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# Technology Development and Deployment to Address Climate Change

Monday 8 December 13:00-15:00 • Room Grebe 3

The event will explore how business makes long-term investment decisions particularly in the deployment of low-carbon technologies. With a rise in global population from 6.5 to 8 billion, a 50% increase in energy demand and a doubling of economic output in the next 25 years, it is critically important to marshal the necessary technological resources to address sustainability challenges and increase the pace of technological innovation, cooperation and dissemination. Business is the primary source of innovation and, provided with the right enabling framework, is a critical actor in the development, commercialization and dissemination of technology.

### **MODERATOR:**

Nick Campbell, Chair, ICC Task Force on Climate Change

### PANELISTS:

- Thaddeus Burns, Senior IP Counsel, General Electric
- Andrei Marcu, Climate Change & Emissions Trading Advisor, **Bennett Jones**
- Vijay K Topa, Advisor, Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry
- Yoshi Tachibana, Fellow Sustainability Advisor to the Board, Tokyo Electric Power Company (TEPCO)

### DISCUSSANTS:

- James Davey, **UK Government** (Technology, Investment and Development)
- Professor Zou Ji, Head of the Environment Protection School at Renmin Daxue, the People's University of China and advisor to the Chinese government

Refreshments will be provided.