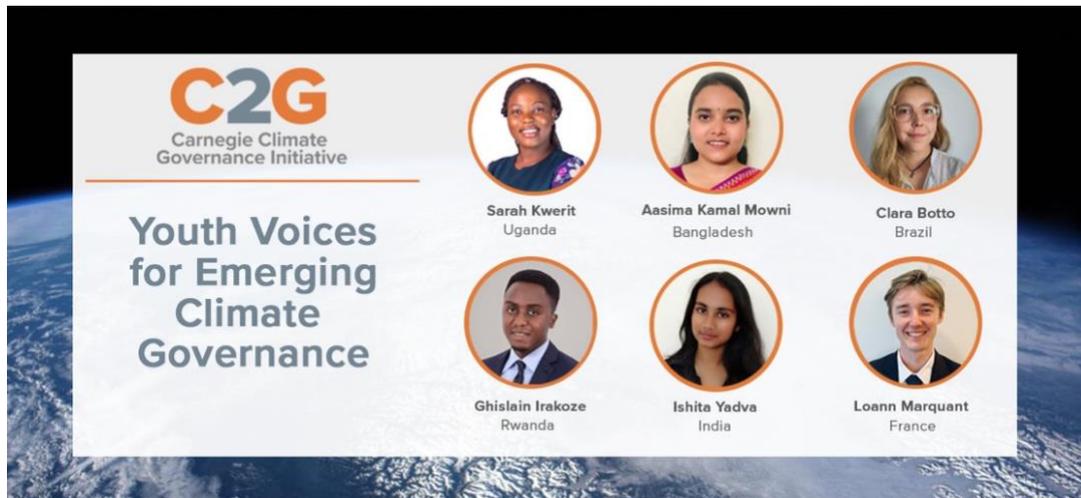


Youth Briefing Note

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Welcome to C2G's new Youth Climate Voices

Youth voices are largely absent from emerging international discussions on the governance of solar radiation modification. To help address this, C2G recently commenced an exciting new project **Youth Voices for Emerging Climate Governance**, which aims to build the capacity of a small group of young people to learn about the need for strengthening governance for solar radiation modification and catalyse the same learning amongst their peers.

Following a rigorous assessment process, C2G has selected an outstanding cohort of six young people from six countries: Brazil, Bangladesh, France, India, Rwanda, and Uganda, who began the first phase of the project in September. In the first phase (2022) these six 'Youth Climate Voices' will be supported to develop their knowledge of the science, governance, and varying perspectives around solar radiation modification. In the second phase (2023) they will be supported to develop resources and activities to share their learning and strengthen the contribution of youth voices in international discussions around SRM and its governance.

Over the course of the project, we will be providing updates on their progress together with details about further opportunities for young people to learn and engage on this issue. Learn more about C2G's **Youth Climate Voices** [here](#).

Talking about climate engineering with young people

In 2021, universities in the UK, Europe and Brazil collaborated on a series of online workshops to create space for young people to learn, discuss and write about climate engineering. The result was an open-access youth guide and policy brief to stimulate further discussion (that you can [download here](#)). The collaboration revealed some important considerations for facilitating dialogues with young people on complex issues like climate engineering, and you can learn more about the process of delivering the workshops and creating this brief in this [C2G guest blog](#).

Youth related resources

Guest Blogs

- Reflections on a climate engineering workshop with young people Lynda Dunlop & Xinyue Yuan
- Thoughts about my climate future Béatrice Coroenne
- Altering the Climate: Youth and Communicating the Tough Decisions Ahead Roop Singh
- Gaming carbon dioxide removal with young climate leaders Bindu Bhandari and Viktor Jóna
- Time for the public to talk about geoengineering Gideon Futerman, Worldward

Videos

- How can young people get involved in governing climate-altering approaches?
- Carbon Dioxide Removal Concepts and the Way Forward with Young People
- Large-scale CO2 removal: What is it and how can the youth help govern it?

Infographics

- What do young people think about emerging technologies to tackle climate change?

Further youth related resources exploring climate-altering approaches and their governance are available on the C2G website at: www.c2g2.net/youth/

Other recent C2G resources

Briefing notes

- Solar Radiation Modification: Moral hazard – Moral imperative
- Solar Radiation Modification: What does the IPCC tell us?
- Solar Radiation Modification: Potential options for international governance
- Status of global activities on solar radiation modification and its governance

Reports

- Solar Radiation Modification: A Risk-Risk Analysis
- Solar Radiation Modification: Governance gaps and challenges

Blogs

- Understanding and managing temperature overshoot risks Nicholas Harrison and Cynthia Scharf
- Calls for an SRM ‘non-use agreement’ underline the need for governance Janos Pasztor

C2G Learn on-demand video recordings

- Carbon Dioxide Removal and Solar Radiation Modification in the IPCC AR6 WG III report
- Carbon Dioxide Removal and Solar Radiation Modification in the IPCC AR6 WG II report
- Carbon Dioxide Removal and Solar Radiation Modification in the IPCC AR6 WG I report

C2G Talk video interviews

- How can countries work together to tackle climate change? Sunita Narain
- How is the UN Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia supporting Arab states in the green transition? Rola Dashti
- Should the world consider solar radiation modification, in light of the IPCC findings? Thelma Krug
- How has the governance of solar radiation modification progressed in recent years? Oliver Morton
- How does society view solar radiation modification experiments? Sheila Jasanoff
- Should scientists be allowed to do outdoor research on solar radiation modification? Ken Caldiera,
- How can fiction help people think about solar radiation modification? Eliot Peper

Many of these resources are also available in [中文](#), [Español](#) or [Français](#) from C2G’s website. Further resources exploring climate-altering approaches and their governance are available on the C2G website at: www.c2g2.net

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