

TIPPINGPOINT INDIA
11th and 12th November 2011

OPEN SPACE TOPICS and name of nominator.

Education on climate change – how do we begin the process at the grassroots.
Anil Srinivasan

If energy were free.
Aditya Dev Sood

Indigenous knowledge as a potential hope.
Neelam Mansingh Chaudhry

Political ideologies and climate change.
Shobhana Narasimhan

Why is new thinking in physics eg ‘Entanglement’, ‘Dark Matter’ not altering paradigms of lived/applied scientific methods which determine the quality of life on earth.
Sheba Chhachhi

Which transversal/trans-disciplinary capabilities/methods (across arts and science and knowing) lead us towards graceful transitions/transformations.
Adaptation rather than mitigation....
Sacha Kagan

What is the future of the climate change cultural industry?
Abhishek Hazra

Science Fiction – examples/solutions on climate change.
Charu Maithani

Quality of Life

- What is a good life for human beings on earth?
 - What’s the level of human tolerance to changes in climate?
 - How can political responsibility be mobilised for enhancing quality of life?
- Sadanand Menon

How can scientists and artists contribute to bringing about lifestyle changes in society?
Digu Aruchamy

Building my Own Ark

- The floods are coming – Help me build an ark
- How big should it be?
 - Who should I take with me?

• What should be in it?

Yashas Shetty

Profit is a human construct and incompatible with the natural world.

Pradip Saha

Architecture for sustainable climate sensitive living.

- macro and political level
- individual and community level

The politics and issues of equity impacting on climate change.

Andi Rangari

The philosophy of climate change.

Rajeesh Kasturirangan

Understanding uselessness.

Aditya Dev Sood

People who are not scientists, who are not educated in a way we think education is but have knowledge to take care of scientific knowing...

Navjot Altaf

The Third Culture – exploring beyond the art/science divide.

Pratibha Jolly

Biomimickry

Behavioural Economics

Ambarish Satwik

Open Source Geo-engineering? (or stopping the informal geo-engineering we are already doing)

A.K.A What's after the anthropocene?

Zack Denfeld

Design as a meeting point for scientific art-technology conversations.

Mayank Kaul

Who benefits from the status quo?

Who will benefit from climate change (maybe nobody in the long term but in the short term?)

Mukund Thattai

Fiction Science – a textbook of physics for an imagined universe.

Rajesh Kasturirangan