CCA USA - Jul 20, 2021 - Monthly Meeting

Pre-Meeting Resources for Review

Have you already clicked the link to register? Great! We hope to engage your curiosity, expand your learning, and equip you with more of what you want so you can go forth and make a difference on your climate coaching path!

This quote from Carl Sagan may help situate us in a common context for inquiry:

"Many of the dangers we face indeed arise from science and technology – but, more fundamentally, because we have become powerful without becoming commensurately wise. The world-altering powers that technology has delivered into our hands now require a degree of consideration and foresight that has never before been asked of us."

Coaches help clients tap into their innate abilities to understand, consider and see things from different perspectives so that they can more fully step into and expand their own wisdom. When climate change is included in the coaching space, we believe developing this wisdom in ourselves and our clients is critical as we navigate challenges that require us to be and do things differently. Understanding time more broadly is one powerful way to change perspective and then behavior.

July 20th Topic

Understanding different concepts of time and how these can support powerful climate coaching.

Invitation to Engage with Resources Before the Meeting

Before attending the meeting, we ask that all registrants set aside at least 15 minutes to:

- 1. Watch a 5 minute BBC video called Do we need to re-think our ideas of time?
- 2. Review this <u>Long Time Project Toolkit pdf</u>, especially the six long time levers and the 13 tools described.

Optional

If you are interested in spending more time learning about concepts of time and how we might consider using them to support us and our coaching work we highly recommend the following:

- Marcia Bjornerud in conversation with Long Time Project co-founder Ella Saltmarshe
 - 50 minute YouTube video
 - Marcia is the author of Timefulness: How Thinking like a Geologist Can Help Save the World
- Andri Magnasson interview with Emergence Magazine
 - 59 minute podcast recording with full transcript
 - o Andri is the author of On Time and Water
- BBC Article How art and culture can help us rethink time
- BBC Article The perils of short-termism: Civilisation's greatest threat

We look forward to exploring this topic with you.

Come prepared to think big...!

Your meeting hosts,
Anne-Marie Brest and Elisabeth von Halem