

Save the Dates for this NEW Course!
Climate Change Science and Communication in the Pacific West
May 3-5, 2016



What's really going on with climate change in the Pacific West? And how do you engage your audiences in climate issues? Please "Save the Dates" and plan to join us for this free, in-person workshop-style course led by partners from NASA, National Park Service, and other Federal agencies and non-governmental organizations. This coming May, "[Earth to Sky](#)" is coming to California!

This course will provide you with a foundation in climate science with emphasis on the connection of global to local processes and on climate impacts of direct relevance to western coastal states. Participants will discuss and practice selected methods for successful climate communication, and become connected with the growing Earth to Sky community of practice – over 700 communicators and scientists from a variety of national and local organizations gaining and sharing expertise on this topic. You will depart with cutting edge knowledge about climate change, and a plan for bringing the climate story to your visitors in engaging and inspiring ways.

- Meet with world-class scientists and communicators to discuss their best practices and the latest insights about understanding and responding to changing climate.
- Hear about the latest global and regional climate research from the scientists themselves.
- Join interactive sessions with specialists about changing wind and upwelling patterns, sea level rise, drought, wild fire, species shifts, and more.
- Experience citizen science and climate communications first-hand on a field-trip to the Marin Headlands, where educators will engage directly with workshop participants.
- Meet colleagues from around the region and join a community of interpreters and educators working on communicating regional climate issues.



And learn how you can stay connected to these scientists and communicators over the long term. You're not alone in your efforts - There's lots of help available!

Target Audience: Federal, State, Municipal agencies, as well as non-profit and private organizations with science communicators, interpreters, environmental educators and education specialists. Participants should have some experience with communication principles and techniques. Knowledge of climate science is not required. Partners and collaborators planning to work together on joint projects are especially encouraged

When: Tuesday - Thursday, May 3-5, 2016

Where: The General's Residence, Fort Mason, San Francisco

Tuition: \$ 0.00 (Participants provide their own food, lodging and transportation)

For more Info (and to add your name to the mailing list for updates), contact either:



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