

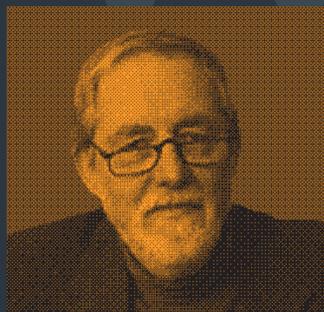
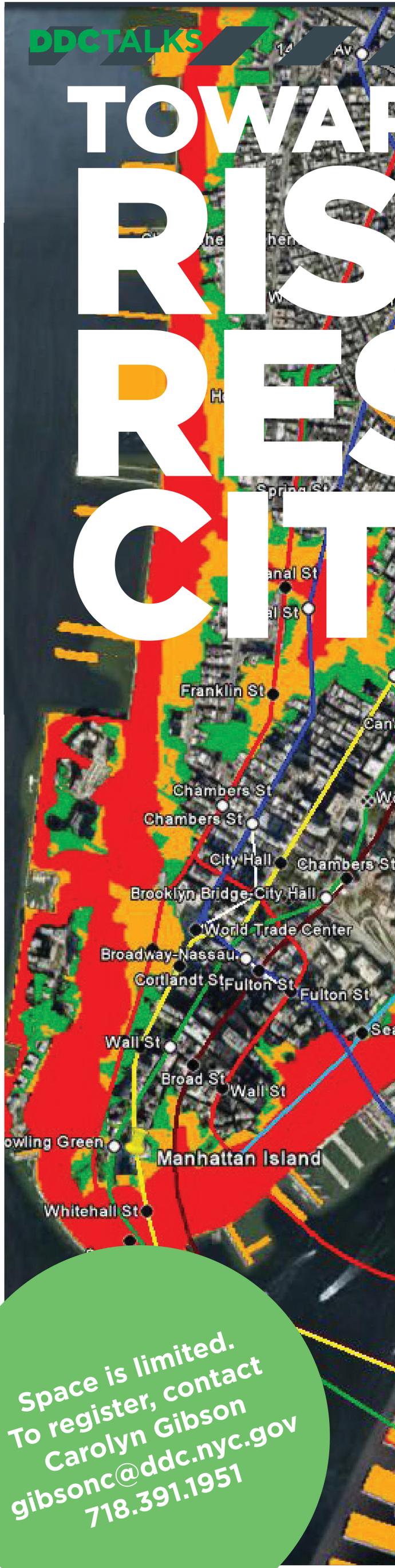
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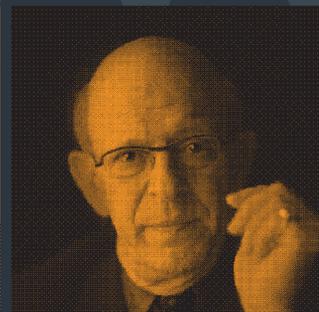
# TOWARD A RISK- RESILIENT CITY

**KLAUS JACOB WILL PRESENT A POWERPOINT ADDRESSING CLIMATE CHANGE AND SEA LEVEL RISE, AND THEIR IMPACTS ON NYC. THIS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY A PANEL DISCUSSION OF THE TOPIC, WITH THE THREE RESPONDENTS (LANCE BROWN, ILLYA AZAROFF, AND ADAM FREED) TELLING OF THEIR RESPECTIVE EFFORTS TO DEVELOP PLANNING AND DESIGN MEASURES AND REAL-WORLD TECHNOLOGIES TO MITIGATE THOSE IMPACTS.**



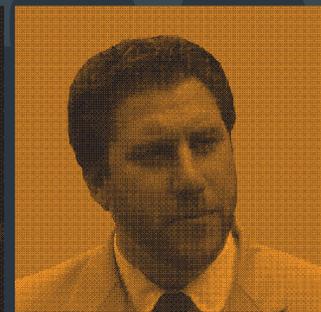
**KLAUS H. JACOB, PH.D.**  
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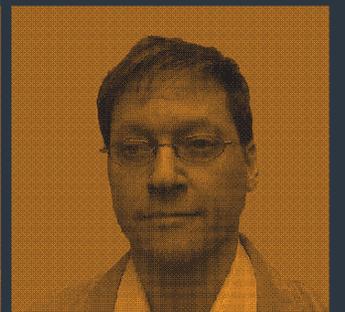
**LANCE JAY BROWN, FAIA, FIUD**

LANCE JAY BROWN IS AN ARCHITECT, URBAN DESIGNER, AUTHOR AND ACSA DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR OF ARCHITECTURE AT CCNY/CUNY. HE CO-CHAIRS THE AIANY DESIGN FOR RISK AND RECONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE AND IS A FOUNDING BOARD MEMBER OF THE CONSORTIUM FOR SUSTAINABLE URBANIZATION. HE RECEIVED THE AIA/ACSA TOPAZ MEDALLION. HE CO-AUTHORED THE "PLANNING AND DESIGN WORKBOOK FOR COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION" AND "URBAN DESIGN FOR AN URBAN CENTURY" (2010). HE WAS THE PROFESSIONAL ADVISOR FOR NEW HOUSING NEW YORK IDEAS COMPETITION AND THE FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE NEW HOUSING NEW YORK STEERING COMMITTEE. HE IS THE CO-AUTHOR, WITH MARK GINSBERG AND TARA SIEGLE, OF "THE LEGACY PROJECT" TO BE PUBLISHED THIS YEAR.



**ADAM FREED, AICP**  
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ADAM FREED IS THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF LONG-TERM PLANNING AND SUSTAINABILITY, WHICH IS RESPONSIBLE FOR IMPLEMENTING NEW YORK CITY'S LONG-TERM SUSTAINABILITY PLAN ("PLANYC"). IN THIS CAPACITY, FREED OVERSAW THE 2011 UPDATE OF PLANYC AND LEADS THE CITY'S CLIMATE RESILIENCE EFFORTS. PREVIOUSLY, HE SERVED AS THE ASSISTANT COMPTROLLER FOR NYC IN THE OFFICE OF THE NEW YORK STATE COMPTROLLER. HE IS A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PLANNERS AND IS A MEL KING COMMUNITY FELLOW AT MIT.



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