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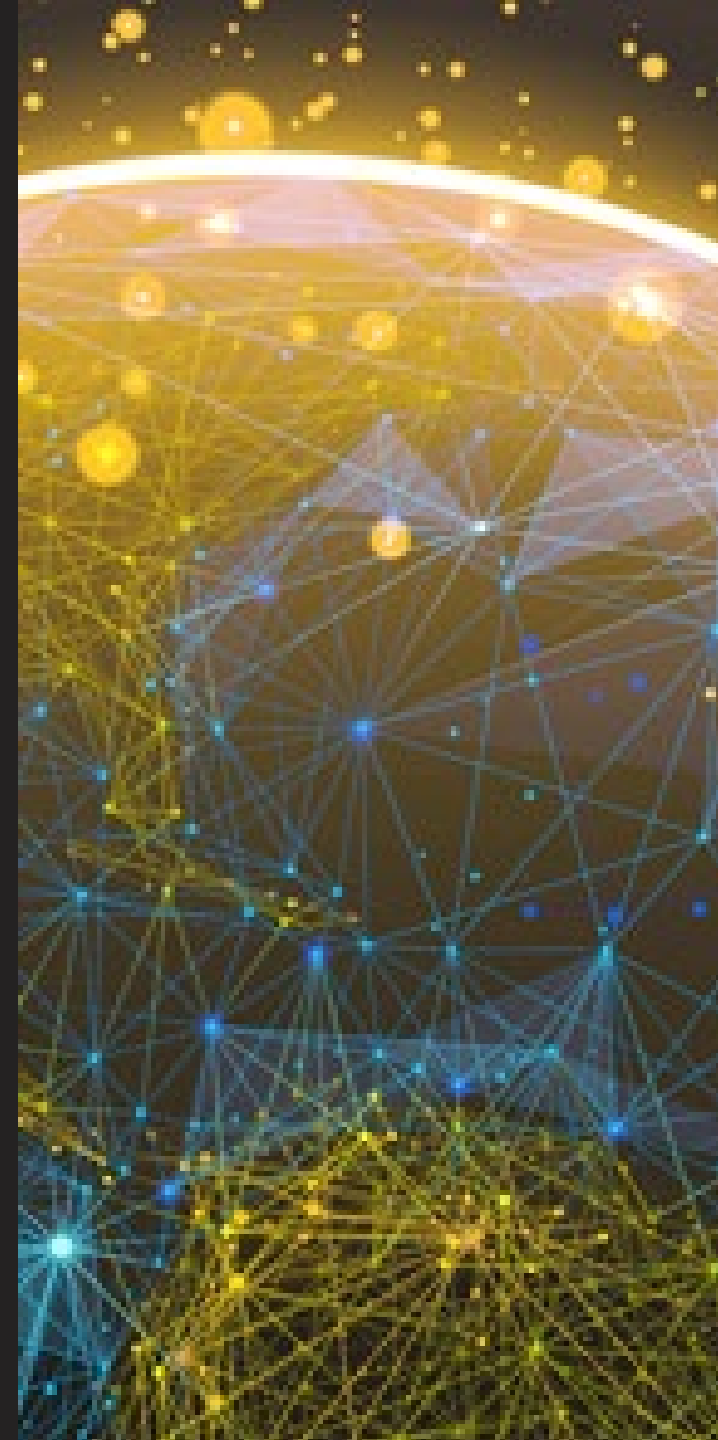
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Rising Climate Liability Risks

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Rise in Climate Liability Risks

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By the numbers

Around 200 cases filed each year

Still mainly in the US

- but EU, UK and Australia are now hotspots

Trends (1)

Rise in

'strategic litigation'

rights-based litigation

Relief sought

reduce emissions

comply with standards

stop greenwashing

Trends (2)

Claimants

individuals

NGOs

(well funded)

Targets

governments

corporations

directors

What next for climate litigation?

wider range of targets?

targeting other greenhouse gases, other climate impacts?

damages?

Thank you. Any questions

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