

From Meteo to impact assessment, part 2: Discussion on approach

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15:30 – 17:00, Room II

DRAFT ABSTRACT

Climate information itself is often not the most interesting to society, however, information about impacts is. Therefore, cooperation between various disciplines (climate, water, environment/ecosystems, but also socio-economic) is important to provide relevant information. However, many people are involved in providing information on climate change, its impacts, adaptation options to users/decision makers, all with their own knowledge, background and perspective. This means a real challenge for the integration of all available information/knowledge and for the dialogue between the various groups.

This session aims to identify the most important challenges in the cooperation between disciplines from the perspectives of scientists, climate service providers, users/stakeholders, to explore ways to solve these challenges and how to deliver more salient and relevant information for decision making.

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