

## Small-minded

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Jonathan Overpeck, director of the University of Arizona's Institute of the Environment, refused in March to appear with Paul Knappenberger, assistant director for the Cato Institute's Center for the Study of Science, forcing the GV Council to cancel its April 6 panel discussion on climate change.

Now that Overpeck has effectively silenced the opposition, it's back on schedule for April 6, hosted by another group.

Shame on Overpeck for his small-mindedness. Sounds like he's opposed to anyone or anything that is not in agreement with his point of view, especially a credible organization like the Cato Institute and Mr. Knappenberger. I thought the purpose of a forum was to present both sides of an issue, allowing attendees to make up their mind, not push someone's personal agenda.