

13:22:26 From Dave Dougherty to Everyone:

C: The total fertility rate in Quebec was 1.58 children per woman in 2021. After dropping to 1.52 in 2020, it has returned to a level similar to 2018 and 2019.

13:23:40 From Dave Dougherty to Everyone:

C: The growth rate in Québec was 2.5% in 2023, compared to 3.4% for the rest of Canada. As a result, Québec's demographic weight in Canada decreased again slightly, from 22.2% on January 1, 2023 to 22.0% on January 1, 2024.

13:49:23 From Samrat Bharadwaj to Everyone:

Q: Your work, mission, in terms of impact, in India / with common people in India?

14:19:57 From Peter MacKinnon uOttawa Engineering to Everyone:

C: Excellent webinar, with the added contribution of Bill Rees, a regular CACOR participant. [N.B. Professor Rees was in the live audience. Ed.]

14:19:58 From Richard van der Jagt to Everyone:

Q: how do we best educate the population on birth control, especially when it is banned in many schools?

14:20:11 From Dave Dougherty to Everyone:

Q: Are we facing a two-pronged dilemma--controlled growth or collapse--or is our future more complex than that?

14:25:55 From Claude Buettner, MN to Everyone:

[Peter MacKinnon's question direct to me] Q: What are your views on the impact of the late Swedish population researcher, Hans Rosling, and has it played a role in any of the work you and your colleague do?

14:31:03 From Dave Dougherty to Everyone:

C: *Countdown: Our Last Best Hope for a Future on Earth?* Alan Weisman. <https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/17332183-countdown>

14:31:39 From Dave Dougherty to Everyone:

C: Book Review: *Countdown: Our Last, Best Hope for a Future on Earth?* <https://www.scientificamerican.com/article/book-review-countdown/>

14:34:56 From Alan Ware to Everyone:

C: Chris Tucker's book, *A Planet of 3 Billion*, has some useful information and insight. <https://planet3billion.com/index.html>

14:37:35 From Rick Carpenter to Everyone:

Q: The media you seek to use to spread your message may not be the best for reaching young people. Should they not be a primary target audience? If so, have you thoughts on how best to reach them?

14:39:17 From Alan Ware to Everyone:

C: *Life on the Brink: Environmentalists Confront Overpopulation* is an informative anthology: <https://ugapress.org/book/9780820343853/life-on-the-brink/>

14:40:36 From Peter MacKinnon to Everyone:

Q: Has the "Hole in the Wall" initiative by a local school teacher in New Delhi had an educational impact with respect to your efforts about education and population?

14:45:26 From Richard van der Jagt to Everyone:

C: *Three cups of Tea*:

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Three Cups of Tea](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Three_Cups_of_Tea)

14:45:53 From Dave Dougherty to Everyone:

C: <https://people.com/parents/everything-to-know-about-elon-musks-family-kids/>

14:46:11 From Claude Buettner, MN to Everyone:

C: Bill Rees paper, *The Human Ecology of Overshoot: Why a Major 'Population Correction' Is Inevitable*. <https://www.mdpi.com/2673-4060/4/3/32>

14:46:23 From Jon Legg to Everyone:

Q: Professor Bajaj, I see so many excellent organizations that appear useful in terms of slowing the deterioration of our planet, but when looking for some focus, it appears hopeless. Is this simply my adopting a hopelessness or is the situation more correctable?

14:53:45 From Dave Dougherty to Everyone:

C: Interesting quizzes here about our problems.

Gapminder <https://www.gapminder.org/>

14:58:03 From Kirsten Stade to Everyone:

C: You can already find us on X (@popnbalance) LinkedIn, Facebook and Instagram. <https://www.populationbalance.org/podcast/kathleen-mogelgaard>

14:58:56 From Claude Buettner, MN to Everyone:

Replying to "You can already find..."

See <https://www.populationbalance.org/>

15:04:46 From Richard van der Jagt to Everyone:

I suggest writing an article in the Lancet.