POTSDAM SUMMER SCHOOL 2016

DEALING WITH CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACTS Sep 05 until Sep 14

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Call for Applications is starting now!

From global sea-level rise to extreme events like floods or droughts, the third Potsdam Summer School will focus on long-term climate change impacts and the challenge of dealing with them.

From September 05 until September 14, renowned experts from Potsdam and abroad will share their insights into approaches to climate change impacts and work together with Summer School participants to develop concrete proposals for dealing with such impacts in future. The Summer School is geared towards young professionals, post-docs and future decision-makers from research institutes, government agencies, NGOs and the private sector. Applications from around the world are welcome and the Potsdam Summer School will be an excellent opportunity to exchange ideas and initiate future co operations.

An intense ten-day programme will address topics like
- Discovering Planetary Boundaries
- Identifying and Forecasting the Impacts
- Assessing the Impacts
- Fostering the Dialogue with Stakeholders and the public

The application process for the international Summer School is now open until 15 April 2016.

The organisers welcome applications from up-and-coming scholars and young professionals with different backgrounds, who will come together to debate the impacts of climate change and how to deal with them.

The entire Summer School will be conducted in English. It is organised by the following Potsdam-based research institutes: The Alfred Wegener Institute (AWI), the Helmholtz-Centre Potsdam - GFZ German Research Centre for Geosciences, the Institute for Advanced Sustainability Studies (IASS), the Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK) and the University of Potsdam. The City of Potsdam is supporting the event as a partner.

For further information and to download the application form, please visit the Potsdam Summer School website or contact Angela Borowski.