



GLOBAL WARNING

An Alarm with No Bell?

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CCP News Bulletin

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The Conference of Parties (COP) is the decision-making body responsible for monitoring and reviewing UNFCCC recommendations on global warming and climate change.

International Efforts: Last 25 COPs since 1995, have failed to limit the Global Warming. The Global Leadership is yet to provide a clear direction for mitigating Climate Change impacts. COP-26 starting from 31 Oct 2021 could be the last chance for Humanity to avoid catastrophic decline.



THE MAIN THEMES OF COP 26:

- Limiting warming to 1.5 degrees
- Global emissions must halve by 2030
- Globally reach 'net-zero' by 2050
- Mobilize Climate Finance

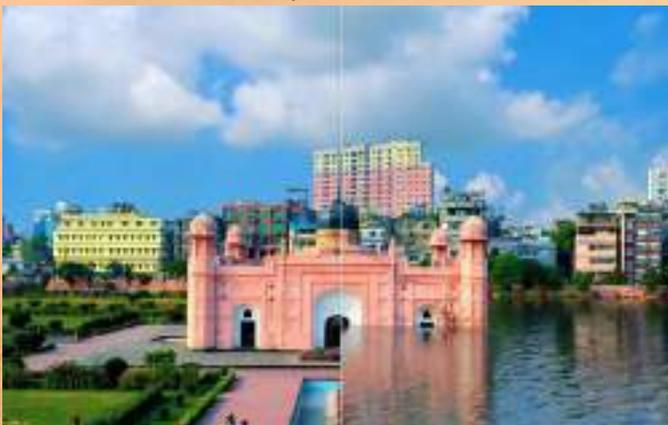
→ Will COP 26 be hijacked by finance issues, without committing emission reductions?

COP 21 at Paris in 2015 saw over 195 countries pledging NDCs to reduce CO2 emissions, But post- pandemic Economic recovery is seeing large rebound to Coal & Oil use with 2nd largest annual increase in CO2 emissions in the History

THE HOT TOPIC THE URBAN HEAT ISLAND

India more vulnerable to heat extremes:

The 'Lancet Countdown on Health and Climate Change' notes that 295 billion hours of potential work were lost across the globe in 2020 due to heat exposure. ([Read more](#))



Our underwater future: What sea level rise will look like around the globe

The planet is warming rapidly, resulting in historic drought, deadly floods and unusual melting events in the Arctic. It is also causing steady sea level rise, which scientists say will continue for decades. ([Read more](#))



Shell and Exxon's secret 1980s climate change warnings-

Newly found documents from the 1980s show that fossil fuel companies privately predicted the global damage that would be caused by their products.

[\(Read more\)](#)



India won't commit to 'net zero' goal at COP 26-

India will not commit to the 2050 'net zero' goal at COP 26 and tells the affluent nations to go for carbon neutrality much before mid-century keeping in view their own cumulative historical emissions. [\(Read more\)](#)



A global carbon removal industry is coming -

Experts explain the problems it must overcome [\(Read more\)](#)



'The one chance we have'-

The pandemic gave the world a golden opportunity to fix the climate crisis. We're about to waste it. [\(Read More\)](#)

ECOTIPS

Install Green Roofs: A very effective heat reduction strategy, providing both direct and ambient cooling effects.

Incorporate green infrastructure upgrades into all city street developments.

Start urban forestry and rooftop gardens to grow your own natural fruits and vegetables as well as benefit from effective cooling.

Transform your community, one project at a time by planting native, drought-tolerant shade providing trees.