

# Sustainability Across the Curriculum Symposium

March 23, 2011 9:00am – 12:00pm

100 Nedderman Hall

**9:00am - 9:50am**

## **Sustainability in the Real World: An Interdisciplinary Praxis.**

(Do environmental and sustainability studies require interdisciplinary research?)  
How does academic research on sustainability and environment translate into the practices of everyday life?)

Moderator: **Douglas Klahr** (Assistant Professor, Architecture)

1. **Chris Morris** (Associate Professor, History)
2. **Andrew Hunt** (Assistant Professor, Earth and Environmental Sciences)
3. **David Wallace** (Doctoral Student, English)

**10:00am - 10:50am**

## **Paradigm Shifts: Policy, Research, Curriculum, and Pedagogy.**

(How do sustainability policies affect curricula in such fields as engineering, architecture, and urban planning? What can service learning, site-based learning, and other pedagogies contribute to sustainability and environmental studies?)

Moderator: **Laura Mydlarz** (Assistant Professor, Biology)

1. **Shirley Theriot** (Director, Center for Community Service Learning)
2. **Wanda Dye** (Assistant Professor, Architecture)
3. **Melanie Sattler** (Associate Professor, Engineering)

**11:00am - 11:50am**

## **“Environmental Movements to Sustainability Policy, Procedure, and Regulation: The Challenge of Translating Vision into Institutional Practice”**

(What happens when social and political movements become a matter of policy and procedure? How does institutionalization affect the principles, ideals, and outcomes of sustainability models?)

Moderator: **Stacy Alaimo** (Professor, English)

1. **David Smith** (Doctoral Student, History)
2. **Jeff Howard** (Associate Professor, School of Urban and Public Affairs)
3. **Meghna Tare** (Director, Office of Sustainability)
4. **Chelsea Roff** (Undergraduate, Psychology)



The “Sustainability Across the Curriculum” symposium hosted by the Annual Celebration of Excellence by Students (ACES) and the University Sustainability Committee will feature faculty and graduate student panels discussing a variety of topics related to sustainability.