The Frontiers Planet Prize Award Ceremony Program
Pathways to a Healthy Planet through Transformational Science
June 25th-27th 2024

The Frontiers Research Foundation in partnership with the Villars Institute is pleased to welcome you and have you involved in three days of engaging discussions, to explore and celebrate the transformational science put forward by this year’s National Champions, as recognized by the Jury of 100.

Our three days together will explore the latest research direction in planetary boundary science, with the greatest potential to ensure humanity’s ability to continue prospering within the limits of our earth system.

The event will also delve into the mechanisms and initiatives for this research to be integrated into policy, the private sector, and civil society, expediting the transition towards a nature positive economy.

Two key questions underpin the event and will serve to structure the discussions and outcomes:

1. What should be the next steps on the scientific research agenda to enhance breakthrough potential in planetary boundary science?

2. How can research in planetary boundary science be amplified in global policy, economics, and society, therefore maximizing its transformative insights?

All Frontiers Planet Prize guests are invited to reflect on the two questions above and are actively encouraged to share their contributions during the interactive sessions. The outputs of the workshop will be published as a set of recommendations, sharing insights on the next steps in research and in driving transformative change. As the Frontiers Planet Prize community connects researchers, policy makers, philanthropists, and representatives of the private sector, we look forward to working together in creating the basis for the much-needed systems change, to guide us back to safe and just operating space where people and our planet can prosper.

Here you can find a program at a glance. A detailed breakdown for all interactive elements will be made available to be you shortly.

Monday 24th June (GLC guests only):

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2. Keynotes:

- Nicole Schwab (co-Head, World Economic Forum)
- Johan Rockström (Director, PIK)
- Salvatore Aricò (Chief Executive Officer, International Science Council)
- Massamba Thioye (Project Executive, UNFCCC)
- Sandrine Dixson-Declève (co-President, Club of Rome) "Building and Earth for All: The role of systems science"
- John Bell (Director, Healthy Planet, European Commission): "Restoring trust in transition; the European Green Deal Mission"

Closing remarks:
- Henry Markram (President of Frontiers Research Foundation)

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Frontiers Planet Prize Event ends

Thursday 27th – Friday 28th June

- 07h30-09h00: RoyAlp Hotel/ Villars Palace - Breakfast
- Advisory Board meeting breakfast*
  *closed session - for advisory board members only.

- 09h00-12h00: Villars Palace - Villars Symposium
  Details: [https://villarsinstitute.org/events/villars-symposium-2024](https://villarsinstitute.org/events/villars-symposium-2024)

- 12h00-14h00: Villars Palace - Villars Symposium Lunch
  Program ends (National Champions and selected guests remain)

Villars Symposium continues