



Launch of the Climate Commission for UK Higher and Further Education Students and Leaders

Date: Wednesday 13th November

Time: 14:15 -17:30

Venue: Ravensbourne University London – [click here for directions](#)

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Objectives:

- To launch the Climate Commission for UK Higher and Further Education Students and Leaders
- To establish the Climate Commissioners from our partners
- To establish the Council comprising university and college students and leaders
- To inspire and initiate a sector-wide Climate Emergency Framework and Action Plan
- To recognise and include process Observers, Expert Witnesses and Practitioners through the Think Tank which will formally contribute to the Climate Commission

Agenda

Part 1 – Invited Climate Commissioners and Council – Room 209/10

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| 14:15 – 14:20 | Welcome by Facilitator Iain Patton, CEO, EAUC |
| 14:20 – 14:30 | Introduction to the Climate Commissioners and brief opening remarks from each of the Commissioners |
| 14:30 – 15:25 | Overview of how the Climate Commission will work, timelines, milestones and anticipated output and impact – Council input via small groups |
| 15:25 – 15:30 | Next steps by Facilitator Iain Patton, CEO, EAUC |

Part 2 – Invited to include the above and Observers and Expert Witnesses – Walker Space

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| 15:40 – 15:45 | Welcome to Climate Commission Observers and Expert Witnesses and overview of their role from the Facilitator Iain Patton, CEO, EAUC |
| 15:45 – 16:15 | Keynote speech: The Rt Hon. the Lord Deben (John Gummer), Chair of the Committee on Climate Change |
| 16:15 – 16:45 | Keynote speech: Lizzy Houghton, Students' Union Activities and Development Officer, University of Manchester and Amy Brazier, Student, Portsmouth College |
| 16:45 – 17:20 | Q&A from the floor to the Commissioners and Commission Steering Group, facilitated by Iain Patton, CEO, EAUC |
| 17:20 – 17:30 | Next steps, key dates, thanks and close |