

Human Dimensions of Environment (HDE) Update – hde.osu.edu

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****OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES**

Events

The School of Environment and Natural Resources (SENR) Seminar Series - Thursday, December 1, 2016 – “Digital Soil Morphometrics – New Ways of Looking at the Soil Profile,” with Alfred Hartemink, Professor and Director, University of Wisconsin-Madison, College of Agricultural & Life Sciences, Department of Soil Science.

Seminar begins at 4:10 p.m. in 103 Kottman Hall and 117A Williams Hall and will be available through CarmenConnect. Learn more:

senr.osu.edu/events/senr-seminar-series-5

Environmental Professionals Network breakfast - Friday, December 2, 2016 – “Lead in Drinking Water -- Ohio Leads the Way. What More Is Needed?” featuring Mike Baker, Chief of Ohio EPA's Division of Drinking and Ground Water and Pre-Breakfast Capstone Class program. For more information and to register: epn.osu.edu/events/epn-breakfast-club-december-2016

Energy Impacts Webinar Series - Synergies and Innovations in Coordinating Research on the Community Impacts of Renewable Energy - December 15, 2016, 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. EST

Community Impacts of Renewable Energy is the second webinar in [EnergyImpacts.org webinar series](http://EnergyImpacts.org/webinar-series) and will highlight emerging social science research on renewable energy from the disciplines of Sociology, Economics, and Geography, as well as provide a forum to discuss opportunities for collaboration and synthesis in renewables research across these disciplines. Panelists will provide an overview of their work on renewable energies including solar, on-and-offshore wind, and biofuels energy development, discuss their individual and disciplinary approaches to renewable energy research, and engage in Q & A from the audience. Recordings of this and previous webinars in the series will be available at www.energyimpacts.org/webinars.

To join the webinar, go to <http://ncrcrd.adobeconnect.com/ncrcrd> on the day of the webinar. “Enter as a Guest” will already be chosen by default, so just type your name into the text box provided, select “Enter Room,” and you’ll be admitted to the webinar. If you haven't used Adobe Connect before, you may want to run a quick browser test prior to joining the webinars to ensure your settings are configured. There is no registration requirement or fee to attend, so we hope you’ll join us.

[COMPAS SPECIAL EVENT: A Half-Day Conference on Non-Ideal Climate Justice](#) - Friday, February 10, 2017, The Ohio State University, Thompson Library, Room 165

Funding

Undergraduate Decision Sciences Grants - Small research grants for undergraduates, up to \$1800 - no deadline -Details and instructions are available at decisionsciences.osu.edu/small-research-grants-undergraduates

Small Research Grants for Faculty and Graduate Students –Small grants of up to \$3000 are available to support Decision Sciences research at Ohio State. The goal of these competitive grants is to foster new **Decision Sciences** research activity and collaboration — Details and instructions are available at decisionsciences.osu.edu/small-research-grants-faculty-and-graduate-students

Ohio State Sustainability Fund for campus projects - Funding is available for sustainability projects that will positively impact any Ohio State campus by advancing current programs, creating campus cultural change and directing sustainable campus policy or project development. Sustainability Fund projects must contribute to sustainability, provide campus impact and be used to seed, catalyze or gap-fill funding on projects. Projects also cannot be covered by an existing university operating budget. Details and application forms are found on the President and Provost's Council on Sustainability website, under "Involvement." - <https://president.osu.edu/leadership-and-committees/president-and-provosts-council-on-sustainability.html>

****CONFERENCES/EVENTS**

January 24-26, 2017 - National Conference and Global Forum on Science, Policy, and the Environment, Washington, DC - <http://www.ncseonline.org/national-conference>

Graduate Student Workshop on Socio-Environmental Synthesis: Interdisciplinary Skill Building, Collaboration, and Proposal Writing

Workshop Application Deadline: January 13, 2017

Workshop Dates: March 7-10, 2017 in Annapolis, Maryland, USA

Applications are now being accepted for SESYNC's fourth Graduate Student Workshop on Socio-Environmental Synthesis. As part of this highly interactive workshop, graduate students from across disciplines and from around the world will participate in sessions and activities designed to encourage interdisciplinary collaboration, team formation, and scientific proposal development while also building a variety of other skills crucial to the success of socio-environmental (S-E) synthesis, including effective communication across disciplines and incorporating diverse data types.

Workshop participants will also have the opportunity to engage with and receive feedback from S-E synthesis scholars and practitioners. Featured topics include:

- Interdisciplinary team science and team skills
- Interdisciplinary science communication
- Interdisciplinary proposal writing and design
- Bridging scientific knowledge to decision-making

To learn more, visit SESYNC's [website](#).

****FUNDING**

Anticipating the Environmental Impacts and Behavioral Drivers of Deep Decarbonization, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Research and Development, National Center for Environmental Research, Science to Achieve Results (STAR) Program - Solicitation www.epa.gov/research-grants/anticipating-environmental-impacts-and-behavioral-drivers-deep-decarbonization

Opening Date: November 10, 2016

Solicitation Closing Date: February 10, 2017, 11:59:59 pm Eastern Time

****JOBS**

Student Sustainability Coordinator - The University of the South, Sewanee (USA) - jobs.sewanee.edu/postings/1747

Asst Prof - Applied Ecology - School of Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences - University of Washington Tacoma (USA) - academicjobsonline.org/ajo/jobs/8438

Asst Prof - Coastal Governance - Department of Environmental Studies - University of California, Santa Cruz (USA) - recruit.ucsc.edu/apply/JPF00406

Asst/Assoc Professor - Community Development & Food Systems, The Ohio State University (USA) - senr.osu.edu/sites/senr/files/imce/files/OpenPositions/CommDev_FoodSystems/CommDev%20and%20FoodSystems%20Position.pdf