

## ***The Global Climate Crisis and Ecology: a documentary collection for midsize libraries: version 2***

(This is an update of the 2015 work, and a corrected version of record, to a previously published print bibliography, also found at <http://ir.uiowa.edu/bsides/15> , but now with new DVD documentaries. This update includes new print titles. (the DVDs are below).

***Coming Clean: Breaking America's addiction to oil and coal*** by Michael Brune, Sierra Club books, (2010) ISBN-13: 978-1578051908

***Blue Future (2014) Blue Covenant (2009)*** or her original ***Blue Gold: the Fight to Stop the Corporate Theft of the World's Water (2005)*** by Maude Barlow, from the New Press, ISBN-13: 978-1565848139 . A water rights activist and media personality, takes on corporate values.

***Blue Revolution: unmaking America's Water Crisis (2011)*** by Cynthia Barnett of [www.beacon.org](http://www.beacon.org) ISBN : 978-0-8070-0328-3

***Diagnosis Mercury: Money, politics, and poison*** by Jane M. Hightower M.D. Island press, (2011) ISBN-: 978-1610910026

***Super Fuel: Thorium: The Green Energy source for the Future (2013)*** by Richard Martin ISBN-13: 978-1137278340

***The Bridge at the Edge of the World: Capitalism, the Environment and crossing from Crisis to Sustainability***

by James Gustave Speth Yale Univ. press(2009) The international economy's impact on Global Climate ISBN-13: 978-0300151152

***Biodiesel Power: The Passion, the People, and the Politics of the Next Renewable Fuel ..*** by Lyle Sestill, President of Piedmont Biofuels, won awards from North Carolina Environmental Educators Assoc. New Society publishers(2005) ISBN-13: 978-0865715417

***Smart Alliance: How a global corporation and environmental activists transformed a tarnished brand. (Transformation of the company from United Fruit, to Chiquita,)*** by J Gary Taylor, P.J. Scharlin Yale Univ. press, (2004) ISBN-13: 978-0300102338

***The Greening of America*** (1996 update)-the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary edition of the 1971 classic by Charles A Reich, author who urbanized 1970's flower power. A tree hugger's counter-culture manifesto- big impact for the Carter administration. ISBN-13: 978-0517886366

***Our Stolen Future : Are we are threatening our fertility, intelligence, and survival? -- A scientific detective story*** by Theo Colborn, Dianne Dumanowki, John Peterson Myers, Plume publishing, (1997) ISBN-13: 978-0452274143

***Plastic: a toxic Love Story*** by Susan Fienkel (2013) Documents the rise of plastic chemicals produced by using huge polymers; and the consequences of each person's use of 100 times more plastic than in 1960 with bad toxic results. ISBN-13 978-1-61793-366-0

***Life without Plastic*** by Chantal Plamondon and Jay Sinha (2017) A step-by-step guide to avoiding excess plastic to keep your Family and Planet healthy. ISBN-13 978-1-62414-425-7 Addresses the health consequences of BPA, a plastic component, and toxic buildups.

***Global Climate Change Linkages: Acid rain, air quality, stratospheric ozone*** by James White PhD (1989) ISBN-13:978-0444015150

***Paving Paradise: Wetlands and the failure of "no net loss"*** by Craig Pittman(2009) Univ.Press of Florida ISBN-13: 978-0813032863

***This Changes Everything, Capitalism vs. Climate*** journalist Naomi Klein(2014) SimonandSchuster.com ISBN-13:978-1-4516-9738-4

***Laudato Si , on Care for our Common Home (May 2015)*** ISBN-13 978-1514611272 Pope Francis wrote one a first encyclicals on Climate Change and Environmental concerns. Issues of human rights and corporate responsibility, considering earth science studies. [http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco\\_20150524\\_enciclica-laudato-si.html](http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco_20150524_enciclica-laudato-si.html)

***United Nations Paris Climate accord agreement*** within the [United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change](http://www.unfccc.org/) (UNFCCC) dealing with [greenhouse gas emissions mitigation](http://www.unfccc.org/), and international finance, climate and sustainability [https://treaties.un.org/pages/ViewDetails.aspx?src=TREATY&mtdsg\\_no=XXVII-7-d&chapter=27&clang=en](https://treaties.un.org/pages/ViewDetails.aspx?src=TREATY&mtdsg_no=XXVII-7-d&chapter=27&clang=en)

The 2015 presentation featured [Original films and Documentary versions of published books](#), many available at no charge at Climate and Ecology resources links; and others from library documentary collection sites or reserved individual websites.

1. DVD...**The 11<sup>th</sup> Hour** –by Leonardo DiCaprio(2008) – noted science figures on anthropogenic impacts on resources, and the Climate Change consequences. <http://freedocumentaries.org/documentary/the-11th-hour> <http://www.11thhourproject.org/>

2. DVD... **A Fierce Green Fire**-(2011) Mark Ketchell's documentary on the Environmental movement; hurricane Katrina, to the Deepwater BP oil spill <http://www.pbs.org/wnet/americanmasters/episodes/a-fierce-green-fire/watch-the-film/>

3. DVD... **F.U.E.L.** –(2010) - a self-produced discussion of alternative energy, the energy crisis, and production of biodiesel alternatives -by Josh Tickell , interviews of famous environment spokespersons. <http://topdocumentaryfilms.com/fuel/>

4. DVD...**Freedom** – a 2011 sequel to F.U.E.L., and his other documentaries, on alternative energy and ways to obtain freedom from addiction to oil dictatorship supply, and our fossil fuels. <http://topdocumentaryfilms.com/freedom-fuels/>
5. DVD....**Tapped** -2014 a documentary on the bottled water industry and its' impact on our health, pollution, and our reliance on oil production methods, and commodity pricing . <https://topdocumentaryfilms.com/tapped/>
6. DVD... **An Inconvenient Truth...**( 2003) – Al Gore’s film, with graphics on Global Climate Change from the book of the same name. The film in its entirety, and other AL Gores books. <https://www.algore.com/library/an-inconvenient-truth-dvd>
- 7.DVD,online. **An Inconvenient Sequel, Truth to power**(2017) [www.123movieson.com/movies/an-inconvenient-sequel/](http://www.123movieson.com/movies/an-inconvenient-sequel/)
8. DVD...**King Corn** (2007) documentary that follows college friends, as they document a growing season for one acre of corn : its impact on agricultural production, economic support programs, agribusiness, food and finance - [www.kingcorn.net](http://www.kingcorn.net)
- 9 DVD...**Big River** (2009) sequel to King Corn; on the impact of agricultural fertilizer, toxicity and run-off on treated water as it moves to Gulf of Mexico’s dead zone. <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt1524098/> OR [www.bigriverfilm.com](http://www.bigriverfilm.com)
10. DVD...**The Future of Food** – (2004) a documentary about GMO cloning : its impact on food supply, on consumer health and the economy . <http://topdocumentaryfilms.com/the-future-of-food/>
11. DVD.... **Alcohol Can Be a Gas** – (2008) a companion video, to the book produced by David Blume; who, in lecture style, gives an overview of Ethanol and other agricultural based fuel production and alternative energy sources to petroleum. This could be a good introduction for science projects. <http://www.alcoholcanbeagas.com/node/518>
12. DVD....**GASLAND, can you light your water on fire?** – (2010) and **Gasland 2** – (2012): controversial award-winning documentaries on “Fracking” methods of subterranean petroleum extraction: producing natural gas, and shale crude oil. Covers the Water requirements and the ground water table effects. <http://www.gaslandthemovie.com/about-the-film>
13. DVD... **Acid Test**, (2008) Sigourney Weaver’s film, on ocean acidification, sustainability and resulting water issues; from Discovery channel’s *Planet Green* <http://topdocumentaryfilms.com/acid-test-global-challenge-ocean-acidification/>
14. DVD.... **The Cove** , (2009) a documentary from the book, about dolphin slaughter and International whaling, produced by Oceanic Preservation Society - Mercury poisoning data (bio magnifications) [www.thecovemovie.com/](http://www.thecovemovie.com/)
15. DVD... **Earth under Water, (National Geographic documentary on sea level and Antarctic melting) - 2017** Addresses long-term Global warming effects on Miami, NY, London and Mediterranean. <http://www.dailymotion.com/video/x4wu00g>
16. DVD... **Stories from the Gulf**, by Robert Redford and National Resource Defense Council - Discovery channel...impacts of the 2010 BP *Deepwater Horizon* oil spill. In entirety on <https://www.nrdc.org/stories/stories-gulf> OR <https://redfordcenter.org/films/watershed/updates> OR <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vJDBML1-GA8>
17. DVD...**The Price of Sand** , [https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2738432/videooplayer/vi1306306073?ref=tt\\_ov\\_via](https://www.imdb.com/title/tt2738432/videooplayer/vi1306306073?ref=tt_ov_via) 2013 documentary on Fracking sands produced from open pit mines of Guttenberg IA. The consequences were evaluated by a Univ. of Iowa School of Public Health study [www.desmogblog.com/2013/04/30/sand-land-fracking-industry-mining-iowa-s-iconic-sand-bluffs-new-mountaintop-removal](http://www.desmogblog.com/2013/04/30/sand-land-fracking-industry-mining-iowa-s-iconic-sand-bluffs-new-mountaintop-removal)
18. DVD... **The Future of Energy, (2015)** a documentary from the Economist supplement, a summary of state of wind, water, and solar sources of energy <http://topdocumentaryfilms.com/future-energy>
19. DVD **Cool It** an overview documentary on the economics of Climate Change proposals from Kyoto, produced by Bjorn Lomborg, a controversial author of the 2010 book ‘**The Skeptical Environmentalist**’ <https://archive.org/details/CoolIt>

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**Also updated, some additional Children’s and YA materials, now virtual** (from the 2010 book list)

- a. **The Lorax**, by Dr. Suess; now a 2012 Universal pictures movie from the book
- b. **Hoot** Carl Hiaasen(2006) <http://www.carlhiaasen.com/book-detail.shtml?bid=10> other Hiaasen titles: FLUSH, SCAT and CHOMP