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Protecting Human Rights in Climate Crisis

November 24, 2021, from 15:00 - 16:30 CET



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What is climate apartheid and where is it happening? What are the root causes? Who are climate privileged and who climate precarious people? How can we use Global Education to tackle those issues? How can we ensure the respect of human rights in the era of climate crisis? How to avoid climate change fatigue and stay solution oriented?

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In order to attend the event, please register [here](#).

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