Climate Change and the Production of Iron and Steel: an Industry View

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SUMMARY OF THE LECTURE
Climate change is the biggest issue for the steel industry in the 21st century.
In her lecture Ms Ekdahl will introduce worldsteel's three-track approach to support the transformation to low-carbon manufacturing.
Steel is a global industry producing advanced materials vital for the health of the global economy and services people depend on every day.
As there is no one solution to reduce emissions from steel manufacturing and the application of steel, the lecture explores some of the latest developments on the journey to reduced climate change emissions from the steel industry.

SPEAKER INTRODUCTION
As Head of Environment and Climate Change at the World Steel Association (worldsteel), Åsa Ekdahl is Secretary to the association's Environment Committee.
She leads worldsteel's engagement with international organisations on matters related to climate change, including the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change and the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development.
Ms Ekdahl has been with worldsteel for 13 years, with previous experience at EUROFER, the European Steel Producers' Association and Jernkontoret, the Swedish Steel Producers' Association.
Ms Ekdahl holds a degree in Environmental Science from Gothenburg University, Sweden.