

**The Forum on Global Resilience:
Action, Solutions, and the Way
Forward**

Sunday, May 1, 2022 – Monday, May 2, 2022

First Event: 6:30 p.m. ET Sunday, May 1, 2022

LIVE VENUE: Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing
Arts of Miami-Dade County

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Topics:**Individual and Community Resilience**

The challenges we face are more complex, frequent, and intense than ever. At the core of communities, cities, and organizations is the individual. How prepared are we as individuals to deal with shocks and disruptions? One way to build resilience is to learn through the stories of others. We will hear the remarkable story of one person's individual resilience and how each of us can learn to build our own resilience.

Extreme Heat

Extreme Urban Heat is often called the “silent killer” because it kills more people than any other climate-driven weather event in an average year, and yet its deadly nature is little known or understood. Heatwaves do not wreak the same physical damage or provide the visual drama of wildfires, hurricanes, and floods. And with the way we have constructed our urban environments, cities are ground zero for the health, social, economic, and physical consequences of extreme heat. We will explore these challenges and the myriad of solutions happening now; people do not need to die from heat.

Innovative Policy, Insurance, and Finance

Can we achieve “holistic resilience financing?” Big lever policy moves, insurance approaches, community capacity building, and risk-reducing investments offer new and truly exciting opportunities to protect people and economies from climate impacts. Deploying public and private capital effectively for adaptation and resilience and applying insurance practices needs global and local focus. We will discuss innovative, replicable ways to advance community-driven interventions to strengthen their social sustainability at local, national, and global levels.

Gaming

How do we communicate the importance of building resilience and being prepared for the climate disruptions of today and tomorrow? We will go where people are: 2 billion people play video games every day—and half of the players are women. Games can fundamentally change the way we build new resilience skills. With co-creators of “Call of Duty” and “Fortnite” we will discuss ways to leverage and redefine the gaming medium to underscore the importance of preparation and the need to build our individual and collective resilience through this ubiquitous technology.

Draft Agenda: Sunday, May 1, 2022 *(All times in ET)*

5:45 p.m. **Shuttle departs from The Gabriel Hotel to Adrienne Arsht's residence**

6:30 – 9:00 p.m. **Evening Reception**

At the home of **Adrienne Arsht**, Executive Vice Chair, Atlantic Council; Founder, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center and Adrienne Arsht Latin America Center, Atlantic Council.

Featuring: Tour of the Adrienne Arsht Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center & Miami-Dade Community Resilience Pod

Agenda: Monday, May 2, 2022 *(All times in ET)*

8:00 – 8:45 a.m. **Breakfast at the Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts**

Guests will convene for a light breakfast preceding the day's events.

Location: Plaza outdoors

8:45 – 9:00 a.m. **Resilience Welcome Experience**

Guests will be greeted with an art and technology exhibit of resilience in action en route to the main event stage. **Guests** will be led into the Center for the Performing Arts in small groups.

Location: Peacock Black Box Theatre onto Main Stage for remainder of day

9:00 – 9:10 a.m. **Welcome**

Adrienne Arsht, Executive Vice Chair, Atlantic Council; Founder, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center and Adrienne Arsht Latin America Center, Atlantic Council

Daniella Levine Cava, Mayor, Miami-Dade County, Florida, United States

9:10 – 9:30 a.m. **Origin Story – Individual Resilience, Inspiration, and Miami**

Adrienne Arsht, Executive Vice Chair, Atlantic Council; Founder, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center and Adrienne Arsht Latin America Center, Atlantic Council

Frederick Kempe, President and CEO, Atlantic Council

9:30 – 9:50 a.m. **Framing the Day, Framing the Issues**

Elizabeth Yee, Executive Vice President, Program Strategy and Chief of Staff, Rockefeller Foundation

Kathy Baughman McLeod, Director and SVP, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council

- 9:50 – 10:10 a.m.** **Meeting this Moment: Resilient Cities, Adaptive Nations**
Mitch Landrieu, *Senior Advisor and Infrastructure Coordinator, The White House*
Interviewed by **Jeff Goodell**, *Rolling Stone*
- 10:10 – 11:00 a.m.** **Miami Heat: One Year On**
Daniella Levine Cava, *Mayor, Miami-Dade County, Florida, United States*
Jane Gilbert, *Chief Heat Officer, Miami-Dade County, Florida, United States, Co-Chair, Climate and Heat Health Task Force*
Dr. Cheryl Holder, *Associate Dean for Diversity, Equity, Inclusivity, and Community Initiatives, Associate Professor, Florida International University; Co-Founder, Florida Clinicians for Climate Health; Co-Chair, Climate and Heat Health Task Force*
- 11:00 – 11:25 a.m.** **Coffee Break**
- 11:25 – 11:40 a.m.** **The Race to Resilience and Looking ahead to COP27**
Nigel Topping, *COP26 High Level Champion*
Interviewed by **Jorge Gastelumendi**, *Global Policy Director, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*
- 11:40– 12:15 p.m.** **The Economics of Heat: Coming to Grips with the Costs**
Oliver Walker, *Director, Vivid Economics*
Rowan Douglas, *Head of Capital Science and Policy Practice, Willis Towers Watson*
Ekhosuehi Iyahan, *Secretary General, Insurance Development Forum*
- 12:15 – 12:45 p.m.** **Ancient Greeks Are Solving a Modern Problem**
Eleni (Lenio) Myrivili, *Chief Heat Officer, Athens, Greece*
Amit Prothi, *Senior Advisor, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*
Kurt Shickman, *Director, Extreme Heat Initiative, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*
- 12:45 – 1:35 p.m.** **Lunch at the Last Call Bistro**
- 1:35 – 2:10 p.m.** **Building Individual Resilience – What Does It Look Like?**
Introduction: Adrienne Arsht, *Executive Vice Chair, Atlantic Council; Founder, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center and Adrienne Arsht Latin America Center, Atlantic Council*

Dr. Amishi Jha, *Author, Professor of Psychology, University of Miami*

2:10 – 2:45 p.m.

Accelerating Climate Resilience Finance – Urgency as a Forcing Function

Ekhosuehi Iyahen, *Secretary General, Insurance Development Forum*

Ben Ratner, *Executive Director, Sustainability, JPMorgan Chase & Co.*

Sophie Evans, *Associate Director-Advisory, Center for Disaster Protection*

Vikram Widge, *Senior Advisor, Climate Policy Initiative,*

2:45 – 3:20 p.m.

Women & Girls in the Driver’s Seat – Community Focused Solutions

Yvonne Aki-Sawyer, *Mayor, Freetown, Sierra Leone*

Eugenia Kargbo, *Chief Heat Officer, Freetown, Sierra Leone*

Elizabeth Yee, *Executive Vice President, Program Strategy and Chief of Staff, Rockefeller Foundation*

3:20 – 3:50 p.m.

Coffee Break

3:50 – 4:30 p.m.

Climate Resilience Opportunities in Latin America in the Decade Ahead

Luis Donald Colosio Riojas, *Mayor, Monterrey, Mexico*

TBD, *Chief Heat Officer, Monterrey, Mexico (TBC)*

Claudio Benjamin Orrego, *Governor, Santiago, Chile*

Cristina Huidobro, *Chief Heat Officer, Santiago, Chile*

Moderator: Mauricio Rodas, *Senior Fellow, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*

Opening Remarks: Jason Marczak, *Senior Director, Adrienne Arsht Latin America Center, Atlantic Council*

4:30 – 4:50 p.m.

Open Session

4:50 – 5:30 p.m.

Two Billion Resilient with the Push of a Button: Possibilities and Solutions from the World of Game Design

Chance Glasco, *Nonresident Senior Fellow, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*

Grant Shonkwiler, *Nonresident Senior Fellow, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*

Trevin York, *Lead Game Designer, Mindblown Labs*

Opening Remarks: Rosemary Mann, *Director, Strategic Partnerships Initiative, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council* and **Nidhi Upadhyaya**, *Deputy Director Strategic Initiatives and Partnerships, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*

5:30 – 5:55 p.m.

Resilient Together: What Will We Do Next?



Kathy Baughman McLeod, *Director and SVP, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center, Atlantic Council*

5:55 – 6:05 p.m.

Special Musical Performance

6:05 – 7:00 p.m.

Reception at the Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts

7:00 p.m.

[Forum concludes]