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COMMITTEE FOR A CONSTRUCTIVE TOMORROW

# 16th International EIKE Conference on Climate and Energy in Cooperation with CFACT and The Heartland Institute

Vienna 14 – 15 June 2024

## Friday, June 14

- 9:00 h **Registration**
- 10:00 h **Welcome and introduction**  
*Dr. Holger Thuß*  
[President, Europäisches Institut für Klima und Energie \(EIKE\)](#)
- 10:15 h **Ticking off the Green Left – and Winning**  
*Craig Rucker*  
[Executive Director, Committee For A Constructive Tomorrow \(CFACT\)](#)
- 11:00 h **What climate alarmists don't tell you**  
*James Taylor*  
[President, The Heartland Institute](#)
- 11:30 h **The Great Reset/Climate Agenda**  
*Marc Morano*  
[Publisher of ClimateDepot, Author](#)
- 12:15 h **Experimental falsification of the "climate CO2 experiments" and CO2 sensitivity field measurements by ICR (Independent Climate Research)**  
*Dr. Martin J.F. Steiner*  
[MSc Sprecher ICR, Energie - Klima - Umwelt](#)
- 13:00 h – 14:30 h **Joint lunch**
- 14:30 h **Do we have to win the climate wars in court?  
A response to activist climate litigation**  
*Marcel Crok*  
[Science journalist and co-founder of CLINTEL](#)
- 15:15 h **The 'art' of calculating the total solar irradiation (TSI) since 1700**  
*Dr. Willie Soon*  
[Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics](#)
- 16:00 h **Empirical assessment of the role of the Sun in climate change  
using balanced multi-proxy solar records**  
*Prof. Dr. Nicola Scafetta*  
[Università di Napoli Federico II, Dipartimento di Scienze della Terra](#)
- 16:45 h – 17:15 h **Break**
- 17:15 h **How much? What is how much?  
On the necessity of quantitative studies in climate and energy science**  
*Prof. Dr. László Csaba Szarka*  
[Geophysicist, member of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences](#)
- 18:00 h **II. A Cloud Thermostat Controls the Earth's Climate, Not Greenhouse gasses!  
and I. Climate change is a myth**  
*Dr. John F. Clauser*  
[Retired Experimental and Theoretical Physicist, Nobel Laureate](#)
- 19:00 h **Joint Dinner**

## Saturday, June 15

- 9:00 h **Climate propaganda in Austria - We hold against it  
Legal proceedings, alternative media, politics, education of the population**  
*Dr. Bernhard Strehl*  
[Physicist and Entrepreneur](#)
- 9:45 h **Full speed ahead on the reef with the energy transition ship of fools**  
*Manfred Haferburg*  
[Nuclear energeticist and publicist, former shift supervisor at Greifswald NPP](#)
- 10:45 h – 11:15 h **Break**
- 11:15 h **Impacts and risks of 'realistic' global warming projections for the 21st century**  
*Prof. Dr. Nicola Scafetta*  
[Università di Napoli Federico II, Dipartimento di Scienze della Terra](#)
- 12:00 h **Radiation transfer in clouds**  
*Prof. Dr. William Happer*  
[Department of Physics, Princeton University](#)
- 13:00 h – 14:30 h **Joint lunch**
- 14:30 h **Quantifying the role that the sun has had in climate change.  
Why do with think it is cosmic rays, and what does it imply?**  
*Prof. Dr. Nir Shaviv*  
[Racah Institute of Physics - The Hebrew University of Jerusalem](#)
- Understanding the cosmic ray climate link using experimental and empirical evidence**  
*Prof. Dr. Henrik Svensmark*  
[Centre for Sun-Climate Research des Danish National Space Centre](#)
- 16:15 h – 16:45 h **Break**
- 16:45 h **How extreme is the global average temperature developing?**  
*Dr. Roy Spencer (via Zoom)*  
[Head of research at the University of Alabama in Huntsville and leader of the US scientific team for the Advanced Microwave Scanning Radiometer](#)
- 17:30 h **Electricity costs and CO2 emissions in the presence of renewables -  
How renewables hinder CO2 emissions reduction and increase the cost of electricity**  
*Douglas Pollock*  
[Industrial Civil Engineer, University of Chile](#)
- 18:15 h **The attempt by the climate alarmists to avoid simple benefit/cost analysis**  
*Dr. Benjamin Zycher*  
[Economist and Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute](#)
- 19:00 h **Closing remarks**  
*Wolfgang Müller*  
[General Secretary, Europäisches Institut für Klima und Energie \(EIKE\)](#)

followed by the **Reception** (19:05 h)

We reserve the right to change the program at short notice.

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