

“A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to Global Warming”

People seem to dread climate change. And perhaps they should. Human-caused global warming is now the dominant force shaping Earth’s climate. But, NASA is on the job. NASA missions and scientists peer back at the home planet to help you understand climate change—what it means, and what it doesn’t. As the lead scientist for NASA’s mission OMG: Oceans Melting Greenland (yep, I really named it that!) I see first-hand, how humans are reshaping the planet. In this talk, I’ll show you how it’s changing, how we know it’s caused by people, and how I use a touch of humor to explain it.