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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Climate change effects on socioeconomic well-being | climate econometrics | detection and attribution | internal variability and large ensemble modeling | air quality and air pollution

EDUCATION

Dartmouth College	Hanover, NH
Ph.D., Ecology, Evolution, Environment, and Society (in progress)	2018 – Present
NSF Graduate Research Fellow	
Advisor: Justin Mankin	

Northwestern University	Evanston, IL
B.A., Environmental Science, with honors	2014 – 2018

PUBLICATIONS

4. **Callahan, C.W.**, Chen, C., Rugenstein, M., Bloch-Johnson, J., Yang, S., & Moyer, E.J. (2021) “Robust decrease in El Niño/Southern Oscillation amplitude under long-term warming.” *Nature Climate Change*, 10.1038/s41558-021-01099-2
3. Erbaugh, J.T., **Callahan, C.W.**, Finger Higgs, R., DeSiervo, M., Bolger, D.T., Cox, M., Howarth, R.B. (2021) “Sociotechnical stability and equilibrium.” *Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability*, 10.1016/j.cosust.2021.01.003
2. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2020) “The influence of internal climate variability on projections of synoptically driven Beijing haze.” *Geophysical Research Letters*, 10.1029/2020GL088548
1. **Callahan, C.W.**, Schnell, J.L., & Horton, D.E. (2019) “Multi-index attribution of extreme winter air quality in Beijing, China.” *Journal of Geophysical Research: Atmospheres*, 10.1029/2018JD029738

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

2. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (Submitted) “Globally unequal effect of extreme heat on economic growth.” *Nature Climate Change*
1. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (Revising) “National attribution of historical climate damages.” *Climatic Change*

PRESENTATIONS

First-author presentations only

11. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2021) “Persistent effects of El Niño on economic growth mediated by atmospheric teleconnections.” AGU Fall Meeting (Poster)

10. **Callahan, C.W.** (2021) “Persistent effects of El Niño on economic growth in present and future climates.” Graduate Climate Conference (Oral)
9. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2021) “El Niño variability mediates 21st century growth effects of climate change.” SMILE large ensemble webinar series (Oral)
8. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2021) “El Niño variability mediates 21st century growth effects of climate change.” EGU General Assembly (vPICO, *virtual*)
7. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2020) “National attribution of climate damages under Earth system uncertainty.” AGU Fall Meeting (eLightning, *virtual*)
6. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2020) “On the use of large ensembles for studying climate and air quality.” AMS Annual Meeting (Oral)
5. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2019) “National attribution of climate damages under deep uncertainty.” AGU Fall Meeting (Poster)
4. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2019) “The influence of internal variability on synoptically driven Beijing haze.” US CLIVAR Large Ensembles Workshop (Oral)
3. **Callahan, C.W.** & Mankin, J.S. (2018) “Linkages between synoptic circulation and poor air quality in Beijing.” AGU Fall Meeting (Poster)
2. **Callahan, C.W.**, Diffenbaugh, N.S., & Horton, D.E. (2018) “Multi-index attribution of Beijing’s 2013 Airpocalypse.” Northwestern Computational Research Day (Poster)
1. **Callahan, C.W.**, Diffenbaugh, N.S., & Horton, D.E. (2017) “Multi-index attribution of Beijing’s 2013 Airpocalypse.” AGU Fall Meeting (Poster)

GRANTS AND FUNDING

NSF Graduate Research Fellowship (\$102,000)	2020 – 2023
Department of Education GAANN Fellowship (\$34,000)	2018 – 2019

HONORS AND AWARDS

Outstanding Graduate Student Teacher (nominated by undergraduate)	2021
Best Senior Thesis, Northwestern Program in Environmental Sciences	2018
Northwestern Conference Travel Grant	2017
AGU Fall Meeting Student Travel Grant	2017
National Merit Scholarship	2014 – 2018
National Champion in Policy Debate, National Speech and Debate Tournament	2014

TEACHING

Teaching Assistant, BIOL 16: Ecology	Spring 2020 (<i>virtual</i>), Fall 2018
Professor: Caitlin Hicks Pries	
Teaching Assistant, ENVS 12: Energy and the Environment	Winter 2020
Professor: Elizabeth Wilson	

Teaching Assistant, ENVS 15: Environmental Issues of the Earth's Cold Regions
Professor: Ross Virginia

Spring 2019

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Community Terrestrial Systems Model tutorial, hosted by the National Center for
Atmospheric Research. 2019

“Lessons in Professional Conduct at Field Sites,” workshop led by Katie Hinde
and Robin Nelson, hosted by Dartmouth College. 2018

SERVICE

Student representative to EEES Curriculum Committee 2019 – 2020

Peer review for: *Earth's Future, Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics, Environmental Modelling and
Software*

OTHER SKILLS

Computing skills: Python/Jupyter, R, Julia, NCL, MATLAB, L^AT_EX, Unix/bash

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

European Geosciences Union 2021 – Present
American Geophysical Union 2017 – Present