

Two EEE Forums to Improve Climate Change Communication!



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PART ONE -- EEE Forum: Monday, APRIL 15th, 1:30-3:30pm

CLIMATE CHANGE DIALOGUE

Understanding How Worldviews Divide Us/ Using Our Collective Knowledge to Map the Divides

Public opinion in the U.S. is growing increasingly polarized on a number of urgent issues: gun control, immigration, abortion, and of course, climate change. *Would you like a single, powerful framework to help you understand what's driving this troubling tendency? Would you like to help the group mine our collective knowledge to customize this framework for use in our individual change-making efforts?*

PART TWO -- EEE Forum: Monday, MAY 13th, 1:30-3:30pm

CLIMATE CHANGE DIALOGUE

Bridging the Divides through Storytelling

The trouble with polarized issues is that when we try to communicate about them, we often drive those who do not share our worldview further away. *Do you believe that what unites us is deeper than what divides us? Are you interested in exploring the power of personal storytelling (combined with our learnings in Part I) to practice finding common ground on polarized issues with people whose worldviews are different from our own?*

Attending both sessions is not required, though highly recommended.

"We don't yet have the cultural and social tools we need to deal successfully with climate change. I am deeply committed to creating these tools at the level of our social circles, neighborhoods and communities. I am an experienced educator, researcher and facilitator advancing an innovative approach to climate change communication and leadership training."

-- Dr. Maria Talero