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by Lawrence Solomon

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Weather, Climate and Climate Change—What the Data Say

There are actually TWO separate components of this Climate Short

This, Part ONE, is graphical in nature.

Part TWO is the actual text of the article, saved as it's own separate PDF file.

Why has this happened?

To save disc space, some publishers let stale articles expire or be replaced by more current (and, presumably more newsworthy) information.

Such was the case with "Wikipedia's Climate Doctor," by Lawrence Solomon, which was originally published In Canada's *National Post* and the original at that location has been lost.

The original link is stale.

However, by searching, we were able to find a cross-post, copied and saved it separately.

This other Climate Short has this name, "PDF_ARTICLE TEXT_Wikipedia's Climate Doctor by Lawrence Solomon published first by Canada's National Post_15 Sep_2017"

We have it as its own separate Climate Short.

<http://www.nationalpost.com/opinion/columnists/story.html?id=62e1c98e-01ed-4c55-bf3d-5078af9cb409>

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How Wikipedia's green doctor, William Connolley, rewrote 5,428 climate articles

Climategate Emails describe how a small band of climatologists cooked the books to make the last century seem dangerously warm.

The emails also describe how the band plotted to rewrite history as well as science, particularly by eliminating the Medieval Warm Period, a 400 year period that began around 1000 AD.

The Climategate Emails reveal something else, too: the enlistment of the most widely read source of information in the world — Wikipedia — in the wholesale rewriting of this history.

Wikipedia's Climate Doctor -- William Connolley

The UN's official verdict, that the Medieval Warm Period had not existed, did not erase countless schoolbooks, encyclopedias, and other scholarly sources that claimed it had.

One person in the nine-member Realclimate.org team -- U.K. scientist / Green Party activist William Connolley -- took on particularly crucial duties.

Connolley took control of all things climate in the most used information source the world has ever known - *Wikipedia*.

Richard Lindzen and **Fred Singer**, two of the world's most distinguished climate scientists were among his early targets, followed by others that the band especially hated, such as **Willie Soon** and **Sallie Baliunas** of the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, authorities on the Medieval Warm Period.

....**Connolley created or rewrote 5,428 unique *Wikipedia* articles.**

His control over Wikipedia was greater still, however, through the role he obtained at Wikipedia as a **website administrator**... allowed him to act with virtual impunity. When Connolley didn't like the subject of a certain article, he removed it...

-- more than 500 articles of various descriptions disappeared at his hand.

The Medieval Warm Period disappeared, as did criticism of the global warming orthodoxy...with release of Climategate's Emails, the disappearing trick was exposed.

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Climategate: the corruption of Wikipedia

By James Delingpole

The Telegraph

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James Delingpole used to write for the UK *Telegraph*.

James Delingpole attended the 2011 International Climate Change Conference in Washington DC in 2011, where I met him.

James now writes for Breitbart London.