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NEWS

Measurements of Antarctic ice-shelf melt help to greatly refine models of global climate change - NSF Press Release 13-156 - September 13, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/F1Ckm1>

Hottest days in some parts of Europe have warmed 4 times more than the global average - University of Warwick Press Release (via AAAS EurekAlert) - September 11, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/Pf7nEq>

Colorado's 'Biblical' Flood in Line with Climate Trends - Climate Central - September 13, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/nK94tH>

Movement of marine life follows speed and direction of climate change - Princeton University - September 12, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/n93li4>

Tropical forest carbon absorption may hinge on an odd couple - Princeton University - September 15, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/UMM9FU>

Climate Change May Speed Up Forests' Life Cycles - Duke University - September 11, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/r1YNYy>

An unprecedented threat to Peru's cloud forests - Wake Forest University - September 12, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/23jjdD>

Climate Change Threatens Southern Africa's Vital Crops - Climate News Network (via Climate Central) - September 15, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/RVvwop>

Study shows projected climate change in West Africa not likely to worsen malaria situation - Massachusetts Institute of Technology Press Release - September 16, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/XfWHaa>

UK's main political parties have 'failed to show leadership on environment' - The Guardian - September 13, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/Mstpel>

Lib Dems' green boast under threat as party votes for nuclear - The Guardian - September 15, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/slB0LT>

FORUM

Jason Mark: Naomi Klein: 'Big green groups are more damaging than climate deniers' - Earth Island Journal (via The Guardian) - September 10, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/luUNIS>

Andrew Revkin: Encouraging Results Seen in First Nationwide Look at Gas Leaks from Drilling Boom - Dot Earth blog (New York Times) - September 16, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/D6unLN>

James Randerson: Why a watermelon tells you what's wrong with the climate debate - The Guardian - September 11, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/4yF3Do>

Diane Toomey: Finding a Better Message on the Risks of Climate Change - Interview with Dan Kahan - Yale Environment 360 - September 12, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/3Z3E14>

Andrew Freedman: The Most Important Climate Pacts You've Never Heard of - Climate Central - September 11, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/T7ZfaK>

Sonia Whitehead: The first rule of climate change research: don't mention climate change - The Guardian - September 13, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/VB45oP>

Jo Confino: Report shows companies still don't take climate change seriously - Guardian Sustainable Business blog (The Guardian) - September 12, 2013 - <http://goo.gl/RJtFX3>

Greenpeace USA: Dealing in Doubt: The Climate Denial Machine vs. Climate Science (Report) - "A brief history of attacks on climate science, climate scientists and the IPCC" - September 2013 - <http://goo.gl/Aqi8Ze>

MEETINGS AND SHORT COURSES

Advanced Course in Climate Time Series Analysis - January 20-24, 2014 - Hannover (Germany) - Hosted by Climate Risk Analysis - <http://goo.gl/2ZAcKh>

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Postdoc - Diffusion of innovations, with a focus on energy technologies - Energy Systems Transformation research group - Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs - University of Texas at Austin (USA) - <https://utdirect.utexas.edu/apps/hr/jobs/nlogon/130911010712>

Postdoc - Impacts of Climate and Land Use on Sustainable Water Provision - Department of Ecology, Evolution & Environmental Biology - Columbia University (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_Postdoc_ColumbiaU.pdf

Postdoc - Tropical Forest Ecology and Biodiversity - Tropical Ecology Assessment and Monitoring (TEAM) Network - Conservation International (USA) -

<http://tbe.taleo.net/CH08/ats/careers/requisition.jsp?org=CONSERVATION&cws=1&rid=390>

Postdoc - Weather features in climate models - Weather and Climate Group - Monash University (Australia) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_Postdoc_MonashU.pdf

Postdocs (2) - Decision Analysis for Natural Hazards; Climate Scenarios and Attribution for Natural Hazards Assessment - Environmental Change Institute - School of Geography and the Environment - University of Oxford (UK) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_Postdocs_UOxford.pdf

Asst Prof - Community or Ecosystem Ecology - Department of Biology - College of Charleston (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_AsstProf_CollegeCharlestonU.pdf

Asst Prof - Conservation Social Sciences - Department of Conservation Social Sciences - University of Idaho (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_AsstProf_UIdahoU.pdf

Asst Prof - Earth Systems History - College of Earth, Ocean, and Atmospheric Sciences - Oregon State University (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_AsstProf_OregonStateU.pdf

Asst Prof - Environmental Anthropology - Department of Anthropology and Department of Environmental Studies - Whittier College (USA) - https://www.h-net.org/jobs/job_display.php?id=47297

Asst Prof - Geography - Department of Geography - Kansas State University (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_AsstProf_KansasStateU.pdf

Asst Prof - Geological and Planetary Sciences - Division of Geological and Planetary Sciences - California Institute of Technology (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_AsstProf_CaltechU.pdf

Faculty - Conservation Biology - Department of Environmental Studies - Antioch University New England (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_Faculty_AntiochU.pdf

Tenure Track/Program Coordinator - Environmental Science - Environmental Analysis Program - Pomona College (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_TenureTrack_PomonaCollegeU.pdf

Director of Community-Engaged Learning - Environmental Sustainability - Office of the Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education - Stanford University (USA) - http://discrs.org/newsletter/2013_09_17_D-CEL_StanfordU.pdf

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