Expert Profile

Janna Hoppmann, MSc Psychology

Climate psychologist focused on international climate governance, trust-building in negotiations, and communityled climate justice. Mercator Fellow on International Affairs, working with Pacific and Caribbean partners, Small Island Developing States, and the COP30 Presidency in Brazil



Languages

German (native), English (professional / diplomacy level)

Expertise

- Psychology of climate diplomacy
- Adaptation & Non-Economic Loss and Damage (NELD)
- Community-informed governance (Mutirão)
- Trust, dignity & cooperation in multilateral settings

Track record

- Founder of **ClimateMind** Europe's first academy on climate psychology
- Embedded in Pacific, Caribbean & Brazil COP30 ecosystems
- Supported Vanuatu & Tuvalu on Loss & Damage, community processes and diplomacy
- Co-designing psychological guidance for COP30 Presidency
- Field research across Fiji, Tuvalu, Dominica & Brazil
- Lead author of first report on **Psychology of Climate Negotiation**

My work at COP30

- Daily psychological insights from negotiation rooms
- Monitoring trust signals, emotional tone & turning-point dynamics
- Supporting frontline delegates & community leaders
- Convening dialogues on NELD and dignity in diplomacy
- Advising on relational diplomacy / Mutirão formats
- Media availability for analysis, background & commentary

How journalists can use me

- Explaining shifts in negotiation tone & trust
- Spotting psychological turning points before outcomes
- Contextualising frontline narratives & moral authority
- Translating "room dynamics" into public-facing insights

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