



## FOCUS! TEACHER'S CLIMATE CHANGE COLLABORATIVE

### An Immersive Learning Experience

**What:** An immersive, learning experience involving BC secondary school teachers and resource guests who will develop an enhanced understanding of climate change topics for the classroom. The 5-day *Focus! Teacher's Climate Change Collaborative* aims to achieve the following goals:

- (1) create innovative pedagogical strategies that foster a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics) approach in the classroom;
- (2) empower teachers to share their enthusiasm, knowledge and inspiration for new school-wide initiatives; and,
- (3) develop a community of like-minded colleagues to seek reflective feedback on student learning activities, awareness and action

**Who:** ~15 invited BC teachers + ~15 expert resource guests (researchers, innovators, action leaders)

**When:** July 5-9, 2021 + 3 advance 1.5-2.0 hour Zoom sessions (May & June 2021)  
See attached agenda for specific day-by-day details

**Where:** Zoom sessions for shared learning and group activities

**Planning Team:** Tom Harding [Head of Science and Strategic Partnerships in Science at West Point Grey Academy; Prime Minister's Award for Excellence in Teaching - Certificate of Achievement (2017)] + Sue Roppel [President, Kimberley Foundation; experienced creator of international experiential learning programs at Canadian universities] + Travis Fuchs [Doctoral Candidate, Science Education, UBC; SSHRC Graduate Scholar]



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