



## The International Conference on Regional Climate CORDEX in Trieste and Pune is coming up 25-29 September

The registration is now closed and the final preparations are being made. For those of you that don't have the possibility to join the conference it will be possible to follow many of the sessions on Youtube. Links will be provided at the [conference website](#) where you can also find the programme and other information regarding the conference.

Remember to register for which C- and D-session you would like to attend in Trieste. Participants have received an email with the link to the registration for the sessions.

*-Regional climate researchers, decision makers and other users of regional climate information will gather for the 5th CORDEX International Conference on Regional Climate. This is an opportunity to discuss and communicate knowledge about high resolution regional climate calculations for different areas in the world, tools for these calculations, effects and applications. We want to create a meeting platform for experts and users to bridge the gap between science and society and where we can discuss how the information best can be used for informed decision and building resilience,* says Iréne Lake, director for the International Project Office for CORDEX at SMHI.

The ECS event in Trieste where Early Career Scientists will be able to interact with senior scientists and ask questions is held in the evening on Wednesday 27 September. You can read more about the event [here](#). A link for registration has been shared with the all participants.

Do you want to be a rapporteur at the conference? [Read more](#)

If you want to keep yourself updated on what is happening before, during and after the conference download the conference website on you home screen on your iOS or Android phone. [Find out how here](#)

We look forward to a fruitful week in Trieste, Pune and online!

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## Sign up for the two CORDEX Side Events at the WRCPs Open Science Conference



**At the WRCPs OSC in Kigali, Rwanda in October  
CORDEX are organizing two side events  
LL04: CMIP AND CORDEX ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION TOOLS**

Monday 23 October - Evening

A workshop, learning lab bringing together CMIP and CORDEX modellers and users. The focus will be on dialogue on the plethora of analysis and evaluation tools. The idea is to showcase some tools and their primary area of use and advantages as well as their limitations. We will also actively discuss how we can achieve more common community development to prevent duplication of effort and confusion for all levels of users and producers. This includes discussing what tools are suitable for what purpose, for instance if they work for both global, regional and very high-resolution models. Ideally a sort of guidance for users would be initiated. The workshop can also touch upon where and for what purpose global or regional/local models are best suited or adequate.

After initiating talks/demos in 'plenary' we will work in break-out groups to discuss identified sub-topics and to ensure many voices heard. The input from the break-out groups will be presented back in plenum.

[Get more information and register here](#)

**TH07: CORDEX AFRICA**

Tuesday 24 October - Evening

An in person townhall event organized with CORDEX Africa Points of Contacts and participants from CORDEX Africa Analysis and CORDEX Africa Atlas groups.

We will here demonstrate what is ongoing and what has been achieved so far under the 'umbrella' of CORDEX. It is important to demonstrate that CORDEX and WCRP are not only about models but also about producing and providing actionable information for society. We want to create a platform for climate experts and climate stakeholders to meet and interact and exchange knowhow and experiences.

We want to highlight specific burning issues for various African regions and the possibilities and challenges they face. At COP in November there were discussion on funds for loss and damage – here CORDEX input would be greatly needed for the calculations.

We will demonstrate how CORDEX has been involved in adaptation design and showcase best practices/good examples of how regional information is useful in society. We will involve representatives from socio-economic sectors such as agriculture, energy, health etc.

The goal is to identify pressing needs, challenges and possibilities and to help close the gap between the research community/climate information producers and the climate information users with focus on Africa. Can we contribute to better align towards the same goals?

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