

ROUND I - Area I, Deforestation

According to the Council of Foreign Relations, in the last fifty years, Brazil's Amazon rainforest has lost about a fifth of its forest cover—almost 300,000 square miles. The loss of those acres is not the only example on a global scale of deforestation and its impacts. As staff of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, you are committed to bringing attention to this issue. Your hope is to convince the governments of the globe to reconsider their actions in terms of deforestation. You hope to utilize as many avenues as possible to advocate for your point of view with the idea that people will convince their governments to deal with this issue. You are mindful of potential pushback and will address those concerns in your work.