



# Christiana Figueres

Christiana Figueres served as Executive Secretary of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) from 2010 to 2016 and was instrumental in the Paris Climate Agreement. Assuming responsibility for the international climate change negotiations after the failed Copenhagen conference of 2009, she was determined to lead the process to a universally agreed regulatory framework. Building toward that goal, she directed the successful Conferences of the Parties in Cancun 2010, Durban 2011, Doha 2012, Warsaw 2013, and Lima 2014, before culminating in the historical Paris Agreement of 2015. Throughout her tenure Christiana Figueres brought together national and sub national...



## Topics

Climate Change, Environment & Energy, CSR, Climate & Sustainability, Globalization, Politics & Economy, Politics, Policies & Economy, Society, TED & TEDx

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