



## MARSHALL SHEPHERD JOINS CLIMATE CENTRAL BOARD

Dr. J. Marshall Shepherd who led the American Meteorological Society (AMS) has joined the board of [Climate Central](#). Shepherd, a leading international expert in the area of weather, climate and atmospheric-related sciences, is currently a professor and director of the UGA Atmospheric Sciences Program at the University of Georgia and last year was appointed the inaugural Athletic Association Professor in the Social Sciences at the University of Georgia.

"I have always been a big fan of what Climate Central is doing and typically point students, stakeholders and colleagues to their work," Shepherd said. "It is honor that they would invite me to serve on the board and contribute to moving the organization and its mission forward."

Shepherd has been called upon to testify before the U.S. Senate on climate and extreme weather and has also frequently presented findings to NASA, Congress, the White House, Department of Defense, and foreign officials. He has more than 70 publications in peer-reviewed literature and has received funding from NASA, the U.S. Forest Service, Department of Defense, National Science Foundation, and Department of Energy to carry out his research.

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