



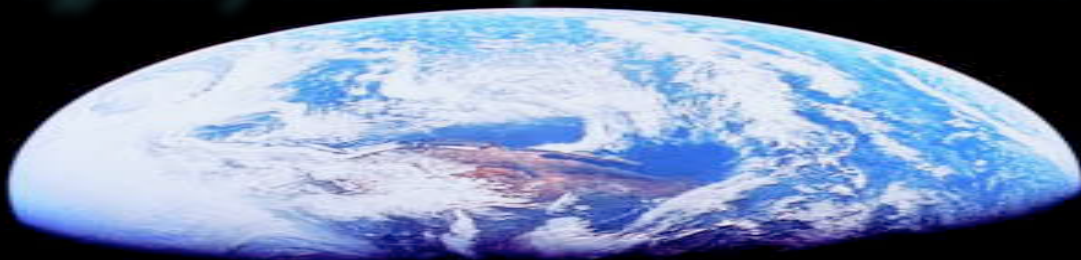
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B O S T O N U N I V E R S I T Y**

*Why environment - including climate change -  
must be seen as development challenges?*

*What is the nature of “globalness” in our  
globalized world?*

*How is the international cooperation we need  
different from the cooperation we are used to?*



# Our Planet: Our Country

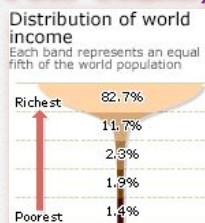


Imagine, if the world  
were one country...

## If the World was a Country..



*It would be a very  
Poor Country*



*It would be a very  
Divided Country*



*It would be a very  
Degraded Country*



*It would be a very  
Insecure Country*



*It would be Poorly  
Governed Country*



*It would be an  
Unsafe Country*







## *Why Does this Matter*

*The connectedness of environmental challenges forces us to confront otherwise neglected aspects of our global connectedness.*

Environmental challenges are essentially challenges of insecurity.



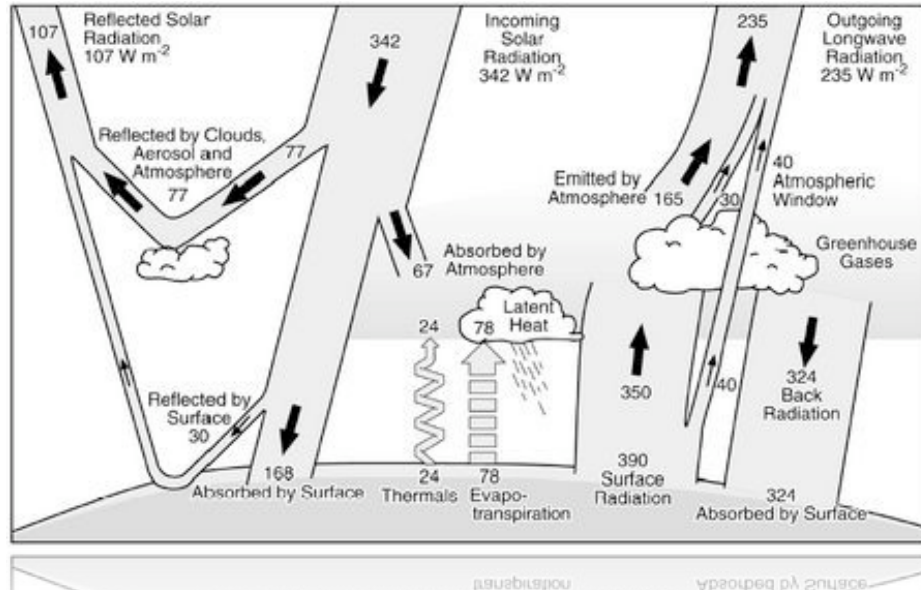
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The development and insecurity aspects of environment invite us to rethink how we manage a “Third World Planet.”

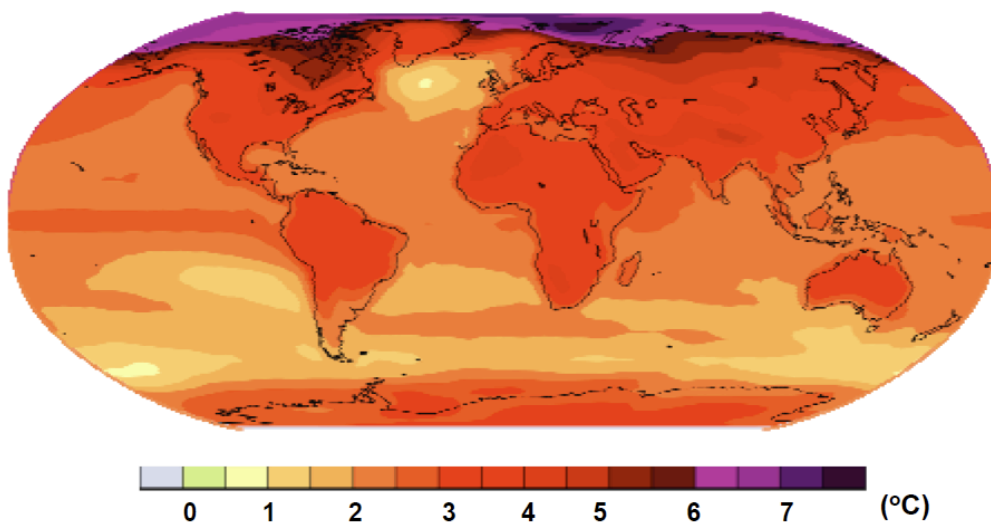
# Understanding Climate Change

We, generally, know how it happens.



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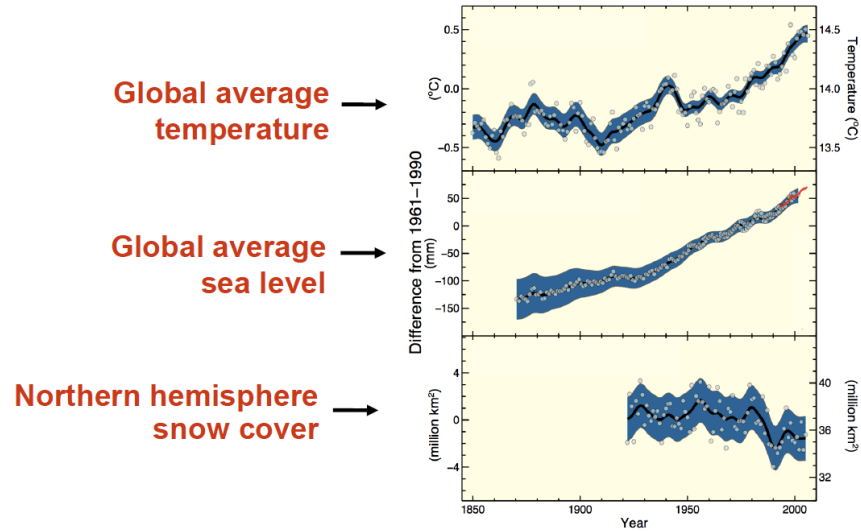
And we know that it is happening.





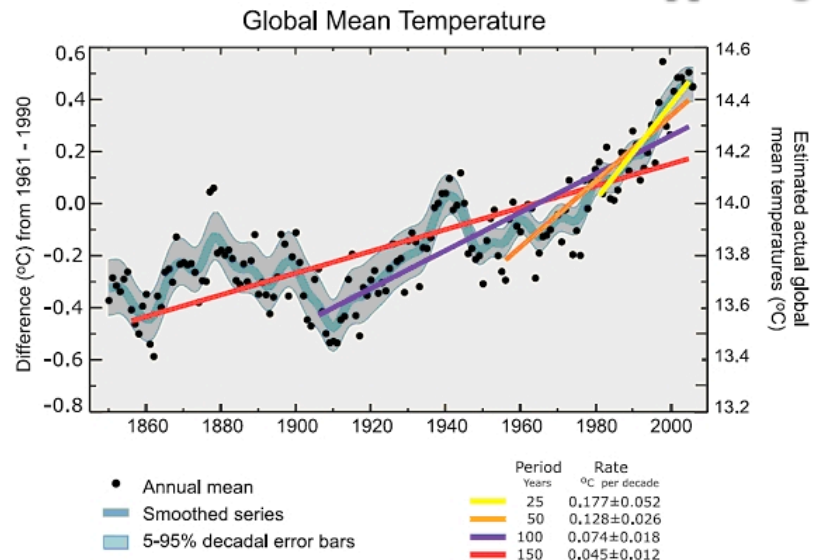
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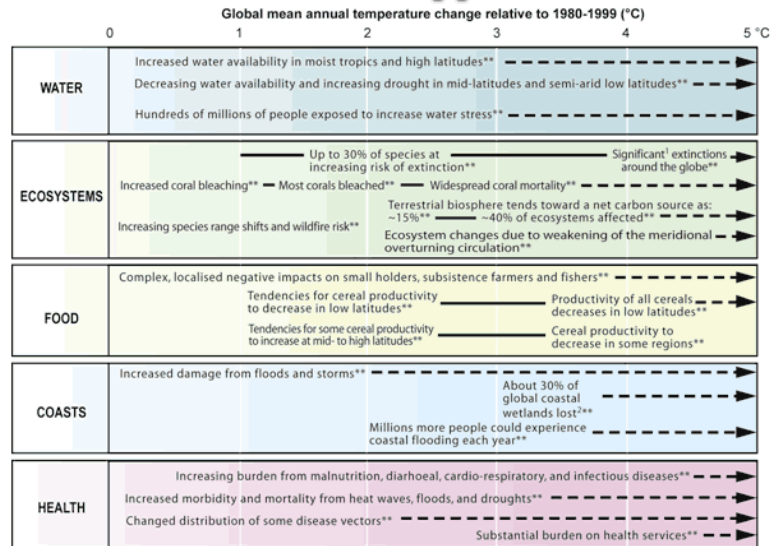
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# Understanding Climate Change

## We know what can happen because of it.



## Environment or Development?

*Is this  
Even a  
Choice?*

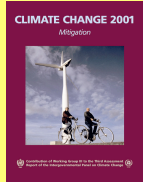




## UNFCCC Article 2 & Article 3

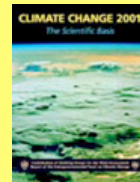


## Kyoto Protocol Article 2 & Article 10



## IPCC Findings SRES Report

INTERGOVERNMENTAL PANEL ON CLIMATE CHANGE (IPCC)



# The mandate to link CC and SD

## Adaptation to Climate Change

*First, get  
closer to  
the problem!*



*Viewed close up,  
Adaptation is Development*



# Adaptation to Climate Change

## #1. Water Stress



# Adaptation to Climate Change

## #2. Food Stress





# Adaptation to Climate Change

## #3. Energy Stress



# Adaptation to Climate Change

## #4. Disease Stress





# Adaptation to Climate Change

## #5. Disaster Risks



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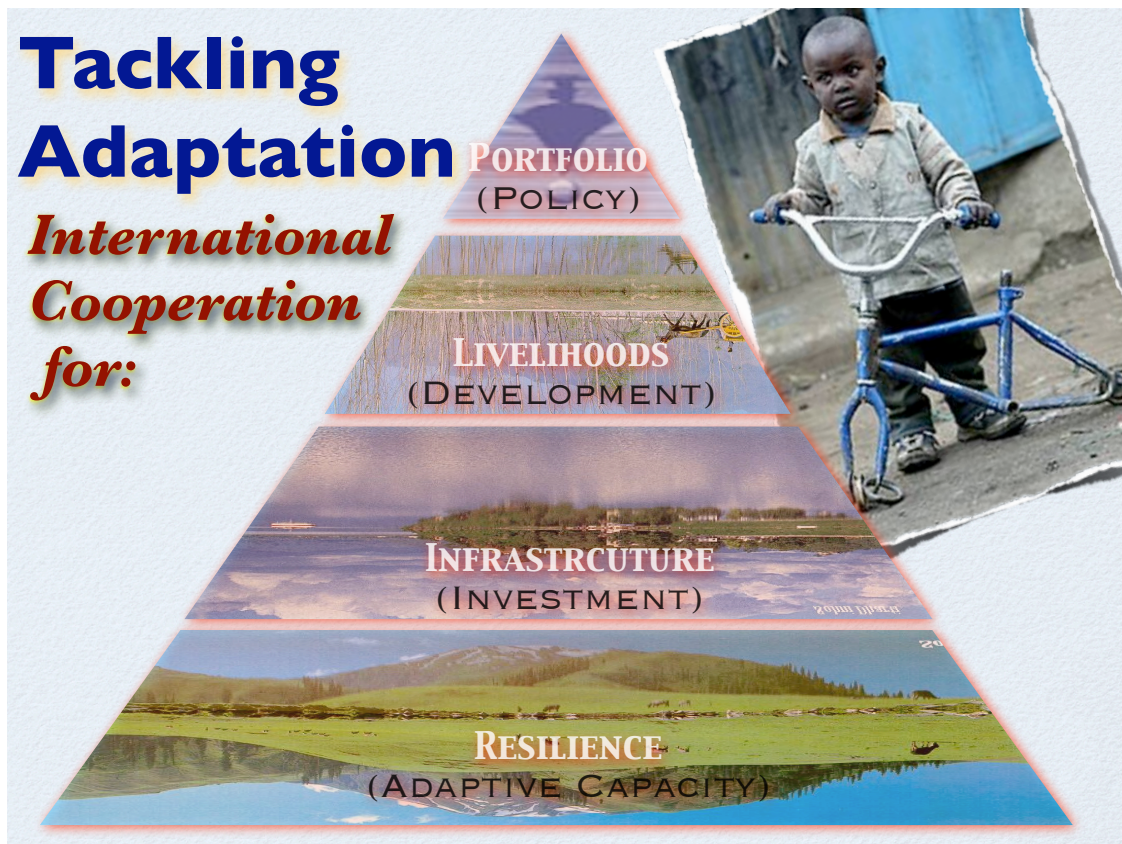
## #6. Ecosystem Degradation





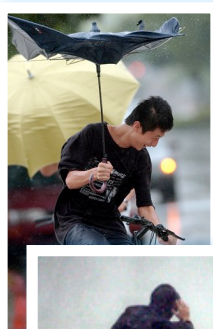
# Tackling Adaptation

*International  
Cooperation  
for:*



## Global Cooperation

*What does this mean  
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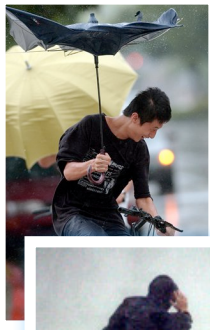
*What we need is  
global cooperation for  
local action.*



# Global Cooperation

*What does this mean  
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*The focus has to be  
developmental -  
especially in building  
Adaptive Capacity.*



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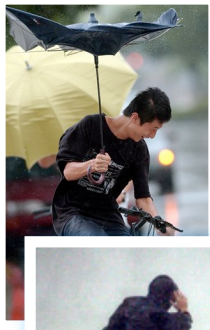
*The city is the new  
frontier. We will sink or  
swim with the city.*



# Global Cooperation

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for Asia-Europe &  
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*The best thing Europe  
can do is to take better  
care of its own  
environment.*



# Global Cooperation

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for Asia-Europe &  
Global Cooperation.*

*The best thing Asia can  
do is to take better care  
of its own people.*

