

Sustainable Communities Pathways: Planning/Policy

... a snapshot of the people and research working towards more socially, environmentally and economically sustainable communities...this planning/policy pathway only partially represents the range of inquiry and engagement of SUS. Use this pathway begin your inquiry, pursuing further academic and community opportunities that inform and inspire.

people

Faculty

Miguel Vasquez, Anthropology

cultural anthropology, indigenous agriculture and cultural ecology

Kimberley Curtis, Sustainable Communities

democratic theory, engaged pedagogy, food justice

Janine Schipper, Sociology and Social Work

env and cultural sociology, consciousness and social change

Sara Aleman, Sociology and Social Work

ethnic studies: gerontology, ehnic studies

Christopher Downum, Anthropology

archaeology, cultural resource management

Luis Fernandez, Sustainable Communities

globalization, protest policing, and immigration

Rom Coles, Community, Culture, Environment

environmental ethics, grassroots democracy, political economy of transition to sustainable communities, dialogue across histories of difficult difference

Pam Foti, PRM

outdoor leadership

Jani Ingram, Chemistry

Interfacial chemistry and surface analysis of environmental systems; secondary ion mass spectrometry

Marty Lee, Forestry

wildland recreation, recreation behavior

Jennifer McLerran, Comparative Cultural Studies

twentieth-century Native American art, museum studies, and feminist theory

Steve Mead, Construction Mgmt

Energy-efficient Building, Service Learning

Erik Nielsen, SESES

environmental policy analysis, community-based conservation projects, planning and collaboration on sustainable resource management

Tom Paradis, GRP

History, Landscape Interpretation

Julie Piering, Philosophy

Continental Philosophy, Ancient Philosophy

Richard Rogers, Communication

intercultural communication, cultural studies

Alumni

Tim McKinley, Env Protection Specialist

Flagstaff National Monuments

Bryan McLaren, Sustainability Consultant

Waste Management

Amanda Acheson, Program Manager

Coconino County Sustainable Building Program

Nick Koressel, Sustainability Specialist

Northern Arizona University

Jo Hale, Ph.D. Candidate

UC Davis

Jason Lowry, Organizer

Valley Interfaith, Rio Grande Valley, Texas

Tommy Rock, Ph.D Candidate

Earth Science and Env Sustainability, NAU

McKenzie Jones, Community Sustainability Specialist

Flagstaff SEMS

Community

Friends of Flagstaff's Future

sustain and enhance the greater Flagstaff area's high quality of life through activism and advocacy of policies supporting a livable community

Sunnyside Neighborhood Association

Enriching lives by mobilizing residents to create continual improvement

Flagstaff Sustainability Program

catalyst for economic, environmental and social sustainability

academics

Past Research (selections)

McDowell, 2008

Marked Bodies: Immigration, Global Disciplinary Strategies, and Racialized Public Space

Wilson, 2007

Permaculture in El Salvador: An Alternative to Neoliberal Development

Muilenberg, 2012

Measuring nature connectivity: A case study of OHV users at the Imperial Sand Dune Recreation Area

Lowry, 2012

Catalyzing emergent democracy: Narratives of multimodal organizing in a Flagstaff community school

Action Research

Public Achievement

coach fourth through sixth graders on how to address issues the younger students are concerned about

Weatherization and Community Building (WACBAT)

exercising leadership to weatherize homes as well as cultivate community relationships and capacities for environmental stewardship more generally

Action Group for Water Advocacy (AGWA)

address one of Flagstaff's most pressing and often controversial concerns: water use

Immigration (I-ART)

nurture a community of freedom, equality, and democratic community engagements between new immigrants and American citizens

Courses

Anthropology (ANT)

548- Anthropology of Development

615- Southwest Ethnology: Pueblo

639- Anthro of American Culture

Criminology and Criminal Justice (CCJ)

515- World Indigenous People and Justice

545- Ethnicity, Race and Justice

616- Human Rights and Transnational Justice

619- Law, Policy and Social Change

Environmental Sciences (ENV)

499- Contemporary Developments

555-Env Sci-Policy Interface

595- Global Env and Climate Change

Forestry (FOR)

573- Human Dimensions of Natural Resource Mgmt

593- Natural Resource Economics

Geographic Science and Community Planning (GSP)

514-Plan Sustainable Communities

545-Community Planning, Public Health

History (HIS)

567- Readings in Power, Culture, Ideology

692- Readings in American West, SW and Borderlands

Political Science (POS)

552- Political Economy

603- Environmental Theory

643-Theories of Organization

671-Policy Process

672-Political Development

Sociology and Social Work (SOC)

633-Environmental Sociology

610- Social Change and Consciousness

651- Applied Sociological Theory

Sustainable Communities (SUS)

599-Contemporary Developments