

# CLIMATE CHANGE CRISIS AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE IN THE AMAZON: VOICES FROM INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND ACTIVISTS

A CONFERENCE IN HONOR OF DOM PHILLIPS AND BRUNO PEREIRA

FRIDAY, MAY 10TH, 2024

LOCATION: YALE SCHOOL OF THE  
ENVIRONMENT, KROON HALL

8:30 A.M. — 9:00 A.M.

BREAKFAST

9:00 A.M. — 9:15 A.M.

WELCOME REMARKS

- Albert Ko, Yale University

9:15 A.M. — 9:45 A.M.

KEYNOTE

- Marina Silva, Ministry of Environment and Climate Change (Brazil)  
(virtual)

Introduction by Alessandra Sampaio, President of the Dom Phillips Institute

9:45 A.M. — 10:15 A.M.

OPENING COMMENTS

- João Biehl, Princeton University

Introduction by Claudia Vallenggia, Yale University

10:15 A.M. — 11:45 A.M.

ENVIRONMENTAL CRISIS IN THE AMAZON

A panel that focuses on the impact that climate change has had in the Amazon ecosystem and on public health. It will also discuss the possible actions that can be taken through environmental legislation.

- Eliane Brum, Sumaúma
- Caetano Scannavino, Health and Joy Project
- Kristina Lyons, University of Pennsylvania

Moderated by Paulo Brando, Yale University

11:45 A.M. — 1:00 P.M.

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about the  
speakers [here](#):



**1:00 P.M. — 2:30 P.M.**

## **HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS AND POLITICAL CONFLICTS IN THE AMAZON**

A panel that focuses on illegal logging, human rights violations, attacks on indigenous territory and other political conflicts in the Amazon.

There will be a legal approach here as well.

- David Cordero-Heredia, Cornell University
- Daniel Camargos, Repórter Brasil
- Daniela Alarcon, Ministry of Indigenous Peoples (Brazil)
- Ivo Cípio Aureliano, Indigenous Council of Roraima

Moderated by Tom Phillips, The Guardian

**2:30 P.M. — 4:30 P.M.**

## **VOICES OF THE ACTIVISTS IN THE AMAZON**

The fight against modern slavery, the goal of increasing awareness about indigenous issues, and in defense of indigenous health.

- Olimpio Guajajara, Guardians of the Forest
- Joênia Wapichana, National Foundation of Indigenous Peoples (Brazil)
- Beto Marubo, UNIJAVA

Moderated by Glenn Shepard, Goeldi Museum

**4:30 P.M. — 5:00 P.M.**

## **SYNTHESIS AND NEXT STEPS**

- Tom Phillips, The Guardian
- Eliane Brum, Sumaúma
- Alessandra Sampaio, President of the Dom Phillips Institute

**5:00 P.M. — 5:15 P.M.**

## **CLOSING REMARKS**

- Gerald Torres, Yale University

**5:15 P.M. — 6:15 P.M.**

## **RECEPTION AND PHOTO EXHIBIT**

- Welcome by Vice Provost Steven Wilkinson, Yale University

**7:00 P.M.**

## **DINNER — INVITEES ONLY**

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