



INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGES ON CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION:

Exploring the role of nature-based solutions for
resilient, inclusive, and climate-adaptive cities.

05 FEBRUARY 2026 PROGRAM

TIME 15.00 - 18.00

LOCATION

Politecnico di Torino
Castello del Valentino | Sala Astengo
Viale Pier Andrea Mattioli, 39

This seminar explores how nature-based solutions support climate change adaptation in urban contexts.

Through research from Europe and Latin America, the presentations address effectiveness, inclusivity, policy, planning, design, and adaptation challenges in vulnerable and rapidly changing cities.

The seminar is an integral part of the Long-Term Visiting Professor agreement between the Politecnico di Torino and the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro.

Scientific Committee

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Participation is open and no registration is required.

OPENING

Camilo Amaral | Politecnico di Torino

PART ONE

SPEAKERS

Israa Mahmoud | Politecnico di Milano

Collaborative governance of biodiversity-inclusive urban planning: reflections from European cities.

Sara Torabi | Politecnico di Torino

Assessing the effectiveness of nature-based solutions as inclusive climate actions.

Danial Doost and Angioletta Voghera | Politecnico di Torino (R3C)

Nature-based solutions for planning, design and vulnerability-oriented adaptation.

James Miyamoto | Federal University of Rio de Janeiro

Contributions of nature-based solutions to addressing the climate crisis in favelas.

PART TWO

DISCUSSION

Antonio Di Campli | Politecnico di Torino

Ilaria Cazzola | Politecnico di Torino

Daniela Ciaffi | Politecnico di Torino

Elena Pede | Politecnico di Torino



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