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**HSRC Science Diplomacy Summer School**

**Day 4: Intersections between science diplomacy and climate diplomacy**

This session explores the intersections between **science diplomacy and climate diplomacy**, highlighting how these fields increasingly overlap in addressing global challenges. Participants will examine how scientific evidence informs diplomatic negotiations on climate change and public health, and how coordinated international engagement can drive solutions that are both environmentally sustainable and health-promoting. The session will emphasize the **synergies between these typologies**, illustrating that effective diplomacy in climate and health issues depends on integrating scientific knowledge into policy, multilateral negotiation, and collaborative action.

### **Session Objectives**

- To analyse the role of science, policy, and negotiation in shaping international climate agreements and frameworks
- To develop participants' skills in consensus-building, negotiation, and advocacy within multilateral climate governance spaces.
- To critically assess the equity dimensions of climate diplomacy, including the perspectives and priorities of the Global South.