

Sustainability Education Doctoral & Alumni Symposium May 8, 9, & 10th, 2024

Prescott College: 220 Grove Avenue, Prescott, AZ

For Presenters: Please Prepare your presentation in Google Drive (cloud) or on a Flash Drive

Wed, May 8, 2024, Sustainability Education Symposium

| Time | Programming Location for Wednesday: Crossroads | |
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| 8:30-9:00 | Breakfast | |
| 9:00 | WELCOME | Dr. Emily Affolter, Director of Ph.D. Program |
| 9:05-9:15 | | Dr. Barbara Morris, President, Prescott College |
| 9:15-9:30 | | Dr. Pavel Cenk, Dean of Academic Affairs |
| 9:30 -10:30 | Getting Together/Networking Activity | PhD Faculty |
| 10:30-10:45 | Coffee & Tea Break | |
| 10:45-11:30 | Karen Walasek : In Search of My Grandmother’s Medicine: Unwinding, Returning, and Real-making | Dissertation Presentation Chair: Dr. Noël Cox Caniglia |
| 11:30-11:45 | Coffee & Tea Break | |
| 11:45- 12:30 | Kat Sickinger: Factors that Influence Sustainable Consumption Habits of High Schoolers | Dissertation Presentation Chair: Dr. Scott Ramsey |
| 12:30-1:30 | Lunch Break | |
| 1:30-2:15 | Jan Hummer: Bearing Witness: Observing and honoring the presence of elderly canines as a death doula through contemplative reflection, enso-inspired paintings, and haiku | Dissertation Presentation Chair: Dr. Scott Ramsey |
| 2:15-2:30 | Coffee & Tea Break | |

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| 2:30-3:15 | Perry Stern: Roots of Resilience: A spatial analysis of how property taxes influence climate justice in Washington's Black communities. | Dissertation Presentation Chair: Dr. Scott Ramsey |
| 3:15-3:30 | Afternoon Snacks | |
| 3:30-4:30 | Dr. Kaitlin Noss on Embodied Justice | Dr. Kaitlin Noss |
| 4:30-4:45 | Day #1 Closing/Transitional Comments | Dr. Em Affolter |
| 5:30-7:30 | Food and Mingling at the Watson Lake Upper Ramada, Premier Catering and Events | Travel to Watson Lake Park |

Thursday, May 9, 2024 Sustainability Education Symposium

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| Time | Programming Location for Wednesday: Crossroads | |
| 7:30-8:30a | Yoga with Mandy: Morning Wellness in the Chapel (Manzanita Building) | Mandy Ramsey |
| 8:30-9:00 | Breakfast at Crossroads | |
| 9:00-10:00 | PhD Alumni & Student Mixer | PhD Faculty & Alumni (Dr. Scott Ramsey) |
| 10:00-10:15 | Coffee & Tea Break | |
| 10:15-11:00 | Steph Lovseth: Culturally Responsive Leadership: Culturally Responsive Leadership: Critical Consciousness, Self-Efficacy, and Just Praxis | Dissertation Presentation Dr. Em Affolter |
| 11:00-11:15 | Coffee & Tea Break | |
| 11:15-12:00 | Janice Lao: Beyond Balance Sheets: Decoding the Playbook of U.S. Sustainability Stars | Dissertation Presentation Chair: Dr. Em Affolter |
| 12:00-1:00p | Lunch Break | |

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| 1:00-1:45 | Julika Von Stackelberg-Addo : Healing-informed Sociotechnical Imaginaries as Framework to Decolonize AI | Dissertation Presentation Dr. Tuğçe Kurtiş |
| 1:45-2:00 | Break | |
| 2:00-3:00 | Nicole Taylor & Beatrice Szymkowiak: The Generative Movement of Community Workshop | Workshop |
| 3:00-3:30 | Break & Snacks | |
| 3:30-5:00p | Keynote Speaker Meitamei Olol Dapash: Maasai Futures: Recentering Indigenous Visions of Sustainability | |
| 5:00-6:00 | Post-Keynote Reception for all Attendees: Students, Alumni, Community | |
| 5:45-7:00 | Dinner for PhD Students and PhD Alumni in the Cafe, Catered by Premier Catering and Events | |

Friday, May 10, 2024 Sustainability Education Symposium

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| 7:30-8:30a | Yoga with Mandy: Morning Wellness in the Chapel (Manzanita Building) | Mandy Ramsey |
| 8:30-9:00 | Breakfast at Crossroads | |
| 9:00-9:45 | Community Convening | PhD Faculty |
| 9:45-10:00 | Break | |
| 10:00a-10:45 | Karen Hindhede : Creating, Teaching, and Integrating Stories of the Environment and Ecojustice Pedagogy in Children's Literature | Dissertation Presentation Chair: Dr. Em Affolter |
| 10:45-11:00 | Break | |

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| 11:00-11:30 | Rohana Swihart: Beyond Barriers: Unlocking Potential with VR and Pre-Apprenticeships for Inclusive Green Workforce Development | Workshop |
| 11:30a -12:00p | Lightning Talks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Janice Lao "Writing Science Books with your Kids" • Chay Massic & Jayanna Killingsworth "Developing a Safety Net for Transnational Inclusion in Higher Education Partnerships: An Integrated Literature Review" | |
| 12:00 - 1:30 | Lunch Break with Faculty Members | |
| 1:30-2:00 | Day #3 Closing Activity in the Outdoor Amphitheater | Emily Affolter, PhD. & Faculty |
| 2:00-4:00 | Optional: Undergraduate Baccalaureate Event | Undergraduate Faculty |
| 4:00-6:00 | Presidential Reception for Graduating PhD Students | |

Saturday, May 11th Graduation Events

The PhD (and Master's) [Graduation](#) Ceremony begins at 10am on-campus.