

CLIMATE ADAPTATION

LEADERSHIP & KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE SERIES 2020



Building knowledge

Dutch expertise in water management is very well developed and renowned world-wide. However, wide-spread knowledge and experience on climate adaptation is still scarce and at times lacking on the level of the individual actors in urban development.

Over the course of 2020, the ULI Netherlands will pay special attention to the topic of climate adaptation. With a series of focused events, where we aim to:

- grow the awareness of climate adaptation
- share knowledge and expertise and
- discuss (international) experiences and best-practices,

The series will also consider international trends and best practice, while also including multi-disciplinary insights that could include the latest research insights and practical tools.





Event series 2020

Over the course of 2020 the ULI Netherlands will organizes a series of events on climate adaptation.

The series will span 2 to 3 events, highlighting different aspects of climate adaptation like:

- sea level rise and river flooding,
- heath stress and drought, (extreme weather)
- investment and risk
- Leadership and management

Each event will aim to consider the perspectives from different actor's and provide an open knowledge exchange to share experience and best-practice.

Our focus will also be on the practical and tangible impacts that the urban development can have with a view to helping our sector to better lead on climate adaptation.





Programme (concept)

MARCH/APRIL 2020

- Site visit
- Climate Adaptation: the basics
- Investment and insurance

JUNE/JULY 2020

- Project visit and presentation
- Expert-lectures on urban planning and design
- Roundtable discussion

SEPTEMBER/ OCTOBER 2020

- Workshop governance, finance and and urban development
- Presentation international project/approach

JANUARY/May 2021

- Wrap-up meeting, possible planning of further actions/research
- Outcomes & conclusions presented at ULI Netherlands or EU Conference





Contact, Hosting and Sponsoring information

Please contact us if you have ideas for speakers, projects, themes or sponsorship of an event or the series.

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