

Climate Change (CC) is one of the defining challenges of our time. It is a pressing global issue that affects all of us and requires urgent attention. CC is (also) caused by human activities, such as burning fossil fuels and deforestation, that release greenhouse gases into the atmosphere. These gases trap heat in the atmosphere and cause global temperatures to rise. This is leading to an increase in extreme weather events, such as droughts, floods, hurricanes, and rising sea levels. The effects of CC are already being felt around the world. Communities in low-lying areas are experiencing frequent flooding, and those in dry regions face prolonged droughts. In addition, rising temperatures are leading to the destruction of ecosystems, such as coral reefs, that are vital to biodiversity and the food chain. The good news is that there are steps we can take to tackle climate change. We can reduce our emissions of greenhouse gases by switching to renewable sources of energy, such as wind and solar, and by taking measures to make our homes and businesses more energy-efficient. We can also protect and restore natural habitats, such as forests and wetlands, that help to absorb carbon dioxide from the atmosphere. CC is complex, but the solutions are within our grasp. We must take action now to ensure a safe and sustainable future for our planet.

Take control of <u>your company's climate change approach</u> with the help of our teams.

