# **GPSEN's Sustainability Symposium 2017 Program**

## 12:15 - 1:00 Registration

### 1:00 - 5:15 Presentations and Workshops

1:00 - 1:10: Welcome (ST 100)

1:10 – 2:20: TED Talks (ST 100) (13 mins each)

- Renee Sills, Sola School of Contemplative Arts, "Doing Theory"
- Alexa Diaz, Drive Oregon, "Transportation Electrification and Equity"
- Brion Hurley, Rockwell Collins, "Lean and Six Sigma and Sustainability"
- Amanda Evans, Artist, "Play as a Radical Tool for Sustainability"

2:20 - 3:00: Panel presentations - The Power of Campus Sustainability (ST 100) (20 mins each)

- Heather Spalding and Briar Schoon, PSU and PCC, "Case Studies in Campus Sustainability"
- Amy Dvorak, Lewis & Clark College, "Making Sustainability Legal: Commercial Composting Toilet Installation"

3:00 – 3:15: Refreshment Break

3:15 – 4:00: Workshops (45 mins each)

- John Farnum, PCC Philosophy Instructor and Center for Civic Participation, "Civil Discourse in Political Times" (SCB 101)
- Ridhi D'Cruz and Kirk Rea, City Repair, "From Self Repair To Culture Repair: Placemaking as Creative Decolonization" (SCB 102)
- Camille Nava and Bashar Al Daomi, PSU, "A Seat at the Table: Engaging in the GPSEN College Network" (SCB 104)
- Tim Smith, SERA, "The Power of Civic Ecology" (SCB 105)

4:00 - 5:15 TED Talks (ST 100) (13 mins each)

- Milt Markewitz, Retiree, "Living Systems: The Heart & Soul of Environmental Education"
- Marc Boucher-Colbert, Garden Educator, "Growing Food on Rooftops"
- Ashley Zanolli, EPA, "Preventing the Wasting of Food"
- Neeraja Havaligi, GPSEN Fellow, "Our Palate: A Conservation Niche"
- Grace Stainback, Port of Portland/PSU, "Port of Portland Tackles Food Waste at PDX Airport"

# 5:30 - 7:00: Evening Reception (PAC lobby)

- Refreshments
- Tables and Poster Session

### 7:00 – 9:00: Evening Presentations (PAC Auditorium)

7:00 – 7:05: Introductions - Kim Smith, GPSEN Director

7:05 - 7:20: Welcome from PCC Presidents (PAC)

- Sylvania Campus President Lisa Avery
- District President Mark Mitsui

7:20 – 8:00: Keynote Speaker and Q&A - Amy Pearl, Hatch Innovation

8:00 - 8:50: Award Winner Presentations

- Non-Profit: Charity Fain and Sherrie Pelsma, Community Energy Project
- Academic: Joel Magnuson, PCC Instructor, "Why Alternative Economics and Why Now"
- Youth: Ibrahim Ibrahim, Muslim Education Trust
- Business: Christian Ettinger, Hopworks Urban Brewery

8:50 - 9:00: Final words

### 9:00 Networking

9:15 Clean up





