

## Blog Post: The Climate Essay Everyone is Talking About

Hello,

I thought the buzz in the world of climate change this week was something to note as it may come up in one of your conversations.

Best

Dan

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## The Essay on Climate that Everyone is Talking About

Hi,

The big piece of Antarctica finally broke off this morning (This is the one you have been hearing about on the news as something that would happen soon) and that may create a fresh round of climate change news reporting.

That means there will be a lot of discussion on an Essay that was published in New York Magazine this past Sunday. This piece, titled "The Uninhabitable Earth" is generating a lot of news for its focus on worst-case scenarios in this century, and a lot of commentary in support and in rebuttal has been published. If you have not heard about this you probably will so I wanted you to have a link to it as well as some other information.

The Essay in the magazine is <u>here</u>

Here are some of the more important (in my opinion) commentaries issued relative to it so far:

Adverse commentary <u>here</u> and <u>here</u>

Supportive commentary here

My take: Anything that increases the focus on the shortness of the timelines that are common to most climate change forecasts is not a bad thing to have out there. I do not think climate mitigation and resiliency efforts are happening fast enough to match those timelines and that we ought to be discussing that.

I will include any other info related to the Essay in the next Issue of *Update* that is coming out this week.

I will put this blog post on LinkedIn for those of you who want to comment on it.

Best,

Dan

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