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Editorial

Dear reader,

This is the last newsletter of this academic year, and we are slowing down to take some well-deserved rest this summer. Read about what's been happening the last month: we share an **update from June's national meeting**, tips for **sustainable conference travel** and news about the **SR Climate Wiki**. Also: the meetings dates for the coming semester have been set - scroll all the way down for that!

We look forward to seeing you back in August!

From June's national meeting: actions for the 10-year anniversary of the Paris agreement

By Arjen and other attending members

In December, we will see the 10th anniversary of the Paris Climate Agreement. We want to use this occasion to bring climate under the attention of the general public and especially of our politicians.

During the meeting we discussed a bunch of ideas, but concretely:

- Bring together a bunch of scientists who can write about various topics surrounding the Paris Agreement. For instance: what has it brought, where would we be without it? Many of the people we know in this context have quite some contacts with the media. What we intend is a series of articles for the lay public that starts well before the October elections and runs until the anniversary. For collecting ideas, topics and people we have a mural. [E-mail us](#) for the link to the mural.
- Mobilise our municipalities: we can all ask what they are doing for a better climate. It requires just a small, individual action. Do you want to help us coordinate this? [Send us an e-mail!](#)
- Follow-up of the action against fossil advertisements that we held in last year's climate week.
- Analyse the various "sternwijzers" to see what political parties are promising us in terms of equality, food safety and food habits, equality and climate measures.
- A more playful action: sing birthday songs near the Parliament building in The Hague to celebrate the anniversary!
- Revise the (existing) webinars and see how they may contribute to the goal of getting the general public and our politicians more interested in climate. Check out our webinars [on YouTube!](#)

This discussion will be continued at our national meeting in August, join us there to share your

Psychologists do cross-continent train trip to conference

By Disa

Together with four colleagues, I recently attended the [International Conference on Environmental Psychology](#) in Vilnius, Lithuania. We travelled there together by train, with a stop for the night in Warsaw. The more-than-20-hour-per-direction journey was enjoyable and fun – we used the time to read, work, nap, chat, eat and enjoy the changing landscape. By taking [trains](#) instead of [flying](#), the five of us saved around 1.5 tons of CO2 for the round trip (the equivalent of a [Paris aligned annual carbon budget per person](#)). To plan the trip, we used the fantastically useful website [The man in seat 61](#), which provides information about train connections in Europe and beyond. Some of us got [interrail](#) tickets as it was cheaper for some connections.

During the last leg of the trip, from Warsaw to Vilnius, it became clear just how many travelers were headed to the same conference as apparent by posters, conversation topics and familiar faces. And while most of us only travelled by train, others decided to do part of the journey by ferry – crossing the Baltic Sea from Northern Germany to Klaipeda in Lithuania.

At the conference, I took part in a panel with the title *Beyond Business-as-Usual: What is the role of environmental psychology in the face of the climate crisis?* I talked among other things about the work I do in S4F NL.



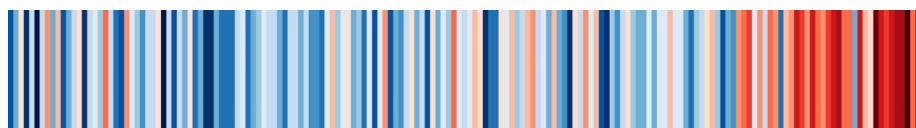
SR publishes its Climate Wiki

By Dick

If you need facts, figures and arguments in relation to the climate crisis, for a presentation, lesson or action, we now proudly present the SR Climate Wiki (written in Dutch). In this wiki you may find science based information about the major aspects of the climate crisis, written by SR, XR and S4F experts, peer reviewed and loaded with hundreds of source references. Use it freely to support our fight and, above all, to stress the sense of urgency. Because, having the privilege of access to validated knowledge, we also have the duty of sharing this knowledge.

This compilation is never finished nor complete. Please share your comments, corrections and additions with the editorial group of the wiki, using the contact form. Only by using the wisdom of the SR/S4F-crowd, we can continuously improve the wiki. You can freely share and quote the information and the pictures that the wiki offers, but please credit the original source given in the caption. We all know that data alone are not sufficient to convince or activate people, but when used in a smart way they can certainly help.

This limited release is a first step. Ultimately, the wiki is aimed to inform other activists, journalists, teachers, people working at NGO's and others, and to provide them with a correct and complete, yet comprehensive, overview of causes and impacts of climate change. When suggesting edits, please keep this goal and target groups in mind. Please read the instructions for editing [here](#). You may access the Climate wiki (written in Dutch) [here](#). Login name: Gast, password: Climate: Justice. Enjoy!



Reading and listening tips

Podcast tip from Jacqueline: **Drilled** ([Spotify-link](#)) is a true crime podcast on climate change. The production team, Critical Frequency, offer multiple other series on climate change, justice and other societal issues. Check out their website [here](#)!

Upcoming events

August

- 20 August, 20:00: national meeting (online, [e-mail us for the Zoom-link](#))

September

- 18 September, 20:00: national meeting (online, [e-mail us for the Zoom-link](#))

October

- 17 October, 20:00: national meeting (online, [e-mail us for the Zoom-link](#))

November

- 17 November, 20:00: national meeting (online, [e-mail us for the Zoom-link](#))

The December meeting will take place in Utrecht, so that we can have in-person discussions. Stay tuned for the date!

Get involved!



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Read about the places and ways in which S4F works for a better climate on [our website](#) and get in touch via contact@scientists4future.nl!

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