

SUSTAINABILITY RESEARCH *and* PRACTICE SEMINAR



Join us every Wednesday at lunchtime to learn how WCU scholars and staff explore and apply principles of environmental, social, and economic sustainability in their research and on-campus work.

Students, faculty, staff, and community members are all welcome.

**Wednesdays from 12:00 to 12:50 pm
in person (255 A/B Sykes Student Union) and via Zoom
<https://wcupa.zoom.us/j/92311407261>, passcode: 739331**

SEPTEMBER 21, 2022

Professor Marc Gagne

Earth & Space Sciences

Losing the Dark: How Light Pollution Impacts Humans and the Environment, and What We Can Do to Win Back the Night

SEPTEMBER 28, 2022

Professor Matthew Caulfield

Management

Sustaining the Old or Making Anew? Paradox of 'Social Sustainability' in an Era of Social Change

OCTOBER 5, 2022

Professor Matt B. Saboe

Economics and Finance

and Tekia Huger-Burton

A Not-So-Clean Slate: A Progress Report of PA's Automated Record Sealing Law

OCTOBER 12, 2022

**The Sustainability Council
and Office of Sustainability**

Updating WCU's Climate and Sustainability Action Plan (an Open House from noon to 4 pm; This week only in Francis Harvey Green Library Room 409)

OCTOBER 19, 2022

Professor Douglas Morris

Educational Foundations & Policy Studies

Eco-rational Conversion: Spheres of Influence into Spheres of Transformation – Creating an Ecological Society

OCTOBER 26, 2022

Professor Nia Johnson

Graduate Social Work

Decency Won't Save Us: Critical Considerations for Occupational Sustainability

NOVEMBER 2, 2022

Professor Roger Gatchet

Communication and Media

and Professor Amanda Davis Gatchet

*Department of Communication Studies,
Montgomery County Community College*

Our Need for Seed: How News Media Framed the Pandemic Gardening Boom

NOVEMBER 9, 2022

**JT Singh, Kevin Partridge, Peter Calvert,
and Teresa Hudson**

WCU Information Services & Technology

The Role of IT in Campus Sustainability Efforts

NOVEMBER 16, 2022

Professor Casey Bohrman

Graduate Social Work

Sustaining Communities through Transformative Justice

NOVEMBER 30, 2022

Josh Braid, WCU Grounds Department

and Rodney Mader

WCU Campus Trees & Green Spaces Committee

in conversation with

Bradley Flamm, Office of Sustainability

Realizing the Vision of WCU's Landscape Master Plan, a Panel Discussion