



The Oil and Gas Industry and Climate Change: Role and Implications

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2. investigate the responsibilities that, based on its contribution, the oil and gas industry should shoulder in relation to climate change;
3. clarify the implications of such responsibilities on climate policy and the practical actions and strategies that they require of both private and public oil and gas companies, if they want to retain their social license to operate in a climate-shaken world.

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