

ECCF News - May 2020

It's your once a month round-up of climate news you may have missed.

Seminars, Webinars, Lectures & Resources

[Survey on 2021 Virtual National Adaptation Forum](#)

Given the current situation with the COVID-19 pandemic, the organizers of the National Adaptation Forum recently decided to postpone the 2021 National Adaptation Forum to May 2022. However, the organizers are seeking feedback regarding interest in a Virtual National Adaptation Forum meeting in 2021. Provide your feedback via the link above!

[Webinar: Promoting Diversity in the Geosciences: Meet the IF/THEN STEM Ambassadors](#)

May 14, 2020

The webinar will introduce you to four trailblazing scientists' stories developed to provide inspiration to geoscience students, professionals, and enthusiasts everywhere. During the webinar we will also explore the curriculum connections modules developed around the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) IF/THEN® Ambassadors.

Climate Change Research in the News

[Climate Change Could Cause Decline of Some Alpine Butterfly Species \(Phys.Org\)](#)

Researchers from the University of Alberta used climate change models to understand the effects of changing ecosystems on alpine butterflies in North America. The results suggest that alpine butterflies that have specialized diets, meaning they feed on just one or a few plants, are more vulnerable to climate change because of fluctuations in their food.

[Climate Change Increases Risk of Fisheries Conflict \(Science Daily\)](#)

A team of fisheries scientists and marine policy experts examined how climate change is affecting the ocean environment and found that changing conditions will likely result in increased fisheries-related conflicts and create new challenges for global fisheries management.

Jobs, Internships, MS & PhD Positions

[Postdoctoral Research Associate Position at Baylor University](#)

Closes June 3, 2020

The Departments of Environmental Science and Biology at Baylor University, Texas seek a postdoctoral scholar to conduct research that combines geospatial modeling and remote sensing with in situ monitoring to understand spatiotemporal changes in water quality and ecological function of freshwater systems, with emphasis on reservoirs, regulated rivers, and urbanized systems.

[Postdoctoral Researcher in Agricultural Data Science](#)

Closes May 10, 2020

The Department of Environmental Sciences at Emory University seeks applications for a Postdoctoral Research Fellow position in Agricultural Data Science. The Postdoctoral Research Fellow will join an interdisciplinary and trans-institutional project integrating big geospatial data

with qualitative data to model and understand the interactions between climate, land use, and agroecological outcomes.

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