

Statements made during the opening ceremony of the 56th Session of the IPCC and 14th Session of Working Group III (21 March – 1 April 2022)

The meeting was officially opened at 10.00 GMT on Monday, 21 March 2022.

- [Opening remarks](#) by [Hoesung Lee](#), Chair of the IPCC
- [Recorded message](#) by [Petteri Taalas](#), Secretary-General of the World Meteorological Organization
- [Remarks](#) by [Ligia Noronha](#), Assistant Secretary-General and Head of UNEP New York Office, representative of the United Nations Environment Programme
- [Recorded message](#) by [H.E. The Rt Hon Greg Hands MP](#), Minister for Energy, Clean Growth

[Recording of the opening ceremony](#)