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# ADAPTATION(S)

**09.01.23 - 10.29.23**  
**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**  
**FRI 1-5, SAT 11-5, SUN 11-5**  
**CLIMATE WEEK GUIDED TOURS**  
**09.19.23 11-1**  
**09.22.23 11-4**



**Adaptation(s) collects four exhibitions in Pratt's Indoor Public Programming space on Governors Island located within Nolan Park. Each exhibition centers on differing aspects of climate adaptation and includes world leading architects (like Bjarke Ingels Group and SO-IL), alongside students from Pratt's School of Architecture and various local and international community partners who collaborated on workshops/events Pratt hosted surrounding the UN Water Conference in March 2023.**

**DETAILS:**

**Access** - The exhibitions are open to the public Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays from 1pm -5pm at Nolan Park 14 on Governors Island. Please take the Governors Island Ferry departing from Manhattan at the Battery Maritime Building (10 South Street).

**Guided Tours** - Pratt will be offering specially timed guided tours for NY Climate Week on Tuesday, September 19 11:00 am - 1:00 pm EDT (by RSVP only) and on Friday September 22 from 11:00 am - 4:00 pm.

The exhibitions are accompanied by a panel event entitled "IA: Island(ing) Adaptations" taking place across Nolan Park at the Admiral's House on September 22nd and orchestrated (together with the exhibitions) on the dual occasions of NYC Climate Week and the UN SDG Summit.

**SO-IL: Grounding Adaptations** - An exhibition looking at adapting buildings to have ground-like capacities by SO-IL including a selection of completed and upcoming projects from Brooklyn, Europe and beyond.

**BIG: Adaptive Archipelago** - A series of strategies for adapting various existing and artificial archipelagos to our planet's changing climate by BIG including a selection of completed and upcoming projects including models of the "Big U" under construction in NYC, Oceanix and its prototypes in Busan, Korea.

**Condensations 1.0/2.0; Living With Water (NYC/SG)** -An exhibition including outcomes of two related but separate workshops in NYC and Singapore that examined scaleable nature based solutions for key areas in their regions using integrative Artificial Intelligence-based design methods. The exhibition includes outcomes from the U.N. Water Conference side event hosted at Pratt: *Condensations Part 3; Design and Action* and showcases students' ideas from various universities across the globe working alongside local community organizations in both regions.

**Archipologics 2.0** - The second annual exhibition including work from recent Master of Science in Architecture and Master of Science in Urban Design yearlong studios at Pratt focused on building adaptation in Nolan Park, Governors Island and Urban Adaptation in Red Hook, Brooklyn - located on Long Island.

**Swale AND Billion Oysters Houses** - Exhibitions in the nearby Swale House and Billion Oysters Project House including work of Pratt Faculty and students are also on display concurrently. See Nolan Park 11 and Nolan Park 16