

U.S. Climate Action in an Era of Congressional Hostility

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Michael Gerrard will explore policy-making at the intersection of urgent environmental concerns and long-term energy demands. His remarks will address the makeup of the new Congress and the likelihood of effective climate change action in Washington this year.

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Since 1986, Gerrard has written an environmental law column for the New York Law Journal, and since 1989 he has been editor of a monthly newsletter, Environmental Law in New York. He is the author of eleven books, two of which were named Best Law Book of the Year by the Association of American Publishers.

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