E3G

Indicators of Global Climate Change

4 NOVEMBER 2026

TOWNHALL EUROPE
Sq. de Meeûs 5,
Brussels

CLIMATE CHANGE STOCKTAKING:
HOW THE EU IS TACKLING THE NEW CLIMATE REALITY

14:00 - 14:30	Welcome coffee and registration	
14:30 - 14:45	**Introduction**	• **Manon Dufour,** E3G • **Alfons Domínguez Gento,** Mayor of Alzira, Spain
14:45 - 14:55	**Indicators of Global Climate Change: Current state of the world's climate**	• **Tristram Walsh,** University of Oxford
14:55 - 15:00	**Limiting overshoot**	• **Prof. Joeri Rogelj,** Grantham Institute, Imperial College London
15:00 - 15:40	**Panel I: The current state of the climate and how the EU is responding** **Moderator: Marlowe Hood,** independent journalist	• **Vicky Pollard,** DG CLIMA, European Commission • **Dr. Marie Cavitte,** Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB) • **Matthias Duwe,** Climate Programme Ecologic Institute
15:40 - 16:00	Break	
16:00 - 16:10	**Eyes on the planet: State of the Global Observing System for Climate**	• **Dr. Belén Martín Míguez,** Ocean Observations Physics and Climate Panel (OOPC)
16:10 - 17:00	**Panel II: How is the EU adapting to our new climate reality?** **Moderator: Marlowe Hood,** independent journalist	• **Paolo Caridi,** DG CLIMA, European Commission • **Dr. Belén Martín Míguez,** Ocean Observations Physics and Climate Panel (OOPC) • **Tristan Beyens,** Belgian Climate Risk Assessment Center • **Dr. Sehrish Usman,** University of Mannheim
17:00 - 17:10	**Concluding remarks**	• **Johannes ten Broeke,** Cabinet of the European Commissioner for Climate, Net Zero and Clean Growth, Wopke Hoekstra • **Manon Dufour,** E3G
17:10 - 18:00	Cocktail reception	