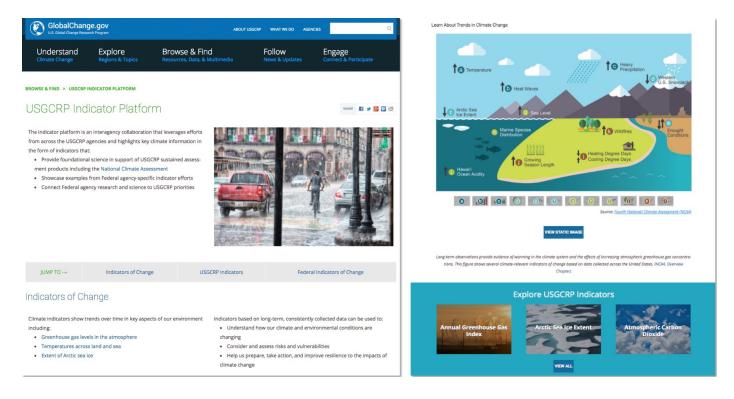
## **Curating a Multiagency Set of Federal Climate Indicators**

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The U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP) commissioned the curation of a set of climate-relevant indicators, which are "observations or calculations that can be used to track conditions and trends". These are considered to be "an important part of the vision for the sustained National Climate Assessment (NCA)." To this end, an interagency workgroup is managing a set of curated indicators, and working toward highlighting various efforts across the federal government related to climate indicators and how they can be leveraged for communicating key aspects of climate change. Much of this work draws on data, tools, and expertise already in place at NOAA's National Centers for Environmental Information and the Cooperative Institute for Climate and Satellites - North Carolina, both located in Asheville, NC. This poster will briefly describe the background, goals, and structure of the USGCRP Indicators effort, and plans for growing - and using! - this set of "Assessment-grade" quality indicators, and insights into the indicator "platform" that spans deeper efforts by several USGCRP agencies. Interaction with, and guidance from, global monitoring professionals is highly anticipated!



**Figure 1.** The USGCRP Indicators Platform at <a href="https://www.globalchange.gov/browse/indicators">https://www.globalchange.gov/browse/indicators</a>. This newly redesigned website includes a suite of 16 climate change indicators, as well as links to related federal resources.