

Risk and Resilience: Shared Opportunities for Science + Capital

August 26th – 29th, 2014, Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center, Bellagio, Italy

Meeting organized by Molly Jahn and Rowan Douglas

This meeting assembles leading partners from two converging initiatives, one anchored in the global science community working at the water/energy/food/climate nexus, one anchored in global capital focused on integrating disaster risk and resilience into finance. These initiatives share a common goal of marshaling frontier science and technology toward improved reflections of risks, including risks related to chronic natural resource depletion and climate, and improved approaches to building resilience.

The "science" community in this initiative is a structured collaborative assembled over several years with specific intent to create in curated, shared, public/private space improved "knowledge systems for sustainability." The "capital" team is centering in dialogues hosted by the World Economic Forum to be announced September 23, 2014 at the UN Climate Summit. The meeting will be conducted under Chatham House Rule, draft meeting agenda attached.

This gathering builds on a core partnership in the global science/technology community announced in May, 2014 in Mexico that includes the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, the flagship basic science organization in the US Dept of Energy National Lab system focused on energy and climate, the International Maize/Wheat Research Center, CIMMYT, the largest of the international agricultural research organizations with global mandate for research in support of the world's poorest people, and the Australian national research organization, CSIRO. Other colleagues from participating organizations include the International Council of Science (ICSU)'s Future Earth, AgMIP, GEOGLAM, Columbia University's Earth Institute, Boston University's Pardee Center and the International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis. Our task for this meeting is to develop agreements of specific work plans for each team, and targets for work streams anchored in a vision that has been elaborated with short, medium and longer range goals.

We will assemble in time for a reception and dinner on Tuesday, August 26, at the Sfondrata, our meeting site on the shore of Lake Como. We will meet all day Wednesday and Thursday both in plenary and as separate teams to coordinate near and mid-term next steps. Participants are expected to be present for both days, and are invited to stay for dinner Thursday night to depart on Friday morning. All costs on the ground (food, lodging, ground transportation) for invited participants will be covered by the Rockefeller Foundation, with the possible exception of special transportation needs. Rooms at the Bellagio Center can be occupied only by invited participants. There will be a special dinner for our guests on Wednesday evening at Villa Serbelloni, also on site, where we will be joined by the Rockefeller Foundation's Bellagio Resident Fellows.

Final Meeting Agenda for *Risk and Resilience: Shared Opportunities for Science + Capital*, 26-29 August, 2014

All meeting sessions will be held at the Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center, Sfondrata, Via Garibaldi, 8 - 22021, Bellagio, Italy.

Tuesday 26 August 2014

Time	Topic	
17:00-19:30	<i>Introductions and cocktails</i>	
19:30-20:30	<i>Dinner</i>	
20:30-22:00	After dinner talk and discussion; review of meeting objectives	<i>Led by Rowan Douglas and Molly Jahn</i>

Wednesday 27 August 2014

Time	All meetings in plenary	
8:00-9:00	<i>Breakfast</i>	
9:00-10:30	<i>The whole view now: Science + Capital</i> <i>Welcome from meeting organizers, orientation and overview, review in community of meeting agenda, goals and strategy, review principles of engagement</i>	<i>Short introductions from each organization</i>
10:30-11:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
11:00-12:45	<i>Updates from "Capital" to "Science"</i>	PLENARY – Rowan Douglas, Moderator
12:45-13:00	<i>Group pictures (All - Science Team and Capital Team)</i>	
13:00-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00-15:30	<i>Updates from "Science" to "Capital"</i>	PLENARY – Molly Jahn, Moderator
15:30-16:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
16:00-17:30	<i>Introduction of the "linkers" in attendance; science networks</i>	PLENARY <i>Updates from GEOGLAM, Future Earth and TomKat Charitable Trust</i>
17:30-18:30	<i>Review of the day</i>	PLENARY
18:30-21:30	<i>Cocktails and dinner at the Villa main building</i>	<i>First shuttle bus to the Villa at 18:30</i> <i>Last shuttle bus back to the Sfondrata at 21:30</i>

Thursday 28 August 2014

Time		
8:00-9:00	<i>Breakfast</i>	
9:00-10:30	<i>"Capital" and "Science" teams break out for planning and further discussion including:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>"Capital" needs from the "Science" community</i> • <i>"Science" needs from the "Capital" community</i> <i>Linking organizations, networks and people can sort appropriately</i>	SEPARATE TEAM MEETINGS
10:30-11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00-13:00	<i>Separate team meetings continue</i>	SEPARATE TEAM MEETINGS
13:00-14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00-15:30	<i>Breakout groups report back, synthesis in community</i>	PLENARY
15:30-16:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
16:00-17:00	<i>Next steps, calendar, meeting conclusions</i>	PLENARY
17:00-19:00	<i>Break</i>	
19:00-20:30	<i>Cocktails and dinner for those who can stay</i>	

Friday 29 August 2014

Time		
6am – departure time	<i>Self service continental breakfast</i>	
	All meeting attendees depart	

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