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## Climate Change Communication and Collaboration: Translating Awareness into Collective Action

a public symposium with presentations by

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**Moderator: Thomas E. Bowman, MA**, President of the Bowman Design Group and Founder of the  
Climate Solutions Project

**Date: Wednesday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 – 7:00 pm**

Location: MODUL University Vienna

Am Kahlenberg 1, 1190 Vienna, Auditorium Maximum

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The Climate Change Collaboratory (Triple-C) aims to utilize new media technology for strengthening the relations between scientists, policy makers, educators, environmental NGOs, news media and corporations – stakeholders who recognize the need for climate change adaptation and mitigation but differ in their specific worldviews, goals and agendas. Triple-C will manage a large repository of expert knowledge and provide a platform for effective communication and collaboration. Innovative survey instruments in the tradition of “games with a purpose” will create shared meaning and leverage networking platforms to capture indicators of environmental attitudes, lifestyles and behaviors. Triple-C will draw upon the lessons learnt from building the Media Watch on Climate Change, the award-winning news and social media aggregator available at [www.ecoresearch.net/climate](http://www.ecoresearch.net/climate).

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**We look forward to welcoming you!**

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