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Please note, due to Covid-19 many events in 2020 will be cancelled or moved online. Please check with the event organiser.

01.02.21 Online

Scotland's Flood Risk Management Conference 2021: FRM and green recovery

02.02.21 Online

The Carbon Trust Europe Corporate Climate Action European roundtables

02.02.21 Online

Carbon Copy Unlocking Local Action: Creating a Coalition

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Forest SIG and the Institute of Chartered Foresters Trees, People and the Built Environment

03.02.21 Online

CCC Policies to meet Net Zero

03.02.21 Online

Carbon Copy Unlocking Local Action: Reducing Your Footprint

04.02.21 Online

Carbon Copy Unlocking Local Action: Boosting the Local Economy

09.02.21 Online

WEET Forum Next steps for achieving net-zero emissions in the UK by 2050 - local and national policy, tackling challenges for key sectors, and the pathway to a just transition

10.02.21 Online

CCC Net Zero: The role of individual action

Other Events

Check out other events on the CNI Calendar



COP26 - UN Climate Change Conference November 2021

January marks the beginning of a busy year in the fight against climate change. For the first time, the UK will host the 26th UN Climate Change Conference of the Parties (COP26) in Glasgow on 1-12 November 2021.

Applications are now open to help shape the COP26 venue in Glasgow ahead of the crucial climate change talks later this year. Find out more here

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New Deal, New Approach - one year on

The restoration of the Northern Ireland Executive in January 2020 was welcomed with enthusiasm, after three years without government. New Decade, New Approach laid out an ambitious agenda for investment and reform in public services, to address both short and long-term economic and social challenges.

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Climate crisis: 2020 was joint hottest year ever recorded

The climate crisis continued unabated in 2020, with the joint highest global temperatures on record, alarming heat and record wildfires in the Arctic, and a record 29 tropical storms in the Atlantic.

Despite a 7% fall in fossil fuel burning due to coronavirus lockdowns, heat-trapping carbon dioxide continued to build up in the atmosphere, also setting a new record.

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Report: UN Adaptation Gap Report 2020

The fifth edition of the UNEP Adaptation Gap Report looks at progress in planning for, financing and implementing adaptation - with a focus on nature-based solutions.

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Why we need a 'just transition' for reaching net zero in the UK

If the UK is to reach net-zero emissions by 2050, we will need to make changes to many aspects of our lives, from the types of cars we drive to the food we eat.

The country's most highly polluting industries, such as the oil and gas sector, will need a complete overhaul if we are to meet climate targets. This could, in turn, bring changes for people employed by these sectors.

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Sign the petition to show your urgent support for an ambitious Climate Change Act in Northern Ireland

The UK Climate Change Act was passed in 2008 and there is still no Northern Ireland specific Climate Change legislation.

Northern Ireland is lagging behind, urgent and ambitious action is now required. View Climate Coalition NI's petition and lend your support for robust climate change legislation in NI.

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More Climate News...

Report: NI Energy Policy

Study: Accounting for value of nature reinforces Paris climate targets

Global ice loss accelerating at record rate, study finds

Top scientists warn of 'ghastly future of mass extinction' and climate disruption

£3bn UK climate finance to be spent on supporting nature

Peat bogs: restoring them could slow climate change - and revive a forgotten world

Limiting air pollution 'could prevent 50,000 deaths in Europe'

Helping poorest tackle climate crisis will boost global growth, says IMF head

NI Water: A climate emergency gamechanger

Role of Fossil Fuel-Based Carbon Capture and Storage in the Energy System

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Funding

This section presents an update on regional climate change expertise and climate change relevant EU and National funding. To keep up to date with funding opportunities, view our funding platform.

If you would like participate in the Climate NI knowledge directory, please submit your profile for consideration.

John Coll - Researcher at Irish Climate Analysis and Research Units (ICARUS), Maynooth University



Current issues: Improving the quality of benchmark datasets for regional climate change assessment. Levering sufficient and sustainable funding streams to support the primary research...

Future solutions: Improving the methods and data available. Maintaining the critical skills and research capacity to further the work...

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Innovation Fund - Small-scale projects

Natural Environment Research Council (NERC) - Highlight Topics

Directorate-General for Climate Action, EU

This supports small-scale projects demonstrating highly innovative technologies, processes or products that are sufficiently mature and have a significant potential to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Projects must have total capital expenditure of between €2.5m and €7.5m for up to four years.

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This supports strategic research on defined topics within the environmental sciences. Grants are worth up to £4 million each over up to four years. The highlight topics are: ionosphere at multiple scales; environmental barriers to the spread of zoonotic pathogens; creating resilient, productive and healthy urban environments; drivers and climate implications of Antarctic sea ice loss; urban climate feedback; and environmental basis for the prevention of zoonotic pathogen emergence.

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Nature Research Awards for Driving Global Impact

British Ecological Society - Research Grants

Science is critical in solving global challenges. In 2021 we invite applications from early career researchers working in these areas: Food security, water security and/or energy security. Healthcare interventions, Environmental protection, Climate change and Sustainable cities. Closing date 21st March 2021.

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These grants support scientific ecological research where there are limited alternative sources of funding. Small projects can be awarded up to £5,000 and early career ecologists can apply for funding up to £20,000.

The first round of funding will open on 7 January 2021, with a deadline of 19 March 2021.

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Westminster Insight Managing Plastic Waste Digital Conference

17.02.21 Online

CCC Net Zero: The role of business

03.03.21 Online

CCC Net Zero: The need for joint action on adaptation

24.03.21 Online

UK Climate Resilience Programme (UKCRP) Overheating in care homes

Other Events

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