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# Improving Weather and Climate Understanding for Ohio's Environmental Professionals and Volunteers

Looking to get a better grasp on Ohio's climate, weather patterns, and regional changes? This online self-paced course will help you increase your knowledge, skills, and capacity to integrate Ohio relevant weather and climate topics in both public and professional environmental education and outreach.

- The course is divided into four one-hour learning modules including an introduction to Ohio's weather and climate; bringing weather and climate science to your community; impacts of climate change in Ohio; and community science and effective communication practices.
- The course features engaging activities, videos, resources, and a short final assignment focused on applying knowledge to your work.
- In addition, optional opportunities to engage with the course creators and your peers will be available through Zoom.

**COURSE SPONSORS:** Byrd Polar and Climate Research Center (BPCRC) at The Ohio State University and Ohio Certified Volunteer Naturalist Program, OSU School of Environment and Natural Resources



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