

Earth Charter+25 Event Programme Day 1

Tuesday, July 1 / 13:00 - 17:45 O'Clock at Bilderberg Europa Hotel and 18:00 - 21:30 at The Beach House WOW

Explore

'Tree of Hope and Action':

Harvesting commitments and actions

ECI stand to be visited, and several publications

10:00 - 12:00 **Rooms available in the hotel for informal meetings**
such as among EC Young Leaders or ECI Affiliates and partners

13:00 - 13:30 **Welcome: Reception in meeting room lobby**
• Register at the desk of the organizing team
• Coffee & Tea

13:30 - 13:45 **Plenary Opening**

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Paul Lubbers, Akpezi Ogbuigwe, Michael Bracken and Laura Rodrigues

Purpose of this gathering and the Earth Charter

Presenting the EC2025 Team

13:45 - 14:00 **Earth Charter 25 Years Overview**

Overview and Reflections on the 25 years of the EC

Mirian Vilela, Earth Charter International, Brazil/Costa Rica

Awraham Soetendorp, Earth Charter Commissioner, The Netherlands

14:00 - 14:15 **General Introduction**

Affiliates, Partners, Young Leaders and Educators including Affiliation agreement & EC School Seal signing ceremony

14:15 - 14:30 **Participants interactions**

Sharing who we are and what we do

Alide Roerink, Earth Charter International, The Netherlands



14:30 - 16:00 **Parallel sessions with special contributions**

Session 1

Earth Charter, Planetary Well-being, Common Good, Regeneration and Earth Laws

Kazuo Takahashi, Earth Charter Japan, **Michelle Maloney**, Australian Earth Law Alliance, **Prue Taylor**, New Zealand Centre for Environmental Law and **Rick Clugston**, ECI Council [USA]. **Moderator: Veronique Swinkels** Lab Future Generations [NL] & **Young Leader**

Session 2

Earth Charter in Education: Fostering Planetary Consciousness

Maria Garcia & Lineke Stobbe Windesheim University of Applied Sciences, [NL], **Ainhua Garayar** Universidad del País Vasco and **Victoria Thoresen** Inland Norway University [Norway]. **Moderator: Sanne van Oort**, Avans University [NL] & **Young Leader**

Session 3

Earth Charter Experiences and Tools

Alicia Jimenez, Earth Charter International [Costa Rica], **Traci Pannullo**, Ridge and Valley Charter School [USA], **Lavinia Warnars**, iEarth [NL] **Cathy Fitzgerald**, Haumea Ecovercity [Ireland]. **Moderator: Irma Verhoeven** Yuverta [NL] & **Young Leader**

Session 4

Sharing Experiences: Expanding Horizons for Intergenerational Justice

Hiria Ottino, Tahitian Historical Society [France], **Heleen de Mooij Lubbers** & **Ruben Timman**, Museum of Humanity [NL], **Nobuyuki Asai**, Soka Gakkai International [Japan] and **Luuk Jan Boon**, WaddenSea Association [NL] **Moderator: Jane Kilonzo**, ECI Council [Kenya] & **Chloé Bernardino** [France]

16:00 - 16:30

Tea and Coffee Break

16:30 - 17:30 **Plenary Session:**

Declaring Our Responsibility to One Another, the Community of Life, and Future Generations

Keynote

Reflections and interactive dialogue
Book Launch

Severn Cullis-Suzuki, Earth Charter Commissioner [Canada]
Mahlet Girma, ECYL & Inspired Development [Ethiopia]
'Planetary Well-Being' and 'Education for Sustainable Futures'



17:30 - 17:45

Get ready and walk together to the beach house at 17:45 O'Clock!

18:00 - 21:30 **Beach House Celebratory Evening Program**

Welcome & toast

to celebrate 25 years Earth Charter
Musical performance

Paul Lubbers and Alide Roerink

Ayla's Castle

- Flash mob on the beach
- Buffet Dinner
- Special recognition of Earth Charter 'Champions' by **Mirian Vilela** and **Michael Bracken**
- The power of Earth Storytelling by **Grian Cutanda**, The Earth Stories Collection, Spain
- Closing of the day

