

# Interfaith Youth Convention on the European Green Deal

*“Striking a Deal for our Common Home”*



Dialogue session  
with

**H. E. Frans Timmermans**

25<sup>th</sup> November 2021, 11:00 CET

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*The online Interfaith Youth Convention on the European Green Deal will gather young people representative of Bahá'í, Buddhist, Christian, Jewish and Muslim confessions to exchange on the European Green Deal with European Commission's Vice-President Frans Timmermans.*

*The dialogue will be centred on five thematic areas related to sustainability and ecology, addressing the ideas and proposals formulated by young people in an interfaith manner during the first Convention session on 1st October.*



Dialogue session at 11:30  
with  
**H. E. Frans Timmermans**  
Executive Vice-President  
of the European Commission and  
Commissioner for the European  
Green Deal

## 11:00 - 11:30: Welcome

*Introduction by Fr Manuel Barrios Prieto, COMECE General Secretary*

- **MEP Roberta Metsola**, European Parliament Vice-President in charge of Art. 17 Dialogue
- **Shaykh Abdul-hakim Murad**, Founder and Dean of the Cambridge Muslim College, tbc

## 11:30 - 12:15: Meeting with Executive Vice- President Frans Timmermans

**11:30-11:35:** Welcome and introduction of EVP Timmermans

**11:35-11:40:** Opening speech by H.E. EVP Frans Timmermans

**11:40-12:10:** Q&A Session with H.E. EVP Frans Timmermans

*Youth delegates:*

- Carla Halioua, Jewish representative
- Amalée Rycroft, Buddhist representative
- Sabir Ansari, Muslim representative, tbc
- Emilio Dogliani, Christian representative

**12:10-12:15:** End of the panel discussion  
*Moderated by Simon Gallaher, Chairman of the European Fellowship of Christian Youth*

## 12:15 - 12:25: Take-aways

*Moderated by Bernd Hirschberger, FIMCAP Europe*

## 12:25 - 12:30: Closing prayer and conclusion

- **H.H. Gyana Vajra Rinpoche**, 43<sup>rd</sup> successor of the founder of the Sakya School of Tibetan Buddhism

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