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Biography (Climate emphasis)

Jan Dash is the Climate Initiative Chair and the Managing Editor of the [Climate Portal](#) website for the Unitarian Universalist United Nations Office. He is a Matchmaker for the [Climate Science Rapid Response Team](#) providing authoritative scientific responses to media questions. He is the author of the popular “[one-liner](#)” [responses](#) to climate contrarian fallacies. He was the Editor of the [Climate Statement: *Summary and Recommendations to Governments*](#) of the UN-NGO Committee on Sustainable Development, which was delivered to leaders at the Copenhagen climate conference. Relevant to climate risk management, Jan has worked for years in quantitative risk management, wrote a [book](#) on the subject, is an Adjunct Professor at the Courant Institute NYU, and is a research scholar at Fordham University. Jan has a PhD in physics, held the position of Directeur de Recherche at the Centre de Physique Théorique in Marseille France, and [published over 50 papers in scientific journals](#).

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