Kehkashan Basu**, Founder-President, Green Hope Foundation

**15:15 - 16:00 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (E)**

» **Scalable Solutions for Global Problems: Lessons from the Private Sector to Accelerate Climate Gains**

**Moderator:**

**Jerome de Bontin**, Partner, Capricorn Investment Group

**Speakers:**

**Jacob Harr**, Chief Executive Officer & Founder, Community Investment Management (CIM)

**Michel Peretie**, Former Chairman of Bear Stearns, Former Head of Investment Bank of Soc Gen, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Riverrock

**Dr. Plamen Russev**, Founder & Chairman, Webit Congress

**Kuljit Ghata-Aura**, President in the Middle East, Türkiye & Africa, Boeing

» **Transitioning Skills: Education for a Sustainable Energy Future**

**Moderator:**

**Samah Elsayed**, Programme Officer of Renewable Energy Education, IRENA

**Speakers:**

**Gauri Singh**, Deputy Director-General, IRENA

**Ana Rovzar**, Director of Policy and Public Affairs, Global Renewables Alliance

**Nicole Iseppi**, Director of Energy Innovation, Bezos Earth Fund

**Izael Da Silva**, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Research and Innovation, Strathmore University Chairholder, UNESCO Chair on Climate Change Resilience and Sustainability

**Prof. John Thwaites**, Chair, Monash Sustainable Development Institute

» **Towards Climate-Smart Education Systems**

**Moderator:**

**Salha Aziz**, Youth Leader, GPE, Tanzania

**Speakers:**

**Hon. Madalitso Wirima Kambauwa**, Minister of Education, Malawi

**Susan Nicolai**, Global Education Director, Save the Children

**Sarah Beardmore**, Climate Initiatives Lead, GPE

**Jun Morohashi**, Chief of Section of Education for Sustainable Development, UNESCO



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» **Driving Systemic Climate Change: The Role of Ministries of Education in Latin America**

**Moderator:**

**Agustín Porres**, Regional Director, Varkey Foundation

**Speakers:**

**H.E. Rossieli Soares da Silva**, Secretary of Education, State of Pará, Brazil

**H.E. Miguel Sedoff**, Minister of Education, Misiones Province, Argentina

**H.E. Práxedes López**, Minister of Education, Corrientes Province, Argentina

**Alberto de Cardenas**, Chief Executive Officer, PeruChamps

**Francisco Anello**, Global Senior Vice President of Education, Aleph Holding

**Ferdinando Regalia**, Manager, Social Sector Department, InterAmerican Development Bank

» **Youth Raising Ambition For Quality Climate Education**

**Moderator:**

**Shreya KC**, Campaign Coordinator for Asia, Mock Education Ministers Summit & YOUNGO Representative

**Opening Remarks:**

**Stefania Giannini**, Assistant Director-General for Education, UNESCO

**Speakers:**

**H.E. Nura Mustaf**, State Minister, Ministry Of Education, Culture & Higher Education, Somalia

**Baroness Barran**, Parliamentary Undersecretary of State at the Department for Education, United Kingdom

**Will Wale**, Youth Focal Point for Sustainability & Climate Change for the Department for Education, United Kingdom

**Khady Diop Mbodji**, Secretary General of the Ministry of National Education, Senegal

**Sofia Luna Quispe**, Mock Campaign Coordinator, Peru

**Closing Remarks:**

**Yasmine Sherif**, Executive Director, Education Cannot Wait

**16:15 - 17:00 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (F)**

» **African Union Year of Education, 2024: Catalyzing Skills Potential for a Green Economy in Africa**

**Moderator:**

**Erna Grasz**, Chief Executive Officer, Asante Africa

**Speakers:**

**H.E Prof. Mohammed Belhocine**, Commissioner for Education, Science, Technology & Innovation, African Union Commission

**H.E. Prof. Prosper B. Matondi**, Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Environment, Climate & Wildlife, Republic of Zimbabwe

**Jesper Wohlert**, Director, HUMANA People to People

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» **Building Resilience for Education in the Face of Climate Change Utilizing Technology**

**Moderator:**

**Anna-Maria Tammi**, Thematic Lead for Education in Crisis & Conflict, GPE

**Speakers:**

**Hon. Madalitso Wirima Kambauwa**, Minister of Education, Republic of Malawi

**Majed Akl**, Education Industry Advisor, Microsoft

**Robert Jenkins**, Director Education & Adolescent Development, UNICEF

**Salha Aziz**, GPE Youth Leader, Tanzania

**Kevin Frey**, CEO, Generation Unlimited

**Charles North**, Deputy CEO, GPE

» **School Meals & Food Systems: Rethinking the Consequences for Climate, Environment, Biodiversity & Food Sovereignty**

**Moderator:**

**Prof. Donald Bundy**, Director, Research Consortium for School Health & Nutrition

**Speakers:**

**H.E. Conrad Omalikeh Sackey**, Minister of Basic & Senior Secondary Education, Sierra Leone

**Carmen Burbano**, Director, School-Based Programmes, UN World Food Programme

**Dr. Silvia Pastorino**, Research Fellow, Sustainability, Nutrition & Health, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

**Prof. Marco Springmann**, Professor of Climate Change, Food Systems, & Health, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

» **Empowering Refugee Education for Climate Resilience**

**Moderator:**

**Rebecca Granato**, Associate Vice President for Global Initiatives, Bard College & Open Society University Networks

**Speakers:**

**Raakhi Williams**, Chief of Strategy, Planning & Accountability, Education Cannot Wait

**Danah Dajani**, Senior Vice President, Partnerships & Programs, Al Ghurair Foundation

**Dr. Rana Al Turk**, Business Development & Growth Director, Luminus life+

**Nhial Deng**, Global Student Prize Winner 2023

**Deline Yihumutima Ramiro**, Youth Delegate, UNHCR

» **Youth Igniting Action: Cross-Industry Solutions for Climate & Nature**

**Moderator:**

**Dana Hasan AlHosani**, Assistant Director, Strategy & Partner Relations, NYU Abu Dhabi

**Speakers:**

**H.E. Ahmed Abdulmuttaleb Baharoon**, Executive Director of Environment Information, Science & Outreach Management, Environment Agency Abu Dhabi (EAD)

**Ayla Bajwa**, Senior Vice President Sustainability, DP World

**Laila Abdullatif**, Director-General, Emirates Nature World Wide Fund for Nature (EN-WWF)

**Jennifer Chammas**, Regional Head of Sustainability & Sustainable Finance, CMB MENAT, HSBC

**Rohan Gupta**, Group Manager, Sustainability Intelligence, DP World

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## 17:15 - 18:00 BREAKOUT SESSIONS (G)

- » **Navigating the ESG (Environmental, Social & Corporate Governance) Landscape: Synergies Between Climate Action & Educational Reform**  
**Moderator:**  
**Christine Özden**, Global Director, Climate Education, Cambridge Partnership for Education  
**Speakers:**  
**Hon Eng. Collins Nzovu**, Minister of Green Economy, Republic of Zambia  
**David Ramos**, Acting Head of Sustainability (MENAT), HSBC Middle East & Turkey  
**Begoña Águeda C. de Albornoz**, Corporate Citizenship & Environment Lead, Middle East, Accenture  
**David Boucher**, Senior Corporate Partner, Global Business Coalition & Reed Smith LLP  
**Ayla Bajwa**, Senior Vice President Sustainability, DP World
  
- » **Synergizing Sustainability: The Transformative Power of Integrating Climate Education with Life Skills**  
**Keynote:**  
**Don Sedlock**, Director, Global Development, JA Worldwide  
**Gilles Vermot-Desroches**, SVP Corporate Citizenship & Institutions, Schneider Electric  
**Moderator:**  
**Nicholas Kee**, JA Company Program Alumni, Entrepreneur, Founder of KeeFarms  
**Speakers:**  
**Kevin Frey**, Chief Executive Officer, Generation Unlimited  
**Nadia Abdallah**, Chief Education Officer, INJAZ Al Arab  
**Taha Bawa**, Co-Founder, Goodwall  
**Love Dager**, JA Alumni, Hackathon Manager, Hack for Earth  
**Gillian Hinde**, Global Corporate Responsibility Leader, Ernst & Young (EY)  
**Omar Khan**, Head of Centre for Business Studies & Research, Dubai Chamber
  
- » **From Activism to Action: Closing the Skills Gap**  
**Moderator:**  
**Alia Al Ali**, Global Investor Access Analyst & HSBC Youth Council President  
**Speakers:**  
**Nichole Cirillo**, Executive Director, IAVE  
**Justina Nixon-Saintil**, Vice President & Chief Impact Officer, IBM  
**Sharon Armstrong**, Director-General of Social Development, Global Affairs, Canada  
**Alison Bellwood**, Founder & Executive Director, The World's Largest Lesson & Project Everyone  
**Kumar Verma**, Managing Director, Scholars International Group (SIG)

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» **Future-Ready Learning: EdTech's Role in Climate Adaptation & Mitigation**

**Moderator:**

**Raya Bidshahri**, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, School of Humanity

**Speakers:**

**Tomas Lamanuskas**, Deputy Secretary General, ITU

**Dr. Fuzan Al Khalidi**, Education Strategy Advisor, Digital Schools

**Lady Marieme Jamme**, Chief Sustainability Officer & Founder, iamtheCODE

**Agustín Alejandro Batto Carol**, Founder & Strategy Lead, Eidos Global

» **Cultivating Wellbeing: School Health & Nutrition for a Sustainable Future**

**Moderator:**

**Dr. Shariha Khalid**, Founding Partner, Mission & Co.

**Speakers:**

**Caitlin Baron**, Chief Executive Officer, Luminos Fund

**Jim Emerson**, Chief Executive Officer, The Power of Nutrition

**Ndellejong Cosmas Ejong**, Global Technical Lead for Schistosomiasis & Soil Transmitted Helminthiasis, Sightsavers

**Laura Parrotta**, Senior Director of Investor Relations, The End Fund

**18:00 - 18:30 CLOSING**

**Keynote:**

**Nhial Deng**, Global Student Prize Winner 2023

**Sister Zeph**, Global Teacher Prize Winner 2023

**Bobby Sager**, Renowned Photographer and Philanthropist

**Amina J. Mohammed**, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations

**Speakers:**

**H.E. Dr. Tariq Al Gurg**, CEO & Vice-Chairman Dubai Cares