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* What do you think the impact would be if the larger companies that are lowering their emissions were to branch out and help others with ways to lower their emissions?
* “Top organizations are voluntarily making significant progress on climate change, finds a new report from Calvert Investments, Ceres, and World Wildlife Fund (WWF)” (Buildings, 2013)

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* How do we get citizens to realize that climate change is a result of our attitudes and not just scientific fact?
* “Research has shown individual differences in belief superiority, conservatism, political ideology, political party identification, and certainty impact perceptions and extremity of climate change attitudes” (Odea, Bueno, Saucier, 2018).

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* What role does social media play on the impact of citizens attitudes about climate change?
* “Are blog posts trustworthy? Do comments on blog posts provide corrections of errors or do they introduce further erroneous content? Can comments reveal how posts are being received by other readers?

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* How does Congress play a role in changing the way we affect climate change?
* “"Rather than ignoring the important findings of the NCA, we request that you reconsider maintaining the nation's commitment to the Paris Agreement and fully implement and enforce the Clean Power Plan, fuel economy standards, methane emission controls, and safeguards for clean air and clean water," the letter says” (Sea Technology, 2019)

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* What is congress’ main concern about making changes for climate change?
* “A historical precedent that might inform thinking in the Congress is the Canadian experience decommissioning the Distant Early Warning system of radar stations in the Arctic, built and largely funded by the United States. In 1996, the United States agreed to pay Canada $100 million to partially defray the cost of cleaning up four decommissioned installations” (Colgan, 2019)

Media Clips

<https://fortune.com/2015/09/28/carbon-emissions-seimens-dell/>

* 0:20-0:50
* This clip is about how Siemens, an energy and automation company, is planning to receive a profit from going carbon neutral. The CEO Eric Speigel explains that they plan to reduce their carbon footprint by up to 50% in a year and completely be carbon neutral in about 10 years. He plans to do this my making the Siemen’s cars greener and more energy efficient.
* How does the changes big companies make towards going greener affect other companies?

<https://video.nationalgeographic.com/video/101-videos/global-warming-101>

* 1:51-2:20
* This clip is about a professor from Brown University, Robert Brulle, who explains that people rely too much on influencing the public as a means to make a change in Washington. He also explains how citizens need to be educated in order to make their own changes in their lives, but there needs to be more demands for the government to make a change.
* How can changing the public’s attitudes about climate change spark a change in the world?

<https://time.com/5555721/green-new-deal-climate-change/>

* 5:17-5:50
* This clip explains how protestors are influencing a change in Congress by showing up to their place of work and having sit-ins and riots. By doing this, they are calling for a change, and if Congress listens then it will actually make a difference. It also explains how reducing the amount of carbon used will be an incredible amount of money, but the government has to be willing to make that sacrifice in order to save this planet.
* How can Congress react to the plea of the citizens in a way that will make a change in the world?

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