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# Climate Crisis Cohort Class Pres (SOC417).pdf

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# Climate Crisis in the Courts

— Hannah, Maya, Mae —

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# We started with a broad research question.

How does the climate crisis  
show up in the U.S. court  
system?

We decided we wanted to investigate this by exploring three more specific areas

We each selected one area of interest to research and then presented our findings to our group and discussed them further in a podcast format

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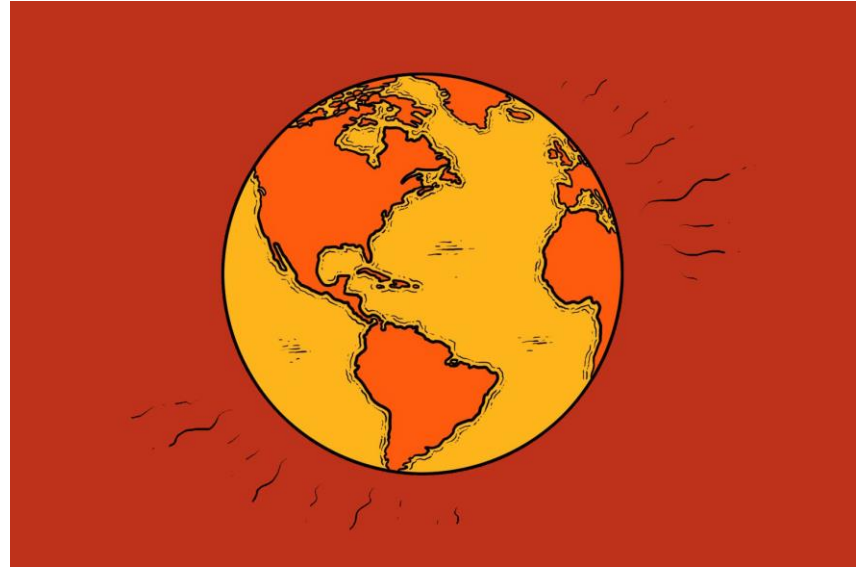
# Hannah researched environmental injustice in the U.S.

Here's a clip:



# Maya researched how the necessity defense is used to defend climate activism in the U.S. courts

Here's a clip:



# Mae researched how a human rights approach could be used to address the climate crisis in litigation

Here's a clip:



# Thank you!

