

Arts, Culture, and Climate Migration Resource List

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CLIMATE MIGRATION

Arstechnica.com. 2020. *As sea levels rise, little of the United States will be unaffected.*

<https://arstechnica.com/science/2020/01/as-sea-levels-rise-little-of-the-united-states-will-be-unaffected/>

- See graphic of migration patterns

Earth Institute Climate Adaptation Initiative. June 22-25, 2021. *At What Point Managed Retreat?*

Resilience, Relocation, and Climate Justice <https://adaptation.ei.columbia.edu/content/2021-conference-homepage>

Earth Institute YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/user/EarthInstitute/videos>

Fredman, Andres. 2022. An “Extreme Heat Belt” will soon emerge in the U.S., study warns. *Axios* August

15. <https://www.axios.com/2022/08/15/extreme-heat-belt-global-warming>

Hardy, Dean et al. 2017. Racial coastal formation: The environmental injustice of colorblind adaptation planning for sea-level rise. *Geoforum* 87.

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0016718517302944>

Hauer, Mathew. 2017. Migration induced by sea-level rise could reshape the US population landscape.

Nature Climate Change Letters. April 17. <https://www.nature.com/articles/nclimate3271>.

- Figure 2. Net change in population due to sea-level rise under the 1.8 m scenario and no adaptation.
- Figure 3. Circular plot of bi-lateral SLR migration flows for US States

National League of Cities. 2022. The Next American Migration: What Cities Should Know About Climate

Change and Populations on the Move. <https://www.nlc.org/resource/the-next-american-migration-what-cities-should-know-about-climate-change-and-populations-on-the-move>

Osland, Michael et al. 2022. Migration and transformation of coastal wetlands in response to rising seas.

Science Advances. June 29, 2022. <https://www.science.org/doi/pdf/10.1126/sciadv.abo5174>

STRATEGIES FOR RECEIVING COMMUNITIES / WELCOMING NEWCOMERS

ArtPlace America Field Scan. 2020. *Bridging Divides, Creating Community: Arts, Culture, and*

Immigration. <https://www.welcomingamerica.org/content/bridging-divides-creating-community-arts-culture-and-immigration> (Strategies for Receiving Communities)

Child Welfare Index. (used to determine readiness for newcomers)
<https://www.childwelfare.gov/topics/systemwide/statistics/wellbeing/>

Climigration Network. N.D. *Lead with Listening: A Guidebook for Community Conversations on Climate Migration*. <https://www.climigration.org/guidebook>.

Downs-Karkos and Rachel Peric. 2019. *Building Cohesive Communities in an Era of Migration and Change*. Welcoming America Social Cohesion Series #1.
<https://www.welcomingamerica.org/content/welcoming-america-social-cohesion-series>

Institute for Cultural Partnerships. 2006. Art of Community: Creativity at the Crossroads of Immigrant Cultures and Social Services. <http://wayback.archive-it.org/2077/20110218182707/http://www.culturalpartnerships.org/pdf/Art-of-Community.pdf>

New York Times. Wildfire Risk Map. <https://nyti.ms/3PqrsVq>

Welcoming Interactive 2021: Fostering a Sense of Belonging in Your Community,
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qGeffchmWU8>.

ARTS AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Americans for the Arts. 2015. *Arts, the Environment, & Sustainability*. Excerpted from Arts& America: Arts, Culture, and the Future of America's Communities.
https://www.americansforthearts.org/sites/default/files/Arts&America_Environment.pdf

- Includes section on the climate diaspora and “the arts role in easing the integration of displace people”
- page 127: The arts, as a vehicle for making science and policy both digestible and effective, will be instrumental in understanding both what is happening and how it is changing us and our world. They are our best coping strategy, whatever else happens.

ArtPlace America. 2018. *Farther, Faster, Together: How Arts and Culture Can Accelerate Environmental Progress*. CreativePlacemaking Field Scan #4: Environment and Energy.
<https://www.artplaceamerica.org/view/pdf?f=public://pictures/environment.pdf>

- Chapter 4: How Arts and Culture can Accelerate Environmental Progress. Five priorities: sparking public demand, building community, capacity and agency, bridging scales, enriching the built environment, and nurturing sustainable economies
- Chapter 6: Metrics and Measurement.

Grantmakers in the Arts. 2016. *Arts and Environmental Sustainability Thought Leader Forum*.
<https://www.giarts.org/article/arts-and-environmental-sustainability-thought-leader-forum>

Report on a meeting of funders interested in arts and environmental sustainability

- Features Louisiana artist/biologist Brandon Ballengee

- “The metrics used by many in the environmental sector to inform decisions and measure impact are not capturing the value that the arts and culture provide.”

International Federation of Arts Councils and Culture Agencies (IFACCA). 2014. *The Arts and Environmental Sustainability*. <http://media.ifacca.org/files/DArt34b.pdf>

- Survey of international efforts.

National Sea Grant. 2018. *Traditional and Local Knowledge: A Vision for the Sea Grant Network*. <https://alaskaseagrant.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/Traditional-and-Local-Knowledge-A-vision-for-the-Sea-Grant-Network.pdf>

- Offers best practices for working with local communities about TLK

PUBLICATIONS OF LOUISIANA AGENCIES

Office of Community Development Disaster Recovery Unit. 2018. *LASAFE: Louisiana’s Strategic Adaptations for Future Environments*.

- Summary: https://www.doa.la.gov/OCDDRU/NDRC/LASAFE_Report_Final.pdf
- Full report: <https://s3.amazonaws.com/lasafe/Final+Adaptation+Strategies/Regional+Adaptation+Strategy.pdf>
 - Executive summary, page 8-9.
 - Recommendations summary, page 10-11.
 - GOALS, page 142.
 - Goal 5: Support Healthy Communities, Regional Culture, and Recreational Access to Nature.
 - Strategy 2: Preserve and support Louisiana’s culture and heritage

Louisiana Coastal Master Plan, <https://coastal.la.gov/our-plan/2017-coastal-master-plan/>

BAYOU CULTURE COLLABORATIVE

Louisiana Folklore Society, <http://www.louisianafolklore.org>

- Bayou Culture Gatherings, youtube channel, <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC6XX24FtEoSMZJgjUt8TYaA>

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Bayou Culture Collaborative participation, www.louisianafolklife.org/bayouculture

Past Workshops: <https://www.louisianafolklife.org/lfp/bayouproject.html#tab6>

Sense of Place and Loss Workshops online

- [Artists, Land Loss, and Climate Change](#), June 22, 2021
- [Climate Change, Migration, and Sustaining Louisiana's Culture](#), April 18, 2021