Objectives
To examine the effects of technology on climate change and to discuss contributions computer scientists can make to fight climate change.

Reading Assignment
To do well on this assignment, you should read articles titled “How Computer Scientists Can Help Reduce Climate Change” and “How artificial intelligence can tackle climate change”.

Climate Change Strike and Computer Science
September 20, 2019 has been selected as the day for a global climate strike. To support scientists around the world in the day of climate action we will utilize this practical section to identify ways technology contributes to climate change and to explore solutions at the hands of computer scientists.

Working in groups and using assigned readings for support, students will be asked to contribute to these two themes connecting computer science to climate change. Each group will then present its discussion points in an informal setting and overlapping themes across groups will be identified and discussed.

Required Deliverables and Evaluation
You do not need to submit any typed content for this practical assignment. Instead, you are required to participate in group and class discussions facilitated by the instructor and the technical leaders. Your participation will be recorded by the instructor and a “checkmark” grade will be given for participation.