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- 1968 Club of Rome founded
- 1972 Club of Rome Limits to Growth
- 1974 James Lovelock and Lynn Margulis Gaia hypothesis
- 1987 Brundtland Commission Our Common Future
- 1992 Earth Summit: Rio de Janeiro
- UNFCCC (Climate Change) and Agenda 21 (Sustainable Development)
- 1995 First COP (Berlin)
- 1997 Kyoto Protocol
- 2000 Millennium Development Goals
- 2004 Agenda 21 for Culture
- 2005 Kyoto Protocol enters into effect
- 2009 Stockholm Resilience Centre *Nine Planetary Boundaries*
- 2015 Sustainable Development Goals
- 2015 COP21 Paris Agreement
- 2016 Paris Agreement enters into force
- 2019 3 IPCC Reports, 1 IPBES
- 2020 Green Deal for Europe
- 2020 COP26



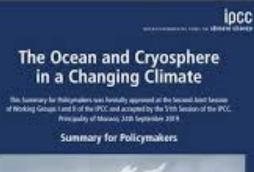


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### **METAPHORS**

#### **Nature**

- a machine
- a hostile agent
- to be dominated

#### **Nature**

- a giving parent
- a web of life
- a teacher

#### Culture

- an engine of growth
- the pinnacle of our achievement
- nature transcendent

#### Culture

- a creative child
- an ecosystem
- a learner



### **FRAMES**

#### Nature has no intrinsic value

- should be conquered
- exploited
- Engineered
- bought and sold

### Everything is connected

- Humans are part of nature
- Earth is a holistic living organism
- Earth is creative beyond our imagination and humans have much to learn

#### Culture can conquer the world

- will drive economic growth
- artistic priorities are supreme
- can buy, own, exploit, sell natural resources

### Culture is reliant on a thriving world

- is tangible and intangible heritage
- is dependent on the Earth
- has much to learn from nature



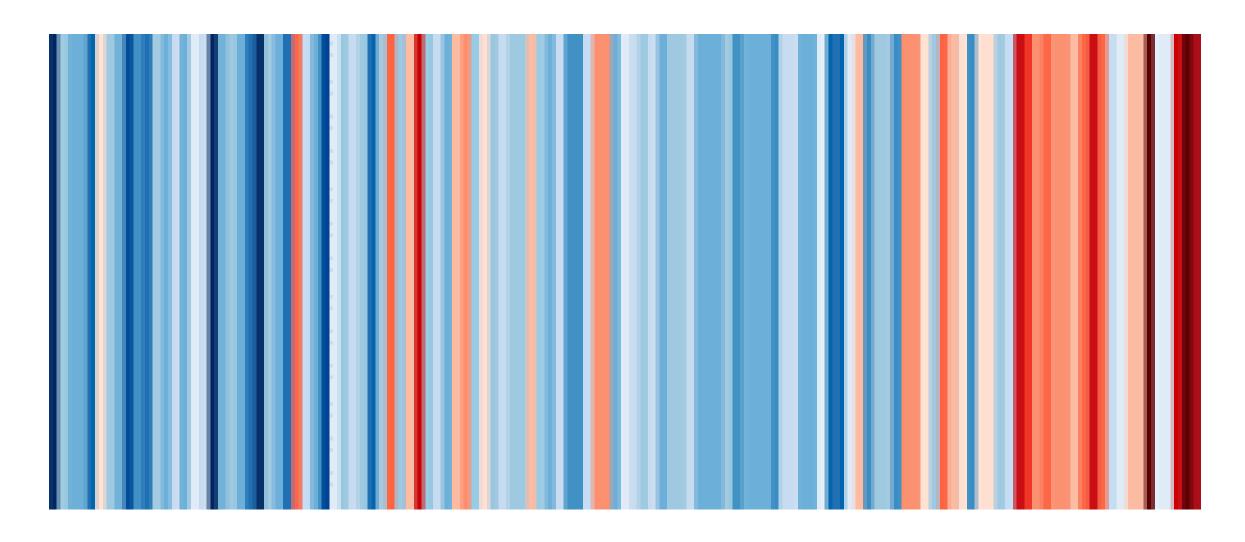
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Creativity and culture powering environmental action





# Metrics



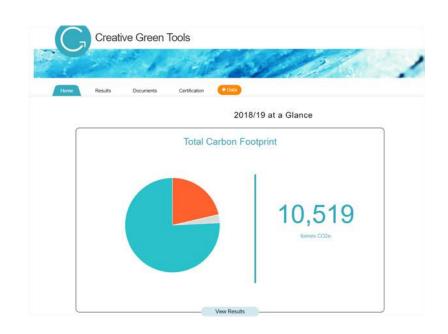
# Creative Green Tools

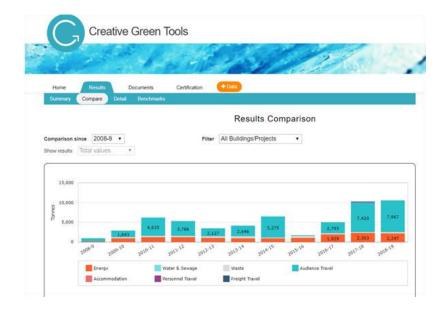


- carbon calculators specifically for culture (venues, tours, productions, festivals, etc.)

- ~5000 registered from **50** countries (40% international)

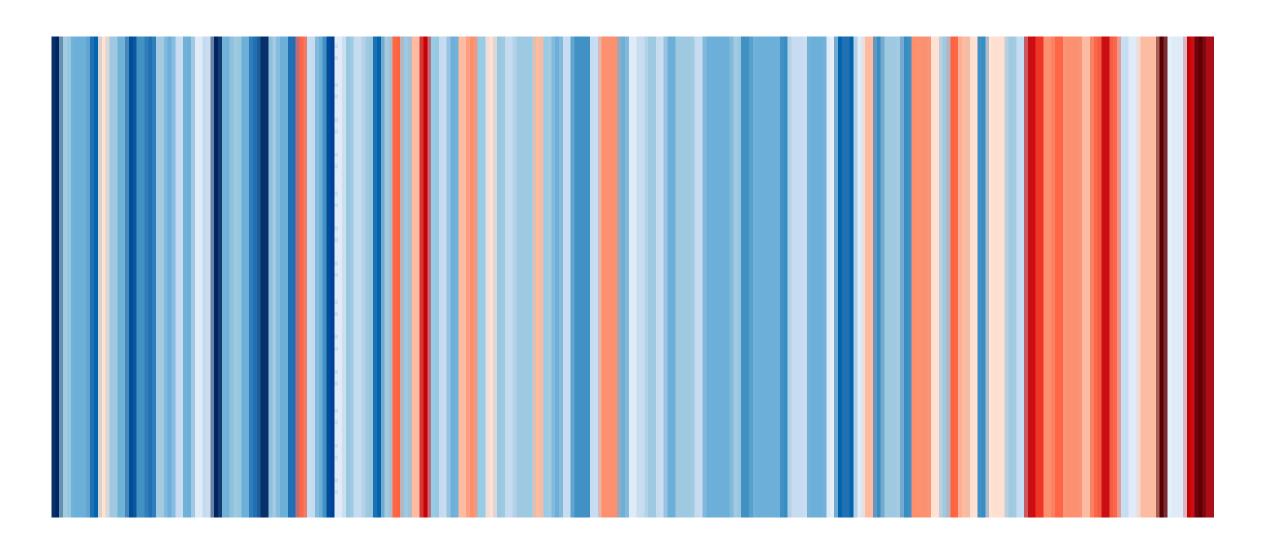
#### www.ig-tools.com





- International carbon dataset for culture
- Value metrics (well-being, commissions, actions)
- Library of guides, resources, case studies
- 4500 companies actively tracking & managing impacts

# Growing knowledge



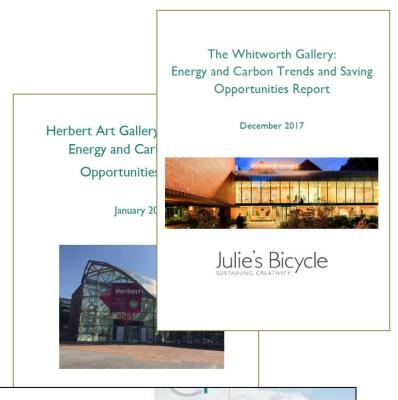
# Research \* Resources \* Networks \* Events





## First Step **UK Music Industry Greenhouse Gas Emissions** for 2007

"The UK music industry is a pivotal cultural and creative industry, nationally and internationally; it therefore has the power - and the responsibility to be a proactive leader in taking and driving climate change action"



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INVESTING IN
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ENVIRONMENTALLY
ENVIRONMENTALLY
SUSTAINABLE BUILDINGS
A GUIDE FOR THE ARTS ARTS COUNCIL

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Special guest: Louise Allen General Manager New Adventures

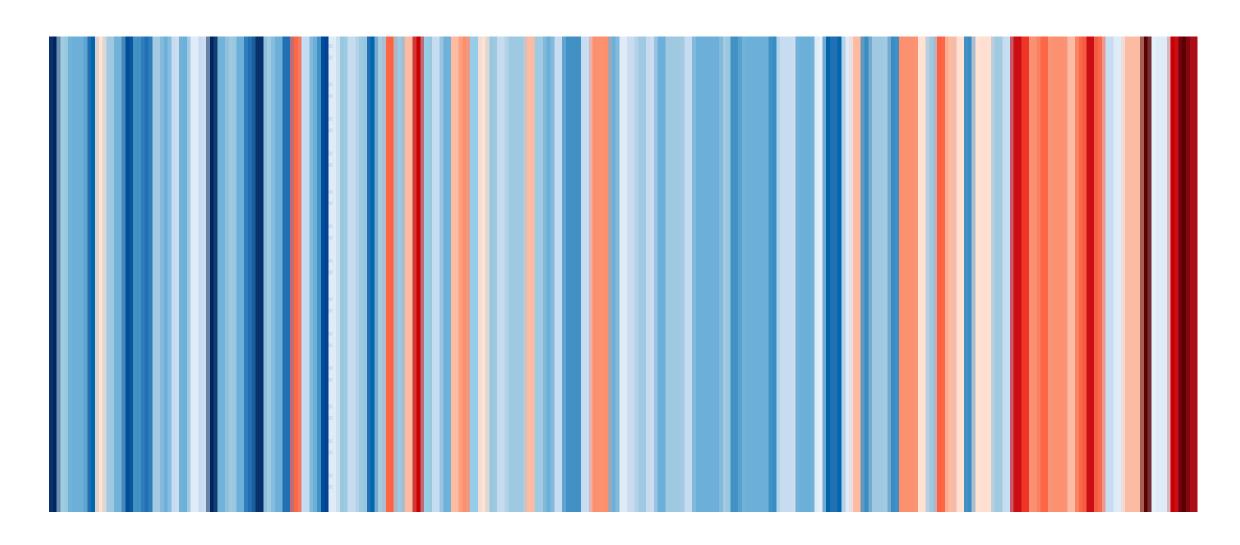




NATURE



# Taking Action





- 350 awards~100 consultancies





























Look who has joined Creative Green





\* 1-15

\*\* 16-30

\*\* \* 31-60

\*\* \* \* \* 61-80

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**POINTS** 



**–** 22



# What is arts and culture's carbon footprint?



# Energy efficiency and carbon reductions

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMME** 

S COUNCE

23%

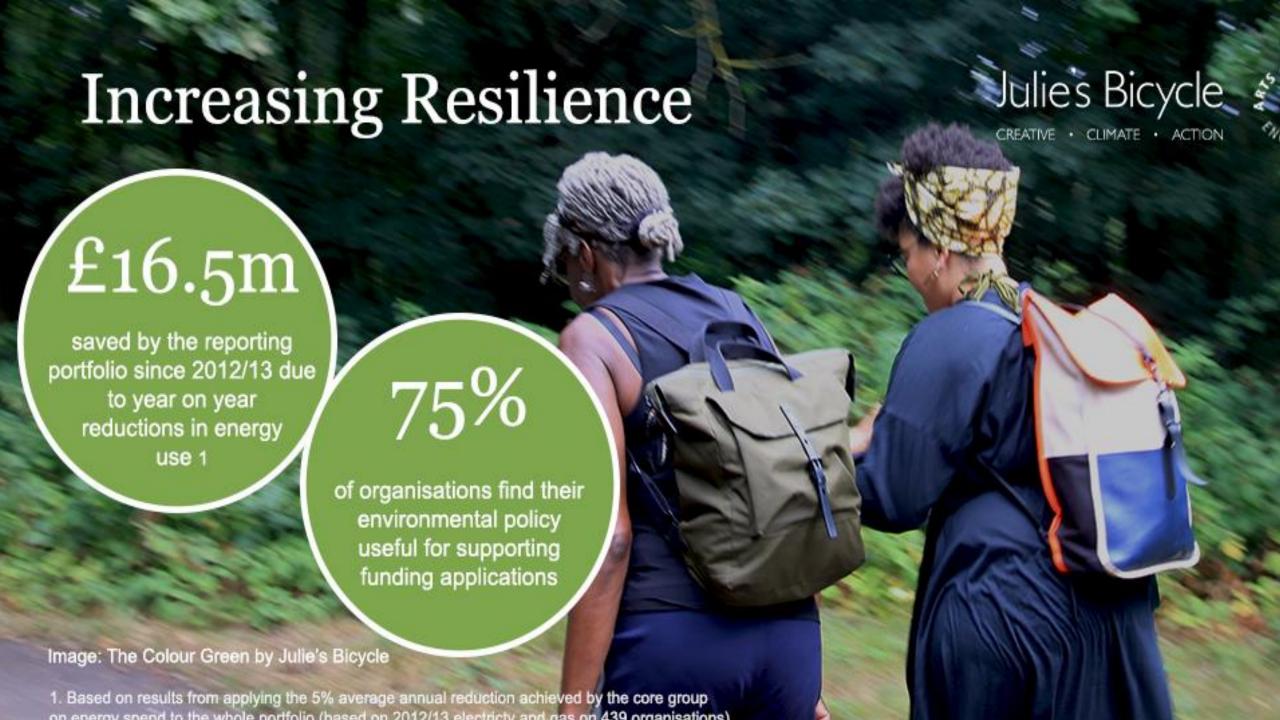
decrease in energy use between 2012/13 and 2017/18 35%

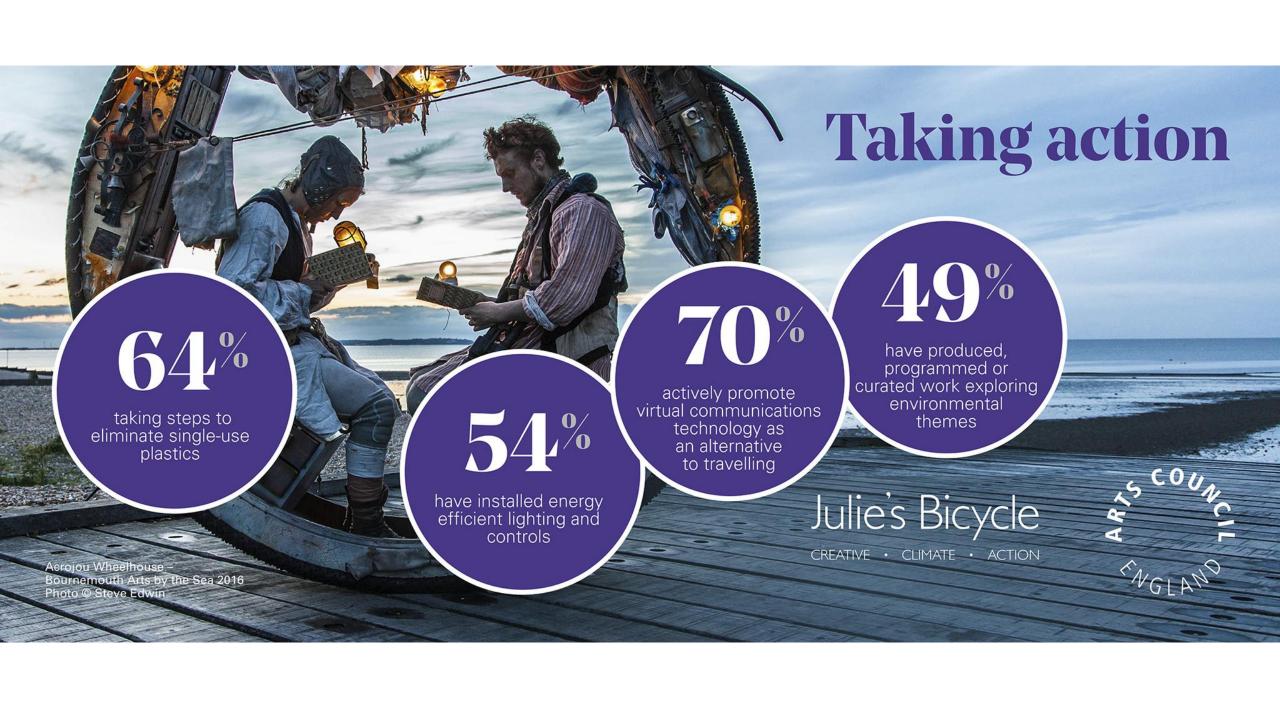
decrease in energy use emissions (based on electricity and gas) from 67,600 to 44,000 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> between 2012/13 and 2017/18<sup>1</sup> 7%

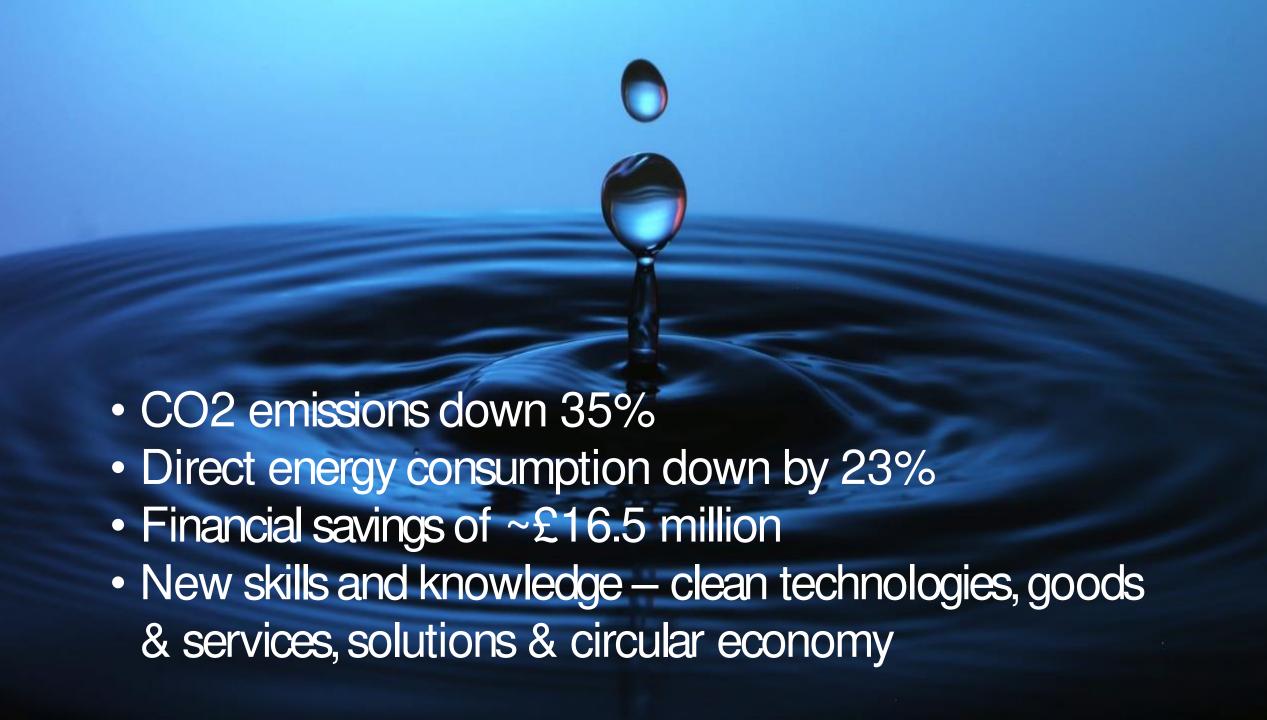
average annual reduction in energy use emissions (based on electricity and gas) since 2012/13

1 This reduction is partly related to the UK's grid decarbonisation as fossil fuel energy generation is phased out and replaced with renewables.

Image: I am the Universe anthology FO







Signs of a new creative ecology

78%

included environmental sustainability in core business strategies Julie's Bicycle

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S COUNCE

38%

have director or board level representatives with a specific environmental remit

17%

trialling sustainable production or exhibition methods

29%

with an ethical sponsorship or partnerships policy

In Between Time Fog Bridge, Fujiko Nakaya.

Presented in partnership with Bristol2015, Green Capital. Photo © Max McClure

# 2018-22











National Theatre

Gateshead



**SOUTHBANK** CENTRE





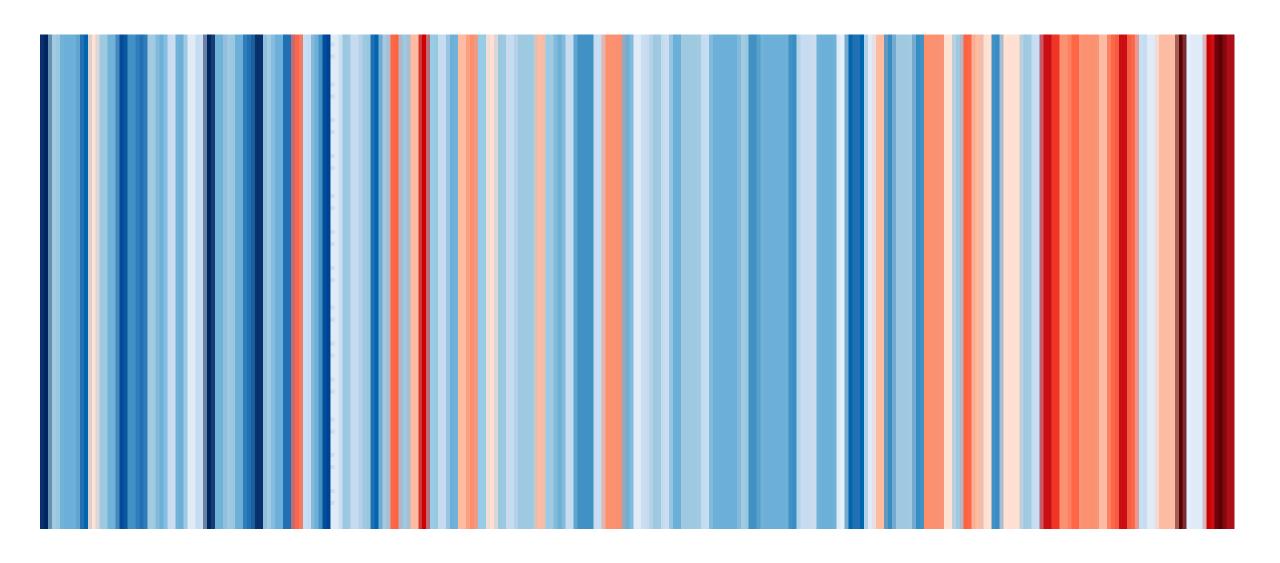
ART GALLERY CARLISLE



ACCELERATOR

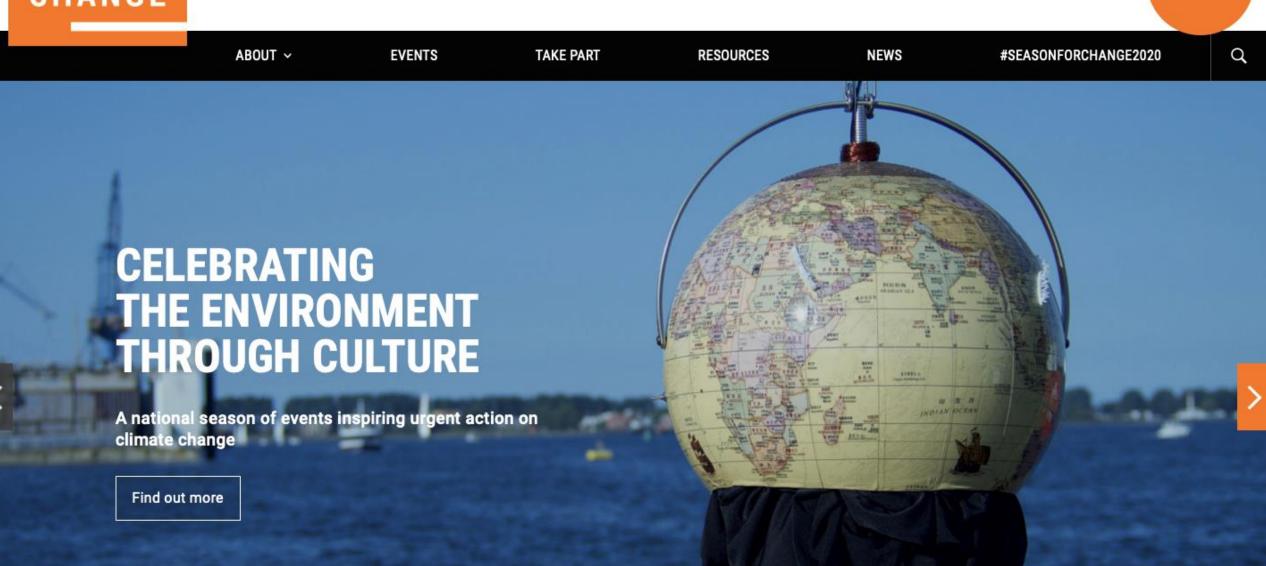
PROGRAMME

# Creative Connections

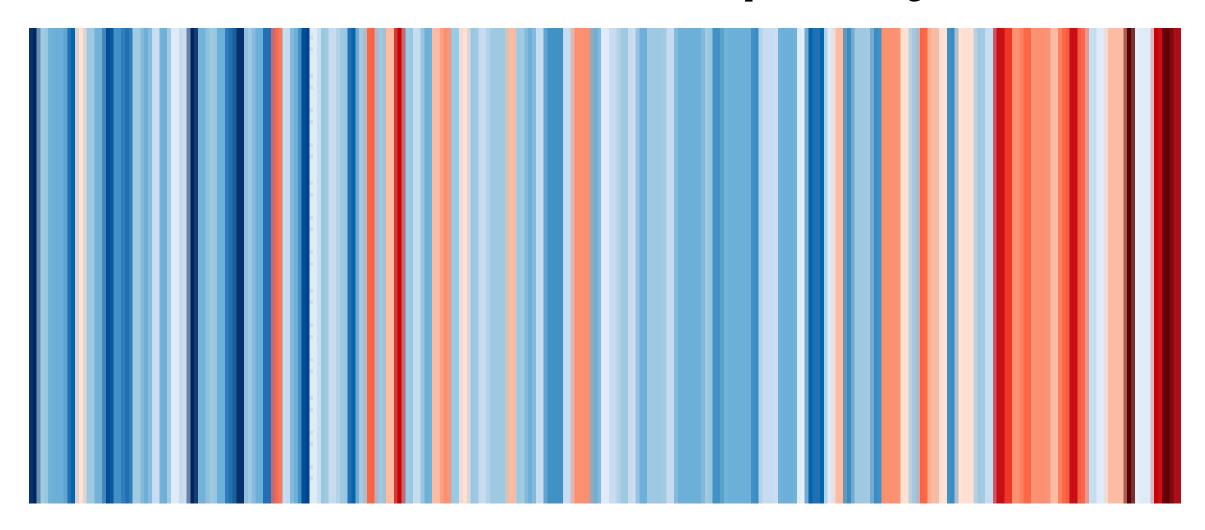


Celebrating the environment through culture and inspiring urgent action on climate change

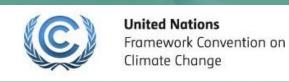




# ecoCultural policy



# **ADVOCACY PROGRAM**



Co-developed Art4Climate, a weekly spotlight on climate change

C40 WORLD CITIES CULTURE FORUM

Writing a policy handbook and 20 city profiles on how to better integrate culture and climate change. Building an international cities programme.

A European project supporting historic city centres to become labs for regeneration.

SALZBURG GLOBAL SEMINAR

Facilitating a session on cities incubating cultural climate action

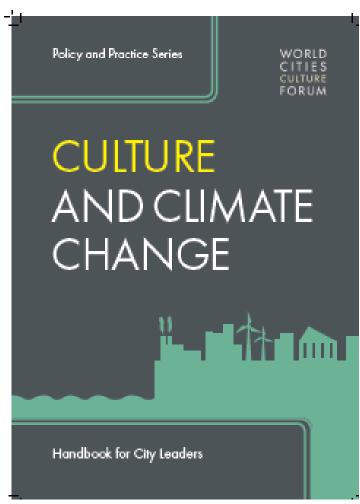
C-CHANGE

Developing responses for arts and culture leading climate action in cities

2017

# 2019: World Cities tackling climate crisis thru' culture





# WHAT IS A MOVEMENT?



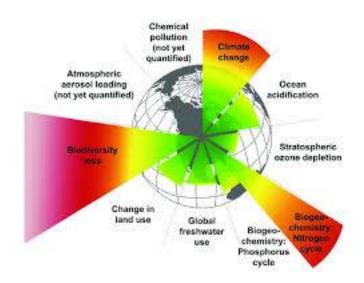


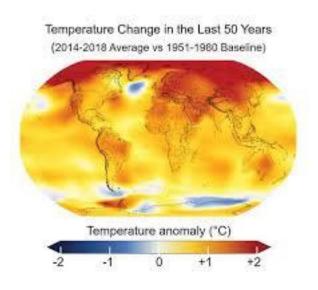


















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# PATH-FINDING



ARTS + CULTURE
LEADING CLIMATE ACTION IN CITIES



















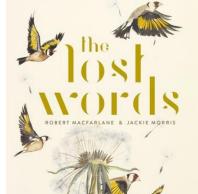




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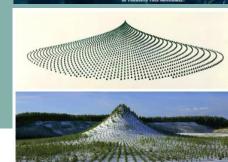
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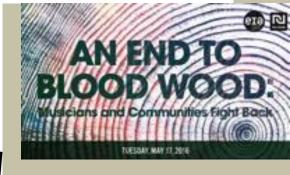
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# ACTIVISM

Mark Rylance heads list of artists calling for end to BP cultural sponsorship

Oscar-winning actor among 214 signatories of an open letter demanding cancellation of oil firm's new five-year arts sponsorship deal











# and JUSTICE





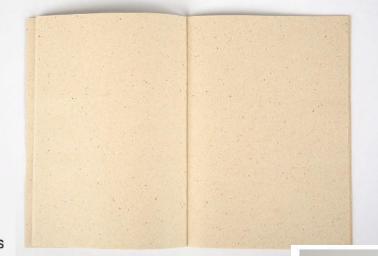
## Creative Climate Movement

# ORGANISATIONS



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### **Notweed Paper**



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# DESIGN & INNOVATION

Innovating humanitarian aid

shelters using renewable energy and electrical tools.

Festival grounds and refugee camps have more in common than you may think. Together with The Netherlands Red Cross, Open-House is developing innovative solutions for (re)building

#### Locally sourced paper from invasive plants





#### **BREATHING CANTERBURY**

21 July - 30 September 2018 The Beaney House of Art & Knowledge,

Museums, Visual Arts



#### 26 June 2018

#### **COAL FOREST**

27 October 2018 - 22 April 2019

Woodhorn Museum, Ashington Museums, Visual Arts







#### **FASHIONED FROM NATURE**

21 April 2018 - 27 January 2019 V&A, London



TOM JAMES AND ALEX HARTLEY

THE CLEARING

Castlefield Gallery, Manchester

Talk



## Creative Climate Movement

# POLICY CHANGING





Gemeente Amsterdam zet grote stap richting afvalvrije festivals: vanaf 2020 is het gebruik van herbruikbare bekers verplicht.

Municipality of Amsterdam takes a big step towards waste festivals: from 2020, the use of reusable cups is mandatory.

\* Rate this translation



Vanaf 2020 geen single-use plastics meer op Amsterdamse evenementen en festivals - Plastic Soup Foundation

PLASTICSOUPFOUNDATION.ORG

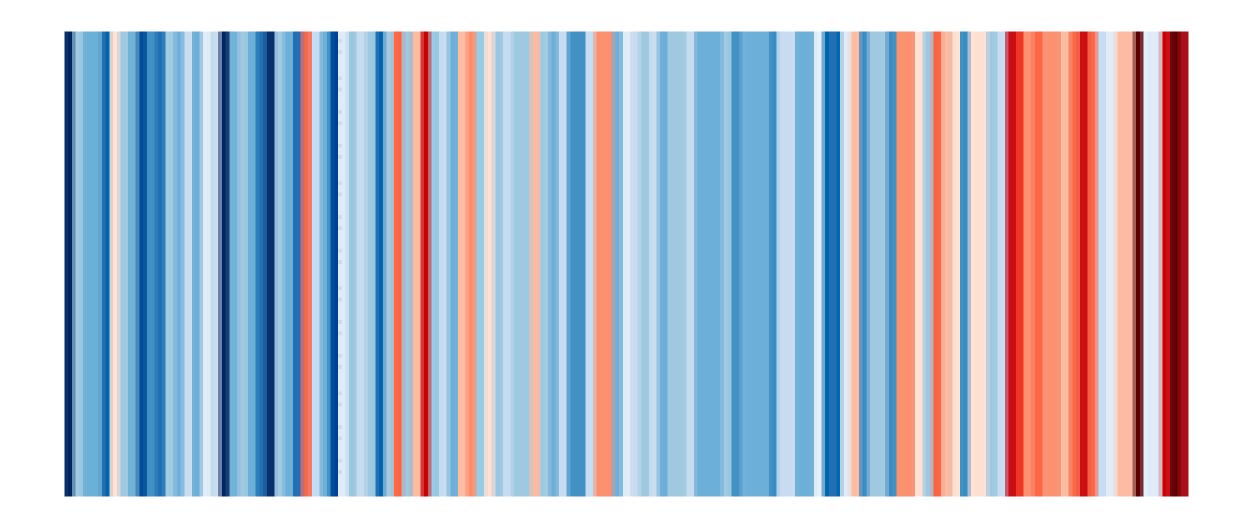




# COLLABORATION



# Strengthening the Movement



# A global network of artists and cultural leaders

What can culture and creativity do for the climate challenge?

Find out more



The rocks are beyond slow, beyond strong, and yet yielding to a soft, green breath as powerful as a glacier, the mosses wearing away their surfaces grain by grain, bringing them slowly back to sand. Robin Wall Kimmerer