# LOCAL CLIMATE CHANGE VISIONING WORKSHOP

# III-IV Implementation, Training Resources & Other Applications

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# Exercise III: Brainstorming how to implement Visioning with scenarios and visualization (15 minutes)

#### Discussion: what do you need?

- A team with some capabilities/experience
- Backers & budget(?)
- Guidelines, advisor or training
- Software
- Data & local stakeholders/experts
- Reviewers



## Questions (self-assessment):

How many of you have the following software in your organisation?

- Google Maps/Google Earth
- GIS
- Sketchup
- CAD
- Photoshop
- 3D rendering software





## Questions (self-assessment):

How many of you have the following people in your organisation?

- GIS staff
- Graphics/drafting staff
- Designer/landscape architect
- Planner
- Climate change planner
- Energy manager
- Communications staff
- Student interns





## Justifications to your boss?

Biggest barriers to effective viz?





## A few take-aways:

- Credible visualization can speed things up: build knowledge, test alternative solutions, improve decisions
- You don't need fancy software: use GIS, Photoshop, Google Earth...
- Don't reinvent the wheel: guidance, resources and precedent studies are available to adapt
- Have you considered upgrading your planning & outreach with visualisations?







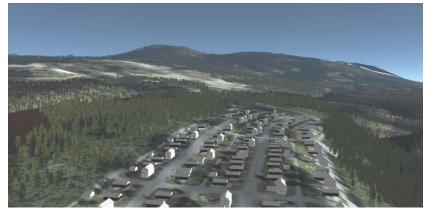


#### IV Guidance and Resources Available

LOCAL CLIMATE CHANGE VISIONING AND LANDSCAPE VISUALIZATIONS

#### **GUIDANCE MANUAL**

(Pond et al., 2010)



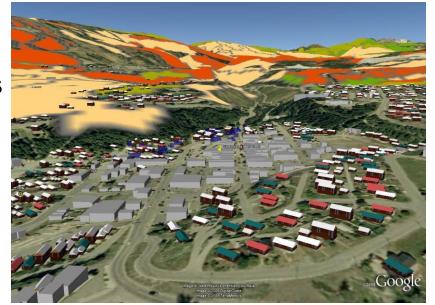
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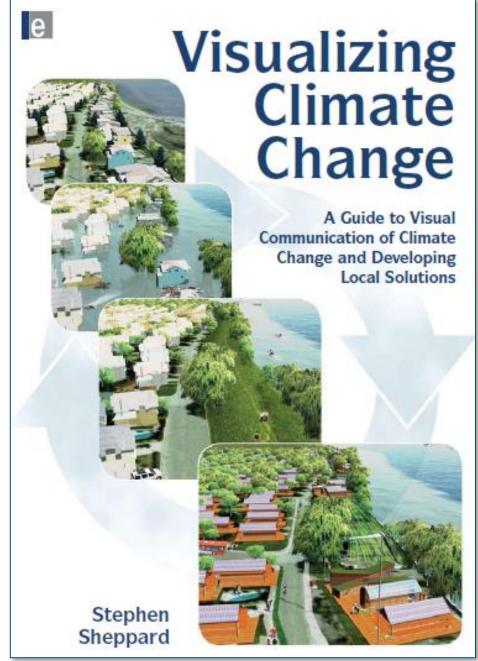






# Recent book from Earthscan/Routledge

- Contains Code of Ethics for visualization
- 100s of tips and examples
- Reviews various visual learning tools/processes
- Available
   ahttp://www.visualizingclimatechange.ca/





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#### **Other Resources:**

Delta RAC website: http://www.delta-adaptationbc.ca

Visualization Training Modules: http://www.deltaadaptation-bc.ca/category/trainingmodules/

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Collaborative for Advanced Landscape Planning British Columbia Regional Adaptation Collaborative

Climate Change Planning & Visioning Training Module 3: Visualization Design & Production

> Training Module 1: Spatial & Local Scenario Building Training Module 2: Data Integration





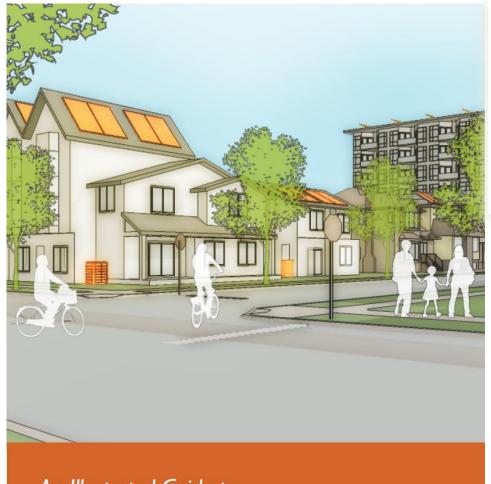












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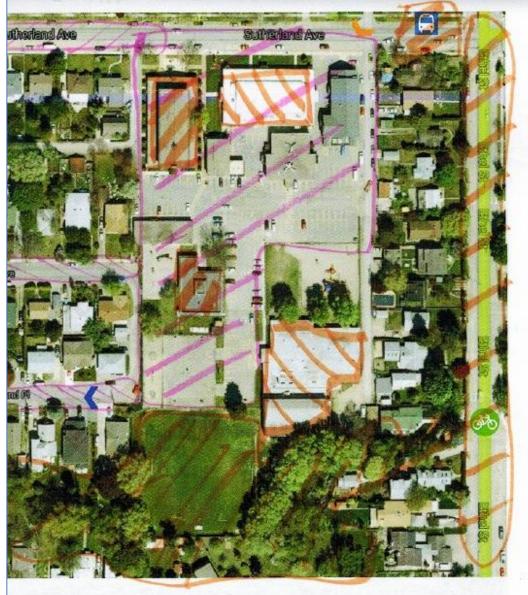


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BSC Kelowna workshop: block-mapping example (carbon)

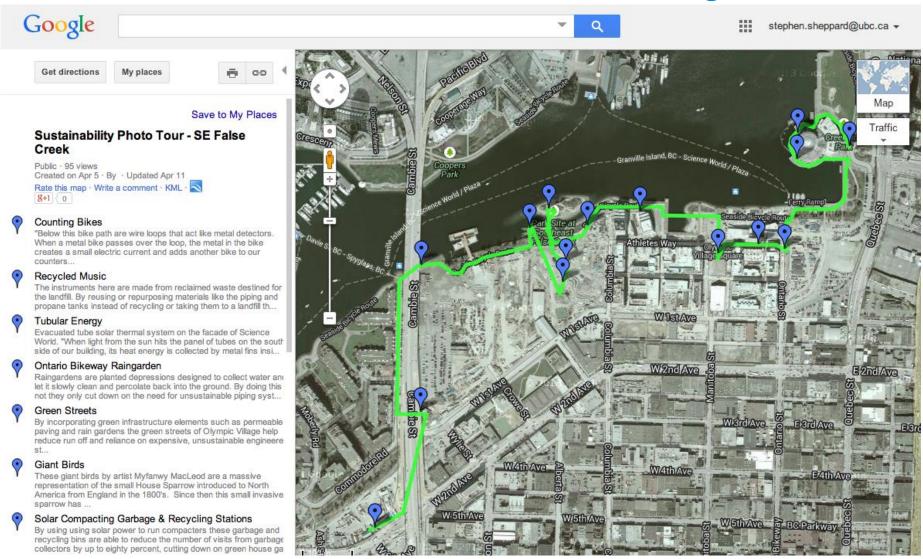


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### Southeast False Creek climate change web tour



https://maps.google.ca/maps/ms?msid=213493879154602303507. 0004d9a3c1d2e5f3138b0&msa=0

#### **New Directions**

#### (Wednesday demo at 10am)

Future Delta 2.0 educational climate change videogame





# Implications for visualizing our futures with climate change

- Vivid, personally meaningful visual imagery:
  - grabs attention, resonates, can accelerate learning & action
  - can be a grassroots DIY tool
- Moral imperative to use visuals more systematically:
  - training and capacity-building for increased application in practice
- Professional imperative to do it right:
  - adopt ethical principles
  - embed in structured, participatory decision-making processes



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