

# **Calliste Consulting**

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## **English for Climate Change and the Environment**

**Preparation for the United Nations  
Climate Change Conference  
(COP15)**

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## Course Overview

With the issue of Climate Change being a major focus in COP15 sessions, it has become necessary for Danish Representatives to be able to communicate effectively in English with international partners.

The formation of a binding Global Climate Change Agreement is imperative for us all, as it will not only signal respect for the environment, but the security of sustainable energy resources for the future.

For these reasons, clear and open communication amongst country participants is vital.

This special course will be tailor-made to suit your need to improve your Environmental English skills, as well as your ability to present and negotiate cross-culturally with global participants at COP15.

# Learning Objectives

- ❑ Develop confidence in communicating more effectively face-to-face and in writing.
- ❑ Prepare technological aspects of Energy Efficiency and Climate Change presentations relevant for an audience, therefore improving the opportunity for influence.
- ❑ Deal with debates effectively, therefore minimizing the impact of difficult situations.
- ❑ Improve awareness of cross-cultural communications.

# Who is it for?

For Project Managers, Consultants and researchers who are involved in Energy and Climate Solutions - both inside and outside their organisation.

## Course Content

- ❑ To improve vocabulary related to Climate Change and Environmental issues.
- ❑ To practice discussing these issues using role-play and presentations.
- ❑ To improve reading and understanding of complex data:
  - ❑ Energy Efficiency
  - ❑ Renewable Energy
  - ❑ Fossil Fuel Technologies
  - ❑ Infrastructure and Energy Carriers
  - ❑ Intelligent Energy
  - ❑ Environmental Technologies
  - ❑ Climate Adaptation

# Course Content

- ❑ To be able to write materials to be presented at COP15
- ❑ To assist in proofreading your written materials in preparation for the Climate Change Conference.
- ❑ To be able to negotiate diplomatically with country representatives towards the goal of reaching a unified agreement on Climate Change for 2009 - 2014.
  - ❑ Europe
  - ❑ Asia
  - ❑ North America
  - ❑ The Americas ( Latin America & the Caribbean)