



# CEDHE Forum



## Innovating Environmental Science Education: sharing a vision for optimism, evidence, and skills

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 | 10am-3.15pm (GMT) | Online

**09:30** *CEDHE AGM – all CEDHE members welcome*

**10:00** **Welcome** – Prof. Liz Price, *Chair of CEDHE, Deputy Pro-Vice-Chancellor Sustainability, Manchester Metropolitan University*

**10:10** **IES Vision Statement** – Ethny Childs, *IES Communities and Partnerships Lead*

**10:30** **Strengthening Skills for Sustainability**

Provocation by Gary Kass, *Visiting Professor at the Centre for Environment and Sustainability, University of Surrey*

Strengthening skills for sustainability breakout discussions and feedback facilitated by the CEDHE Committee

**11:15** **Curriculum design and Education for Sustainable Development in Practice**

supported by the CoDesignS ESD Framework and Toolkit – Dr D. Theresa Nicholson, *Reader (Higher Education and Pedagogy) Manchester Metropolitan University*

**11:35 – Break**

**12:00** **Climate Anxiety and Optimism**

Provocation by IES Student Ambassadors

Addressing climate anxiety and optimism breakout discussions facilitated by the CEDHE Committee

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Presentation

**13:05 – Break for lunch**

**13:50** **Communicating Environmental Science**

Provocation

*Communicating Environmental Science breakout discussions facilitated by the CEDHE Committee*

**14:35** **How do students respond to ‘creative’ science communication assessments? Reflections**

**from an undergraduate science communication module at the University of Plymouth** – Dr Simon Dickinson, *Lecturer in Geohazards and Risk, University of Plymouth*

**15:00** **Next steps and closing remarks** – Prof. Liz Price, *Chair of CEDHE, Deputy Pro-Vice Chancellor Sustainability, Manchester Metropolitan University*

**15:15 Forum close**

***Prior to the forum, CEDHE will hold their AGM at 09:30-10:00am  
All CEDHE Members are welcome to attend the AGM.***