

The Future of Population Growth

Session 6 of the *Future of the World: Global Policy Dialogues on Preparing for What's Next*

Programme

Wednesday, 23 February 2022, 8:30-10 a.m. EST / 2:30-4 p.m. CET

Introduction (8 minutes)

- **Ms. Aminda Leigh**, Moderator

Topic 1: Rapid population and demographics of population growth (25 minutes)

- **Mr. Alex Ezeh**, Professor of Global Health, Department of Community Health and Prevention at the Dornsife School of Public Health, Drexel University
- **Mr. John Wilmoth**, Director, Population Division, UN DESA

Topic 2: Social and economic impact of population growth (25 minutes)

- **Ms. Nyovani Janet Madise**, Director of Research and Development Policy and Head of the Malawi office of the African Institute for Development Policy
- **Ms. Clare Menozzi**, Population Division, UN DESA
- **Ms. Laura Rodríguez Wong**, Professor of Demography, Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil

Topic 3: Population, environment and climate change (25 minutes)

- **Ms. Deborah Balk**, Director of the Institute for Demographic Research, City University of New York
- **Mr. Pierre Boileau**, Head of the Global Environment Outlook programme, United Nations Environment Programme
- **Ms. Raya Muttarak**, Director of Population, Environment and Sustainable Development, Wittgenstein Centre for Demography and Global Human Capital

Wrap-up (3 minutes)

- **Moderator**