

19:00, Casa Sanlorenzo

Opening Party

JUNE 4 | PLANET AQUA

MA  OCEAN SPACE | Campo S. Lorenzo, 5069, 30122 Venezia VE

09.00 - 18.00 | RSVP Eventbrite ([Morning](#)) - ([Afternoon](#))

09:00–13:00, Ocean Space RSVP ([Morning](#))

moderated by **Riccardo Luna**

Giulio Boccaletti, Chief Scientific Officer, CMCC

Ferdinando Boero, Professor of Zoology, University of Naples Federico II

Tosca Sala, European Marine Biological Coordination Officer

Valerio Rossi Albertini, CNR

Louise Carver, Human Geographer and Political Ecologist

Panel: **The Hydrogen Era and Beyond**

Massimo Perotti, Executive Chairman Sanlorenzo - **Pierroberto Folgiero**, CEO, Fincantieri S.p.A.

Alex Bellini, Explorer

MA 15:00–18:00 Ocean Space RSVP - ([Afternoon](#))

moderated by **Riccardo Luna**

Antonio Scurati, Author and Writer

Andrea Rinaldo, Professor of Hydrology and Water Resources at EPFL Lausanne and Full Professor of Hydraulic Engineering at the University of Padua

Pietro Daniel Omodeo, Director, UNESCO Chair on Water Heritage and Sustainable Development

Carlo Barbante, President of CSRCC

Francesco Musco, Professor of Urban Planning, IUAV and President of Corila

Antonio Ragusa, Director, Fatebenefratelli Hospital

Rosalba Giugni, Founder and President of Marevivo

Concluding remarks: **Jeremy Rifkin**

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Sanlorenzo Talks Breathtaking **Fabrizio Ferri**, photographer, moderated by **Riccardo Luna**

19:00–21:00 CLIMATE SHAPERS IN ACTION at CAFFE LA SERRA ([Eventbrite](#))

YA 📍 Via Giuseppe Garibaldi, 1254, 30122 Venezia VE

Conscious Conversations – Climate Shapers in a Fishbowl

Intimate dialogues for systemic change

Hosted by **Sara Roversi** and **Massimo Redaelli**

Conversation starters: **Kim Polman** founder Reboot the future - **Francesco Falcieri** (CNR-ISMAR) - **Savino Cimarosto** - Organic Farmer San Erasmo - **Ivan Bognolo** - The Last Fishermen Of Moleche In The Venetian lagoon.

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JUNE 5 | LIFE ECONOMY

 AULA MAGNA SILVIO TRENTIN CA' FOSCARI | Calle de la Saoneria, 3825/D, 30123 Venezia VE

Regenerative Transition – Life in a Changing World: Food, Health & Business

In a time of disruption, this day explores the foundations of a new life-centered economy—where food systems, human health, and business converge to regenerate the planet.

The morning sessions, co-curated with the global network of Climate Shapers, will spotlight young changemakers, innovators, and educators committed to driving impact through systemic education and radical collaboration.

The afternoon will be curated by NATIVA and engage over a dozen top business leaders and CEOs to explore what “value creation” really means in the 21st century. Through a dynamic and interactive format —blending keynote insights with audience-driven dialogue — the conversation will center on Europe’s unique opportunity to redefining value in today’s complex world.

MA 09:00–13:00, Ca' Foscari University, Aula Magna Silvio Trentin - RSVP ([Morning](#))

moderated by **Riccardo Luna** and **Sara Roversi**

Greetings by **Tiziana Lippiello** - Rector of Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Anna Pirani - Scientist, CMCC

Daniele Franco - Scientific Director of Fondazione CINI

Barbara Terenghi - Head of Sustainability Division, Edison

Panel: **Towards Cop30**

Giovanna Melandri - President of Human Foundation and **Carlo Petrini** - President of Terra Madre // Founder and President of Slow Food

Miria Pigato - Professor at Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Angelica De Vito - UN Advisor on Climate Migrants

Panel: **How to Switch to a Life Economy**

Kim Polman - Co&Founder and Chair Reboot The Future **Carlo Giardinetti** -

MA 15:00–18:00 RSVP Ca' Foscari University, Aula Magna Silvio Trentin - ([Afternoon](#))

moderated by **Eleonora Chioda**

NATIVA

Federico Marchetti - Chair, Fashion Task Force of the Sustainable Markets Initiative

Paolo Di Cesare - Co-Founder at NATIVA

Eric Ezechieli - Co-Founder at Nativa

Cristina Bombassei - Chief Legacy Officer at Brembo, President at AIDAF

Davide Bollati - President of Davines Group

Leonardo Bagnoli - President at Sammontana Holding

Simone Colombo - Head of Corporate Sustainability OVS

Antonio Capaldo - Executive President at Gruppo Feudi di San Gregorio

Peter Graschi - CEO at Arena

Antonio De Matteis - CEO at Kiton

Monica Lucarelli - Rome City Council

Cecilia Plicco - Chiesi Group

14:00–17:00 IUAV Aula Colonna | Santa Croce, 191, 30135 Venezia VE

WS *Workshop;* **Terre Future**

in partnership with IUAV and Future Food Institute

moderated by **Filippo Magni**, **Carlo Federico Dall'Omo** (Iuav), **Sara Roversi** (Future Food Institute) and **Stefano Pisani** (Anci Piccoli Comuni)

The 'Terre Future' workshop was created to enhance those metropolitan geographies that, precisely because of their resilience, biodiversity and community fabric, hold the keys to a new development model. An opportunity for intergenerational and inter-institutional dialogue to co-design territorial visions, multiply good practices and activate alliances for a systemic regeneration of the country.

Participants: **Massimiliano De Martin** (Deputy Mayor, City of Venice), **Tommaso Ferrari** (Deputy Mayor, City of Verona), **Antonio Bressa** (Deputy Mayor, City of Padua), **Gianpaolo Santangelo**, **Francesco Berni** (Territory Department, City of Reggio Emilia), **Andrea Murari** (Deputy Mayor, City of Mantova), **Roberta Marchioro** (Environment Department, City of Mantova), **Cristina Balbi** (Deputy Mayor, City of Vicenza), **Piero Pelizzaro** (Director of Territory Department, City of Vicenza).

YA 16:00–18:00 CLIMATE SHAPERS IN ACTION at CAFFE LA SERRA ([eventbrite](#))

 Via Giuseppe Garibaldi, 1254, 30122 Venezia VE

Hosted by **Virginia Cepollina** and **Vishwa Patel**

SWITCH Forward

MA 19:00, Casa Sanlorenzo ([Eventbrite](#))

Sanlorenzo Talks Fragile Balances with **Kim Polman** moderated by **Sara Roversi**

JUNE 6 | FUTURE EARTH

MA  IUAV | Santa Croce, 191, 30135 Venezia VE

Future Earth is a crossroads: from circular cities to regenerative territories, where climate-responsive urban design meets bold rural innovation.

In the morning, IUAV and CMCC guide a deep dive into urban adaptation strategies.

In the afternoon, curated by the Future Food Institute, the focus shifts to Future Lands—a dialogue on integral ecology, exploring how food security and the regeneration of marginal areas can shape resilient futures worldwide.

09:00–13:00, AULA MAGNA IUAV | Santa Croce - RSVP ([Morning](#))

moderated by **Francesco Musco** - Professor of Urban Planning at IUAV University of Venice and President of Corila and **Riccardo Luna**

Greetings by **Benno Albrecht** – Rector of the IUAV University of Venice

Luca Mercalli - SMI

Paola Mercogliano – Principal Scientist at CMCC

Panel Stories of Climate Adaptation

Valentina Orioli – Mobility Councillor of the City of Bologna

Michela Tiboni – Councillor in the Municipality of Brescia

Edoardo Zanchini – Head of the Climate Office, City of Rome

Sebastiano Carrer – Head of Environment and Territory Department at Thetis

discussant: **Filippo Magni** - Assistant Professor in Urban Planning, **Denis Maragno** - Assistant Professor in Urban Planning, **Vittore Negretto** - Adjunct Professor in Urban Design, IUAV University of Venice

Pierluigi Sacco – Professor at the University of Chieti-Pescara // Researcher at the Creative Industries Policy and Evidence Centre

discussant: **Stefania Tonin** – Professor of Applied Economics, Expert Member of the National Commission for Strategic Environmental Assessment (VAS) and Environmental Impact Assessment (VIA), IUAV University of Venice

Luigi De Vecchi – President of Fondazione Sylva, Chairman for Continental Europe, Corporate and Investment Banking at Citi

Carlos Moreno – Chair of Entrepreneurship, Territory and Innovation at Sorbonne Business School // Scientific Director, ETI Lab, IAE Paris-Sorbonne

MA 15:00–18:00, AULA MAGNA IUAV | Santa Croce - RSVP ([Afternoon](#))

Moderated by **Sara Roversi**

Charlie MacGregor CEO & Founder of The Social Hub // NGO Movement on the Ground.

Merijn Dols – Managing Partner at NOW Partners // Co-Founder at Future Economy Forum

Katrin Kaeufer - Program Director at MIT's Department of Urban Studies and Planning and Director of the Presencing Institute

David Laborde – Director for Agrifood Economics Division, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations

Panel Future Lands Unleashing the Power of Marginal Territories for a Regenerative Future

Sara Scherr – Founder and Former President/CEO of EcoAgriculture Partners // Advisor of 1000 Landscapes for 1 Billion People

Stefano Pisani – Mayor of Pollica, Secretariat Emblematic Communities of Mediterranean Diet

discussant: **Giulia Lucertini** – Professor in Rural and Agricultural Appraisal **Marta De Marchi** – Assistant Professor in Urbanism, IUAV University of Venice

WORKSHOPS

moderated by **Eleonora Chioda**

WS 10:00 - 11:15 | Sala Due Colonne - RSVP ([Climate Finance](#))

Climate Finance

Sylvain Vanston – Executive Director, Climate Investment Research & Development at MSCI Inc

Piero Munari – Co-Founder & Managing Partner at Arwin & Partners

Giuseppe Lavitola - COO Neutralia

YA 11:30 - 12:30 | Sala Due Colonne - RSVP ([Eventbrite](#))

Feeding the Future

Hosted by **Sara Roversi** and **World Food Forum**

WS 17:00 - 18:30 | Sala Due Colonne - RSVP ([Tourism That Doesn't Pay](#))

Tourism Doesn't Pay (Challenging Overtourism)

Cristina Nadotti – Freelance Journalist, Author of *Il turismo che non paga*

Anna Marson – Professor of Urban Planning, IUAV University of Venice;

Simone Venturini – Councillor for Tourism, City of Venice

Daniele Milano – Mayor, City of Amalfi

MA 19:00 | Casa Sanlorenzo ([Eventbrite](#))

Sanlorenzo Talks The Miracle of Hydrogen with **Ersilia Vaudo Scarpetta**, astrophysicist,
moderated by **Cristiano Segnanfreddo**

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JUNE 7 | CLIMATE TECH

YA 10:00 - 12:00 | 10 anni di Laudato Sì - Palazzo Diedo - RSVP ([Laudato Sì](#))

moderated by **Sara Roversi** e **Riccardo Luna** dialogano con **Daniele Moretti**

Screening of "**Earth4All** and the **World of Francesco** and discussion with the **Climate Shapers**.

MA  CORDERIE DELL'ARSENALE | Calle Larga Rosa, 77, 30122 Venezia VE

15.00 - 18.00 | RSVP ([Eventbrite](#))

Co-curated with Cleantech for Italy, in collaboration with VeniSIA, this afternoon brings together startups, investors, and thought leaders to explore cutting-edge climate technologies—from carbon capture and smart buildings to nature co-design and future farming.

Venice is a living paradox: fragile and ancient, a symbol of beauty under threat from climate change. And it is precisely from this suspended city that VeniSIA and Venice Climate Week aim to demonstrate how technology, when rooted in place, becomes a tool for anti-fragility.

Through the Future Farming Initiative, VeniSIA presents a visionary and replicable model that radically rethinks the relationship between nature, technology, and material production—a new paradigm to equip the planet without destroying it.

15:00 –18:00 | Corderie dell'Arsenale - RSVP ([Climate Tech](#))

moderated by **Eleonora Chioda** and **Maria Claudia Pignata**

Carlo Ratti - Curator of the 19. International Architecture Exhibition

Davide Dotti - Business Innovation Director at Edison SpA

Carlo Bagnoli - Professor at Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Daniele Modesto - CEO of Future Farming Initiative

Massimo Portincaso - Founder & CEO at Arsenale Bioyards

Giusy Cannone - General Partner at Primo Climate

Chiara D'Adamo - Co-founder & COO at Carpe Carbon

Stefano Micelli - Professor at Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Stefano Bonetti - Founder and President of RARA Foundation

Luigi Bubacco - Professor at University of Padova

Davide De Marchi - Head Of Science, Co-Founder at SLY

Marta Toppan - Brand Manager EU of 3BEE

Simona Maschi - CEO of the Copenhagen Institute of Interaction Design

YA 15:00 – 18:00 | #VeniceXCOP30 Spazio Thetis Calle Donà, 2737/f ([eventbrite](#))

A youth-focused, action-oriented co-creation workshop supporting the Global Climate Action Mass Mobilization (Global Mutirão) of COP30 Brazil, organized by GloCha and Venice Climate Week Youth Programme. The event brings together young people, artists, scientists, and innovators to co-create tools and partnerships for climate empowerment through knowledge, data, music, and art, with a special focus on the Alps-Adriatic region.

Miroslav Polzer, founder and Ceo of Glocha, a United Nations (ECOSOC, UNFCCC, GCF) accredited civil society organization

Sara Roversi, president of Future Food Institute

Marcele Oliveira, cultural producer, communicator, and COP30 Brazil Youth Champion.

Talieh Wögerbauer, Austrian ACE focal point - Department of General Climate Policy, Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Climate und Environmental Protection, Regions and Water Management

Roberta Ianna, ACE focal point & Youth4Climate programme, Italian Ministry for the Environment and Energy Security

Climate Shapers

Domenico Vito, ECOS Education, Communication and Outreach Stakeholder Community in the context of the UNFCCC / Hubzine Italy

Samuel Rubin, Entertainment and Culture Pavilion

Douglas Ragan, Co-Chair of the UN Inter-Agency Youth Network, UN Habitat Youth Programme – DeclarActions and the “Self Determined Contributions” concept of the Global Mutirão & International Youth Day 2025 preparations

VCW25

MA WS YA [VENICECLIMATEWEEK.ORG](https://veniceclimateweek.org)

MA YA 19:00 – 22:00 “Acousmatic Commons” SU INVITO at CAFFE LA SERRA

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JUNE 8 | HOW WE WILL GET OUT OF THIS

YA 10:30 – 13:00 | CLIMATE SHAPERS IN ACTION - SU INVITO - at San Francesco Della Vigna
Hosted by **Massimo Redaelli**

 AUDITORIUM M9 | Via Giovanni Pascoli, 11, 30171 Venezia VE

15.00 - 18.00 | RSVP [Eventbrite](#)

Public Assembly moderated by **Ferdinando Cotugno** and **Fabio Deotto**

The closing day of the Venice Climate Week is not a destination - it is a collective act of awareness and courage. It is a call to action from a city that mirrors the world: fragile and resilient, ancient and visionary. Here, at the epicenter of an environmental, social, and cultural crisis, we choose not to look away. Instead, we turn vulnerability into generative strength.

“How Will We Get Out of This?” is an open, radically democratic public assembly - an exercise in critical thinking and political imagination led by two sharp voices of contemporary journalism: Ferdinando Cotugno and Fabio Deotto. Together, we explore geopolitical instability, climate justice, migration, and the transformation of production systems.

This is a space to recognize and amplify associations, grassroots movements, civic networks, and the energy of youth - those who keep the possibility of a different society alive daily. The clear political message: the transition will only be just if shared. In a time marked by eco-anxiety and polarization, Venice offers active hope: environmental justice is inseparable from social justice. The future must be built together through new intergenerational and cross-sector alliances.

Cities, communities, and civic networks are living labs of social and ecological innovation. Change is driven by places and by our ability to listen, co-create, and care. From this day, a call is launched: build a permanent coalition of associations, activists, local administrations, scientists, artists, and regenerative enterprises. To emerge from crises, we don't need top-down solutions - we need a cultural revolution rooted in solidarity, creativity, and regeneration.

Venice is calling the world. Let's turn fragility into strength. Let's turn our voices into a wave of change.

Ferdinando Cotugno - Climate Reporter at Domani // Journalist at Vanity Fair // Independent Journalist at Marie Claire Italia

Fabio Deotto - Author at Bompiani // Science Editor for Treccani // Author for Einaudi Editore

Stefano Ciafani - President of Legambiente

Alessandra Prampolini - Director General at WWF Italy

Angelica De Vito - Un diplomatic counselor for migrants

Lotta - Climate Artist

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Giuseppe Onufrio - Executive Director at Greenpeace Italy

Caterina Sarfatti - Managing Director, Inclusion & Global Leadership at C40 Cities

Marica Di Pierri - Responsible Director for Economiacircolare.com // Director of CDCA-Documentation Centre on Environmental Conflicts

Valeria Barbi, Conservation Project Manager and Partnerships Coordinator

Clara Pogliani, Art + Social Change w/Fondazione Pistoletto, Climate Justice

Alex Braga, Artist

Luca Iacoboni, Responsabile relazioni esterne società civile di ECCO

Eugenio in via di Gioia, Artist

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