

## Expert Roundtable-Discussion

### `The Agreement of the UN Climate Change Conference (COP21) in Paris: Challenges and Opportunities for Southern Africa`

Tuesday | 08<sup>th</sup> March 2016 | 09:00 – 12:45h  
KAS-Office | 60 Hume Road | Dunkeld 2196 | Johannesburg

08.30h                      **Registration and Tea/Coffee**

09.00h                      **Opening Remarks**

- *Dr Holger Dix*, Resident Representative, KAS South Africa
- *Professor Oliver Ruppel*, Director, Development and Rule of Law Programme (DROP), Stellenbosch University; AR5 CLA IPCC

09.15h                      **Expert Roundtable Discussion I `Challenges and Opportunities for Southern Africa`: The Urban and Governance Perspective**

Chair: *Dr Debra Roberts*

Discussants:

- *Ms Telly Chauke*: The Urban Perspective
- *Professor Godwell Nhamo*: The Governance Perspective

Discussants will each give an introductory statement followed by an open floor discussion.

10.45h                      **Tea Break**

11.15h                      **Expert Roundtable Discussion II `Challenges and Opportunities for Southern Africa`: The International Law Perspective**

Chair: *Professor Tumai Murombo*

Discussants:

- *Andrew Gilder*: SA Climate Change Policy Perspective
- *Professor Oliver Ruppel*: International Law Perspective

Discussants will each give an introductory statement followed by an open floor discussion.

12.45h                      **Light Lunch**

**Chairs:*****Dr Debra Roberts***

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***Professor Tumai Murombo***

Director, Mandela Institute at the School of Law, University of the Witwatersrand

**Discussants:*****Ms Telly Chauke***

Environment & Climate Change Specialist, South African Local Government Association (SALGA)

***Mr Andrew Gilder***

Climate Change and Carbon Markets Practice Area Leader, ENSafrica

***Professor Godwell Nhamo***

Chief Researcher and Chair, Exxaro Chair in Business & Climate Change, Institute for Corporate Citizenship, UNISA

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