

Women's Climate Congress

Our vision

We share a vision to restore climate balance by 2030. In this future, women's leadership has helped turn the tide of political culture from polarised discord to collaboration and cooperation. Nurture of life and care for the Earth are at the centre of every government decision.

Our values and commitment

We, a web of women, seek and support wisdom for the common good.

We acknowledge the ancestral wisdom of First Peoples and accept our responsibility as custodians of a precious world that must be nurtured as it nurtures us.

As holders of a great and universal desire to look after the young, we raise our voices, confident in the potential of women to lead positive change.

As beneficiaries of the industrial age, we acknowledge our responsibility for the present situation with grateful hearts and with lament.

Weary of conflict and polarisation, we resist judgment and blame, embrace uncertainty and encourage mediation and collaboration for a safe passage from climate chaos to climate survival.

Listening deeply to the science, we recognise the interconnections of Earth systems and human influences within those systems. With this in mind, we bring our collective imagination to uncover innovative, equitable and sustainable ways forward.

Connecting head, heart and hands, we will collaborate across all genders to restore nurture of life and care for the Earth to the centre of every decision made at every level, local to national and international.

We assert that qualities of the heart (such as compassion, love, empathy, forgiveness) are the basis for true strength. These human laws must be reactivated for us to survive.

Following the century-old footsteps of our foremothers in a time of catastrophic world war, we seize this moment, charged with a realisation of our responsibility to respond to Earth's call and our shared aspirations.