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"Nuclear Resurgence, Part II" by Gregg Zachary is now available on the CSPO website at <http://www.cspo.org/home/perspectives/>. Gregg is a senior writer with Time Inc.'s Business 2.0 magazine and an independent scholar specializing in issues of technology and society.

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SPARC Website Goes Live

The Science Policy Assessment and Research on Climate (SPARC) website is now live. SPARC is one of five interdisciplinary teams funded by NSF in 2004 to study problems associated with understanding climate-related decisions under uncertainty (DMUU). SPARC is a joint project of the University of Colorado's [Center for Science and Technology Policy Research](http://sciencepolicy.colorado.edu/sparc/) and CSPO. For more information please visit <http://sciencepolicy.colorado.edu/sparc/>.

Science Policy In Its Social Context

Public support of science is justified by three primary instrumental rationales, each of which is accompanied by significant and persistent disparities between promise and performance. Daniel Sarewitz, Guillermo Foladori, Noela Invernizzi, and Michele Garfinkel argue that these disparities in part reflect science policy decisions made without adequate consideration of broader social contexts in this article recently published in *Philosophy Today*. The article can be found at <http://www.cspo.org/ourlibrary/documents/SciandSocialContext.pdf>.

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