Webinar

How will climate change unfold in the Alps? New insights of the IPCC Sixth Assessment Report

20 July 2022, 10:00 – 12:00 on Zoom

Activities of the Alpine Climate Board (ACB) build on the recognition that effects of climate change in the Alps will be more severe than in other European regions. More frequent extreme weather events, natural disasters and the melting of glaciers are noticeable already today and will occur more frequent and more dramatically in the years to come. The recently published Sixth Assessment Report of the IPCC offers new and detailed insights on how climate change will unfold in the Alps and thus provides a new scientific evidence for the ACB to reflect on the need for action. Are our efforts sufficient to meet the challenges of climate change?

Join us for our next webinar to learn more about new scientific insights on climate change in the Alps. We are proud to have two authors of the recent IPCC report to share their insights with us.

Language

The webinar will be held in English.

Registration and link

The conference is free of charge. Please register <u>here</u> by 18 July 2022, at noon. All participants will receive the Zoom link prior to the webinar.

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Further information

This webinar is part of a series of events, organised by the Alpine Climate Board of the Alpine Convention. You will find more information about the ACB, our aims and activities on our <u>website</u>.

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Programme

10:00Welcome and introduction
Helmut Hojesky, Chair of the Alpine Climate Board

10:10 Input presentations

Mountains in the changing climate: the physical science perspective Prof. Dr. Georg Kaser (Institute of Atmospheric and Cryospheric Sciences, University of Innsbruck)

Mountains as pivoting points for climate risks, adaptation and vulnerability Dr. Veruska Muccione (Department of Geography, University of Zurich)

Questions and answers

11:10Discussion on new insights on climate change in the Alps
Interactive discussion:

- Which new insights of the IPCC AR6 report seem crucial for you?
- In which areas/sectors would you see additional need for action? Why?
- Where do you see additional information needs to bring the new scientific insights down to the level of implementation?

Collecting ideas from the participants via Mentimeter

11:40Wrap-up and next stepsHelmut Hojesky, Chair of the Alpine Climate Board

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