

AGENDA

17th ParlAmericas Plenary Assembly: Towards a Circular Economy

Working Session in English and French

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Monday, November 16, 2020 | 09:30 (GMT – 5)

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This Plenary Assembly Working Session will include the participation of circular economy specialists who will offer an innovative and comprehensive view of sustainable productive systems built for economic growth while contemplating the protection of the environment and people's well-being. During this session, parliamentarians will have the chance to discuss circular economic models and share good legislative practices conducive to economic recovery that can reduce the inequalities exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic.

- 09:30 – 09:45 Opening remarks
- **Elizabeth Cabezas** (Ecuador), Member of the National Assembly and President of ParlAmericas
 - **María Inés Solís** (Costa Rica), Member of the Legislative Assembly, Host Parliament of the 17th ParlAmericas Plenary Assembly and ParlAmericas Board Member
 - **Bridgid Annisette-George** (Trinidad & Tobago), Speaker of the House of Representatives and ParlAmericas Board Member
- 09:45 – 09:55 Introduction by moderator
- Senator **Rosa Galvez** (Canada), Vice-President for North-America of the ParlAmericas Parliamentary Network on Climate Change
- 09:55 – 10:45 Discussion between panellists
- **David Oswald**, Founder and President, DE Design + Environment

- **Virginia Rose Losada**, Specialist - Sustainable Enterprise Development and Job Creation, International Labour Organization Office for the Caribbean

10:45 – 11:45 Parliamentary dialogue

11:45 – 12:00 Closing

- Evaluations
- Announcement of upcoming meetings
- Closing remarks
 - **Andy Daniel** (Saint Lucia), Speaker of the House of Assembly, Vice-President for the Caribbean of the ParlAmericas Parliamentary Network on Climate Change and ParlAmericas Board Member



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