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NEWSLETTER #5:

More Climate Change and Pandemic News

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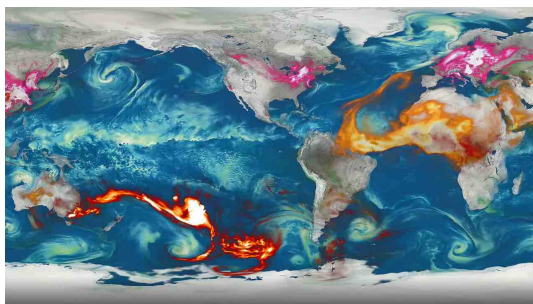
[COVID-19 Has Blown Away the Myth About 'First' and 'Third' World Competence](#)

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Building the international cooperation needed to swiftly create and distribute a coronavirus vaccine could help with other threats too

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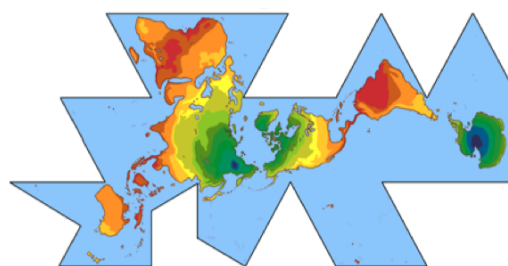
The relentless battle against the devastating coronavirus pandemic has been underlined by several widespread advisories from health experts – STAY HOME. WASH YOUR HANDS. WEAR MASK. KEEP SOCIAL DISTANCE. But the UK-based WaterAid and UN Habitat in Nairobi point out the paradox in at least two ... [MORE](#)

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Recommendations to Congress that can help the U.S. economy recover from the current crisis while taking steps to address the ongoing climate crisis.

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In the very near future, countries are going to have to choose whether they make guns or vaccines.

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