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## 5 Reasons to Attend Climate Week New York (September 21-27, 2020)

**Climate Week New York (CWNY)** is an annual event hosted in September by The Climate Group, in association with the United Nations and the City of New York. **CWNY** is normally only available to those able to attend in person.

This year, due to travel restrictions as a result of COVID-19, **CWNY will be hosted online for the first time ever (September 21-27, 2020). This is your chance to attend!**

**These are the top 5 reasons to attend events as part of CWNY 2020:**

1. **CWNY** is the **largest international climate summit** taking place in 2020. Due to COVID-19, COP26, which was due to be held in Glasgow in the UK in November, has been postponed until 2021.
2. **The event is online:** This means that **CWNY** will be accessible to a much wider, global audience from all sectors of the international community and economy.
3. This highly anticipated and star-studded series of events features **top experts in the climate field.**
4. There is something for everyone, with the **programme organised under 10 themes**, including: Clean Energy Transition; Transport & Infrastructure; Industry & Build Environment, Finance, Investment & Jobs; Climate Impacts & Adaptation; Nature & Science; Food & Land Use; Sustainable Travel & Tourism and more.
5. **The theme** - "For New York, for the World" - puts **people at the heart of climate action** and building a better future. This is crucial after COVID-19, in the pursuit of a net-zero future through just transition, halving emissions by the end of this decade.

**For more information on the lineup of events (September 21-27, 2020), access the programme [here](#).**



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