

Climate Central Partnering with March for Science; Heidi Cullen a Featured Speaker on Climate Science

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PRINCETON, N.J. -- On April 22, scientists and science supporters will take the streets to show their support of research and analysis. Climate Central is proud to announce its support for the <u>March for Science</u> and even more excited to have <u>Heidi Cullen</u>, our chief scientist, speak at the flagship gathering in Washington, D.C.

The march is not about politics. In fact, it's about setting aside political differences and supporting the science and research that helps us understand the world and drives innovations that improve the lives of everybody.

When it comes to climate change, the preponderance of scientific evidence makes it clear what's at stake. The world is warming and if we continue to burn fossil fuels, it will continue to warm with irrevocable and potentially catastrophic consequences. Understanding that science and making rational policy choices based on it are of the utmost importance to our future and the prosperity and well-being of all future generations.

Climate Central is partnering with the March for Science to ensure climate science takes it rightful place next to medicine, biology, astronomy and the countless other disciplines represented at the march. We're excited that Heidi Cullen will be speaking about the importance of climate science in this context. More importantly, we hope to see a continued healthy dialogue about climate change solutions based on sound science after the placards have been recycled.

"The March for Science is a watershed moment for Americans to defend the invaluable role science and evidence-based decision making play in our health, wealth and security," said Paul Hanle, CEO and President of Climate Central. "We're excited to lend support to the march. Since our inception, we've been champions for science and will continue to be long after Saturday's event."

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