

# Climate Change: What Is Happening and What Can We Do About It?



**Ilissa Ocko,  
Climate Scientist**  
Tuesday, April 24, 2018  
7 p.m.

Germantown Campus  
High Technology and Science Center (HT) • Globe Hall

Ocko, a climate scientist at the Environmental Defense Fund, will discuss Earth's climatic past; scientific views on the current warming trend, including how it affects societies and ecosystems; and what might be done to affect change. Ocko will share highlights of her research on the short- and long-term climate impacts of greenhouse gases and aerosols and mitigation measures.

Ilissa Ocko earned a PhD in atmospheric and oceanic sciences from Princeton University, and a BSE (bachelor of science in engineering) in earth system science and engineering from the University of Michigan. She holds a certificate in science, technology, and environmental policy from Princeton's Woodrow Wilson School.

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