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**Amount of old ice in Arctic, 1987-2013 (Video)** - National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration - December 13, 2013 - <http://www.climate.gov/file/amount-old-ice-arctic-1987-2013>

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**Americans' Actions to Limit Global Warming November 2013** - Yale Project on Climate Change Communication and George Mason University Center for Climate Change Communication - February 19, 2014 - <http://environment.yale.edu/climate-communication/article/Behavior-November-2013/>

### FUNDING

**Research Opportunities in Space and Earth Sciences (ROSES) 2014** - NASA - Solicitation: NNH14ZDA001N - February 18, 2014 - <http://solicitation.nasaprs.com/ROSES2014>

**AMS Congressional Science Fellowship 2014-2015** - American Meteorological Society - Deadline: March 15, 2014 - <http://www2.ametsoc.org/ams/index.cfm/policy/congressional-science-fellowship/>

### NEWS

**Small Volcanic Eruptions Add to Larger Impact on Climate** - Climate Central - February 23, 2014 - <http://www.climatecentral.org/news/small-volcanic-eruptions-add-to-larger-impact-on-climate-17112>

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**In Chile, rival barnacles keep competition cool** - Brown University Press Release - February 20, 2014 - <http://news.brown.edu/pressreleases/2014/02/barnacles>

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**Darfur cookstove project earns Sudan's first carbon credits** - Thomson Reuters Foundation - February 19, 2014 - <http://www.trust.org/item/20140219161848-e8g5r>

**Green Climate Fund aims to allocate half of money for adaptation** - Thomson Reuters Foundation - February 24, 2014 - <http://www.trust.org/item/20140224125627-ef6y>

**Financier Plans Big Ad Campaign on Climate Change** - New York Times - February 17, 2014 - <http://www.nytimes.com/2014/02/18/us/politics/financier-plans-big-ad-campaign-on-environment.html>  
*About U.S. billionaire Tom Steyer.*

**Supreme Court takes up challenge to Obama and the EPA** - Christian Science Monitor - February 23, 2014 - <http://www.csmonitor.com/USA/Justice/2014/0223/Supreme-Court-takes-up-challenge-to-Obama-and-the-EPA-video>

**Obama Orders New Efficiency for Big Trucks** - New York Times - February 18, 2014 - <http://www.nytimes.com/2014/02/19/us/politics/obama-to-request-new-rules-for-cutting-truck-pollution.html>

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**Colorado First State to Clamp Down on Fracking Methane Pollution** - Bloomberg - February 23, 2014 - <http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2014-02-24/colorado-first-state-to-clamp-down-on-fracking-methane-pollution.html>

**Flurry of Coal Power Plant Shutdowns Expected by 2016** - Climate Central - February 19, 2014 - <http://www.climatecentral.org/news/flurry-of-coal-power-plant-shutdowns-expected-by-2016-17086>

**Embarking on geoengineering, then stopping, would speed up global warming** - University of Washington - February 18, 2014 - <http://www.washington.edu/news/2014/02/18/embarking-on-geoengineering-then-stopping-would-speed-up-global-warming/>

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**Bud Ward: Six Climate Freelancers Seeking Support Base of 800 Subscribers** - Yale Forum on Climate Change & the Media - February 20, 2014 - <http://www.yaleclimatemediaforum.org/2014/02/six-climate-freelancers-seeking-support-base-of-800-subscribers/>

**William McDonough: Climate change and circular economy take centre stage at Davos** - Guardian Professional - February 21, 2014 - <http://www.theguardian.com/sustainable-business/climate-change-circular-economy-davos>

**Paul C. Stern: Thinking Appropriately About Climate Change** - Yale Forum on Climate Change & the Media - February 18, 2014 - <http://www.yaleclimatemediaforum.org/2014/02/thinking-appropriately-about-climate-change/>  
*Stern proposes a medical metaphor for conceptualizing climate change.*

**Andrew Revkin: A Look at the 'Shills,' 'Skeptics' and 'Hobbyists' Lumped Together in Climate Denialism** - Dot Earth blog (New York Times) - February 19, 2014 - <http://dotearth.blogs.nytimes.com/2014/02/19/a-look-at-the-shills-skeptics-and-hobbyists-lumped-together-in-climate-denialism>

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**Postdoc - Aerosols** - Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Planetary Physics - University of Oxford (UK) - [http://disccrs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Postdoc\\_UOxford.pdf](http://disccrs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Postdoc_UOxford.pdf)

**Postdoc - Forest biogeochemistry and ecophysiology** - Birmingham Institute of Forest Research - University of Birmingham (UK) - [http://disccrs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Postdoc\\_UBirmingham.pdf](http://disccrs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Postdoc_UBirmingham.pdf)

**Postdoc - Human Dimensions of Tidal Energy** - School of Marine and Environmental Affairs - University of Washington (USA) - [http://disccrs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Postdoc\\_UWashington.pdf](http://disccrs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Postdoc_UWashington.pdf)

**Postdoc - Marine Microbial Ecology** - University of Technology, Sydney (Australia) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Postdoc\\_UTechnologySydney.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Postdoc_UTechnologySydney.pdf)

**Postdoc - Ocean Modeller** - Climate Forecasting Unit - Institut Català de Ciències del Clima (IC3) - University of Barcelona (Spain) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Postdoc\\_IC3.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Postdoc_IC3.pdf)

**Postdoc - Regional ocean modelling** - Department of Physical Oceanography - University of New South Wales (Australia) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Postdoc\\_UNewSouthWales.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Postdoc_UNewSouthWales.pdf)

**Postdocs - Socio-environmental or cyberinfrastructure synthesis** - National Socio-Environmental Synthesis Center (USA) - University of Maryland - <http://www.sesync.org/opportunities/postdoc-2014>

**Postdocs (2) - Sustainable Climate Risk Management** - Earth and Environmental Systems Institute - Pennsylvania State University (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Postdocs\\_PennStateU.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Postdocs_PennStateU.pdf)

**Asst Prof - Climatology, Climate Dynamics and Climate Change** - Faculty of Mathematics, Computer Science, Physics, and Geography - University of Giessen (Germany) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_AsstProf\\_UGiesse.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_AsstProf_UGiesse.pdf)

**Asst Prof - Ecohydrology** - Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Science - University of Nevada, Reno (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_AsstProf\\_UNevadaReno.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_AsstProf_UNevadaReno.pdf)

**Asst/Assoc Prof - Applied Forest Science** - Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources - University of Vermont (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_AsstProf\\_UVermont.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_AsstProf_UVermont.pdf)

**Asst/Assoc Prof - Hydrology** - Department of Earth Sciences - Memorial University Newfoundland, Grenfell Campus (Canada) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_AsstProf\\_MemorialUNewfoundland.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_AsstProf_MemorialUNewfoundland.pdf)

**Tenure-Track (Open Rank) - Industrial Sustainability** - Center for Industrial Ecology - School of Forestry & Environmental Studies - Yale University (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_TenureTrack\\_YaleU.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_TenureTrack_YaleU.pdf)

**Atmospheric Scientist - Predicting climate variability and weather events for agriculture** - The Climate Corporation (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_AtmScientist\\_ClimateCorp.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_AtmScientist_ClimateCorp.pdf)

**Director - Center for Environmental Studies** - College of Science - Florida Atlantic University (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Director\\_FloridaAtlanticU.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Director_FloridaAtlanticU.pdf)

**Exec Dir/Lecturer - Environment and Sustainability** - Coldharbour Sustainable Living Center and Center for Environment & Sustainability - Western State Colorado University (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_ExecDir\\_WesternStateColoradoU.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_ExecDir_WesternStateColoradoU.pdf)

**Project Manager - Deep Decarbonization Pathways Project** - Earth Institute - Columbia University (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_ProjMgr\\_ColumbiaU.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_ProjMgr_ColumbiaU.pdf)

**Research Scientist - Atmospheric dynamics** - Institute of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences - Johann-Wolfgang-Goethe-University Frankfurt (Germany) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_ResearchScientist\\_GoetheUFrankfurt.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_ResearchScientist_GoetheUFrankfurt.pdf)

**Researcher - Climate Change Policy and Governance** - International Center for Climate Governance - Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei and Euro-Mediterranean Center on Climate Change (Italy) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Research\\_FEEM\\_CMCC.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Research_FEEM_CMCC.pdf)

**Scientist - Human Dimensions of Watershed Sustainability** - National Great Rivers Research and Education Center - Lewis and Clark Community College (USA) - [http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014\\_02\\_25\\_Scientist\\_LewisClarkCC.pdf](http://discrcs.org/newsletter/2014_02_25_Scientist_LewisClarkCC.pdf)

**Senior Research Fellow - Innovation and Energy Demand** - Centre on Innovation and Energy Demand - School of Business, Management and Economics - University of Sussex (UK) - <http://www.sussex.ac.uk/aboutus/jobs/470>

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