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**Dear Muriel:**
(1) Many thanks for your msg (**ATTACHMENT I** below).

(2) I am awfully sorry to say that I don’t have a press pass, so that I cannot attend the very interesting mtg of the Global Clinton Initiative (GCI).

(3) When you attend it, you may approach to Mr. Michael R. Bloomberg, mayor, City of New York and Mr. Eduardo Paes, mayor, Rio de Janeiro, Federative Republic of Brazil for applying the GEWS (Reference (a) above) to their city governments.

(4) Rio de Janeiro established a mission control center with US$ 14 million by IBM’s help (References (b) and (c) above), which has been criticized as “reactive” rather than “proactive.”

On the other hand, New York City is now start doing the “proactive” approach with the use of simulation models made by the New York University (References (d) and (e) above).

Ideally, both approach would better be merged together, so that the simulator/trainer with real-time data can be developed for the sake of bureaucrats and future leaders, as we advocate with our GEWS/GUS projects (Reference (a) above.)

(5) Wishing you a very good luck for your attending the mtg,

Best, Tak

**ATTACHMENT I**

 **From:** Muriel Glasgow <[muriella@gmail.com](muriella%40gmail.com)>
**Subject: CG**I
**Date:** May 4, 2013 3:34:57 AM EDT
**To:** Tak Utsumi <[takutsumi0@gmail.com](takutsumi0%40gmail.com)>, Francisco Bozzano-Barnes <[paco.bozzano@gmail.com](paco.bozzano%40gmail.com)>

Dr Tak

Do you have a press pass?  You might be able to attend this meeting in May if you press credentials are accepted

Please fill this in if you have a pass

Xxx
To apply, please complete the form at cgilink.org/ZUodZ1.  The deadline to apply is May 5. If you have any questions, please contact [press@clintonglobalinitiative.org](press%40clintonglobalinitiative.org).
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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Muriel Glasgow <[muriella@gmail.com](muriella%40gmail.com)>
**Date:** May 4, 2013, 3:23:52 AM EDT
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Mo**bilizing Investment in Resilient Cities, CGI Latin America and C40 Commitment Announcements
M**etro East, Sheraton New York Times Square Hotel

At 3:30 PM ET, Pr**esident Clinton, Secretary Hillary Clinton, Chelsea Clinton, Mayor Michael Bloomberg,** and Rio de Janiero Ma**yor Eduardo Paes w**ill participate in the Clinton Global Initiative Mid-Year Meeting at the Sheraton New York Times Square Hotel.  At the event, President and Secretary Clinton and Mayor Bloomberg will announce details for CGI Latin America and a new commitment from the C40 Climate Leadership Group in partnership with the Clinton Foundation.

The 2013 Mid-Year Meeting is a day dedicated to mobilizing CGI members around Commitments to Action in advance of the 2013 Annual Meeting. The day aims to galvanize new partnerships and momentum around commitments

**Session Description:** President Clinton, Secretary Clinton, and Chelsea Clinton will join key leaders from the government, finance, and built environment sectors to discuss how cities and the private sector can work together to promote climate adaptation in urban environments. Mobilizing critical partners across sectors to maximize resources and create public-private partnerships is essential to advancing investment in green infrastructure and urban resilience. This session will examine the challenges and opportunities faced by the C40 Cities Climate Leadership Group and existing CGI member initiatives in this area.
 **Moderator**:
·      President Bill Clinton, Founding Chairman, Clinton Global Initiative, 42nd President of the United States
 **Participant**s:
·      Michael R. Bloomberg, mayor, City of New York
·      Eduardo Paes, mayor, Rio de Janeiro, Federative Republic of Brazi**l

About the Clinton Foundat**ion
The Clinton Foundation works to improve global health, strengthen economies, promote health and wellness, and protect the environment by fostering partnerships among governments, businesses, nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), and private citizens to turn good intentions into measurable results. Since 2001, the Clinton Foundation’s work has resulted in nearly 5 million people benefiting from lifesaving HIV/AIDS treatment; more than 16,000 U.S. schools building healthier learning environments; more than 55,000 micro-entrepreneurs, small business owners, and smallholder farmers improving their livelihoods and communities; and more than 248 million tons of CO2 being reduced in cities around the world. And Clinton Global Initiative members have made more than 2,300 commitments that are improving the lives of more than 400 million people in more than 180 countries. For more information, visit clintonfoundation.org,read our blog at clintonfoundation.org/upclose, and follow us on Twitter @ClintonFdn and Facebook at Facebook.com/BillClinton.

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