

2022



UNIVERSITY OF OREGON COMMENCEMENT

Environmental Studies Program

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON
ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES PROGRAM

Commencement Ceremony

SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2022 • 1:00 P.M.
ERB MEMORIAL UNION BALLROOM

Welcome and Land Acknowledgment

Katie Lynch

Codirector, Undergraduate Program and Environmental Leadership Program

Opening Remarks

Ronald Mitchell

Assistant Director, Environmental Studies
Professor of Environmental Studies and Political Science

Celebrating Graduate Accomplishments

Kari Norgaard

Director of Graduate Program, Environmental Studies
Professor of Environmental Studies and Sociology

Celebrating Undergraduate Accomplishments

Peg Boulay

Codirector, Undergraduate Program and Environmental Leadership Program

Reflections

Ryan Reed

BS, Environmental Studies, 2022

Katie Russell

MS, Environmental Studies, 2022

Alex Renirie

MS, Environmental Studies and Conflict and Dispute Resolution, 2021
Program Codirector, Healthy Democracy

Conferral of Graduate and Undergraduate Degrees

Ronald Mitchell

Closing Remarks

Katie Lynch

DEGREE CANDIDATES

Note: This is not an official degree list. Students listed are eligible to participate in the commencement ceremony at the time this program was printed.

THE ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES PROGRAM IS PROUD TO PRESENT THE GRADUATING CLASS OF 2021-22

Doctoral Degrees

Alejandro Brambila

Geoffery Johnson⁷

Nathaniel Otjen

Kirsten Vinyeta

Jamie Wright

Master's Degrees

Gabriella Altmire⁷

Zoë Garnell Brown

Katie Russell

Bela Sánchez⁷

Baccalaureate Degrees

Environmental Science Majors

William Taylor Baldwin

Jake Belan

Dante Burkett⁷

Kira Burkett⁷

Jonathan Carmicheal

Kevin Chang⁶

Isabella Grace Colombo⁶

Amber Marie De Avila⁶

Amber Due⁷

Alison B. Egging^{1,4}

Megan Falkner⁶

Marleanne Goulet^{1,4}

Scarlett Gulden

Kaitlyn Hardwick⁶

Jessi Henderson⁶

Cesar Hernandez

Leticia Irving^{6,7}

Lincoln James

Natalie Kataoka^{3,4,5,6}

Rosa Keale

Gabe Kesich⁶

Saoirse Anne Kirby⁶

Charlotte Klein^{1,4,5}

Delaney Kleiner^{5,6,7}

Amelia Lawson⁶

Anne McElyea⁶

Terra Sailor Stupakoff Morrison⁵

Eloise Parish Mueller^{6,7}

Haley Myerly⁷

Shelby Olson⁷

Spencer Thomas Page⁶

Gunter Przystawik

Michael Salmon⁶

Jacob Shalaby⁷

Paul Joseph Smoot Jr.

Marika Tammaru⁴

Aran Tedrick⁷

Kristianna Marie Thompson^{6,7}

Allyson Williams

Madeline Frances Zweber⁶

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Environmental Studies Majors

Andrew Adams

India Agar

Sydney Jane Aston⁶

Jack Beetley⁶

Jane Boggs⁷

Gavin Patrick Bradley⁶

Jenna Elizabeth Burns^{6,7}

Brianna Josephine Burrell-Lewis^{6,7}

Caleigh Byrne^{2,4,6}

Zaydhy Calderon

Isabella Campbell^{4,6}

Isabella Campillo⁶

Riley Harper Chan

Christina Marie Clark⁶

Benjamin Connor Crosby-Brodka^{2,4,6}

Caleb De Jung⁷

Veronica R. Dominguez

Kira Domzalski^{3,4,6}

Blake Engleman⁶

Brandon Fitzpatrick

Samantha Flanzer^{2,4}

Sofi Forsman^{3,4}

Haylee Elizabeth Frame^{3,4,5}

Iliana Brielle Gaeta⁶

Ian Thomas Gonzalez

Maya Rose Gurewitz⁶

Brogan Guthrie⁷

Kaitlyn Marie Halpin

Savannah Hatke

Olivia Heller⁶

Rachel Hess

Maya Hosaka^{2,4}

Lena Karam^{3,6}

Angelina Kline⁷

Michael LaQuay

Ryan Alan Laws^{1,4,5}

Olivia Lerner⁶

Sarah Mack³

Stephen Mack

Esmeralda Manzo^{2,4}

Kyle Martini^{5,7}

Naomi Alexa Meyer^{3,4,6}

Paiute Morrison

Isabel Mosley^{1,4,6}

Julia Nauman⁶

Lindsey Nguyen⁶

Emily Anne O'Brien^{6,7}

Tsukasa Okada

Carmell Otto

Nicole Plumb^{4,6}

Danielle Pomeroy⁷

Ashley Pontinen⁷

Samuel Raffetto

Garrett Reagan⁶

Ryan Reed^{1,4}

Ivy Fuller Renner

Riley Roefaro⁶

AnnaMae Clawson Roome⁷

Camille Rowe

Izabela Sanchez

Noah Harrison Savage⁵

Sequoia Shand⁶

Filip Slezak⁴

Wiley Smith

Mariana Josefina Tuason Solitaria^{2,4}

Eralise Spokely

Greta Stahle⁶

Myrthe Stalenhoef⁶

Lucy Stout⁷
Bryce Van Derveer
Brendan Walsh⁴
Amanda Wells
Elsa Wetten⁷

Autumn McKenzie Wilson
Veronica Holly Wilson
Zoe Wright⁴
James Wynne⁴
Olivia Mary Zajac⁶

Environmental Studies Minors

Hannah Albright
Charles Asher
Eva Bailey
Collin Edward Bell
Leah Borden
Cole Carlston
Annie Christofferson
Laura Cochran⁷
Morgan Darby¹
Eitan Davis
Natalie Dulansky
Alexia Eroh
Allison Gerhardt⁶
Abigail Gisler
Joel Itomura⁷
Lisa Kochevar
Chloe Kov
Isabel Lemus Kristensen
Jillian McDonough
Sarah McGee⁷

Alex Christopher Murphy⁶
Paulina Nelson
Gianna Paden
Paolo Jose Abelido Perez
Julia Richards
Kylie Robinson⁷
Emily Rodnunsky
Miranda Roso⁶
Alyssa Rueda⁷
Ciera Sanders
Lauren Schenker⁷
Jared Schmelz⁷
Samuel Scudder⁷
Meije Smith
Zachary Sundborg
Sydney Tamplin
Abigail Trom
Austin Wiens⁷
Peter Wogan
Mia Yerton⁷

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UO Food Studies Program

Housed within Environmental Studies, the Food Studies Program promotes and facilitates the interdisciplinary analysis of food-related issues and concerns. It offers a graduate specialization open to graduate students studying food themes in any discipline, school, or college. The program began offering an undergraduate minor in the fall of 2016 and has more than 80 students enrolled. foodstudies.uoregon.edu

Food Studies Graduate Specialization

Lydia Teresa Caudill
Lindsey Marie Foltz

Timothy Michael Herrera
Bela Sánchez⁷

Food Studies Minors

Allison Bagley
William Baldwin
Amanda Bell⁷
Daniel Bray
Madisen Campbell^{4,7}
Christina Clark
Jacqueline Cleugh⁷
Cassandra Cole
Audrey Collins
Siena Dorman
Leah Eden⁷
Elizabeth Ferris
Meaghan FitzPatrick
Marleanne Goulet
Frida Graumann
Adele Gunter
Maya Gurewitz
Claire Harris
Miles Himy
Henry Hochstatter^{1,4}
Kira Jacobson

Nicole Lang⁷
Samantha Lykins
Mary Marsico
Anne McElyea
Kathlyn Millham⁴
Aneka Moffitt⁷
Tylor Moua⁷
Allison Myers⁷
Olivia Paden
Gunter Przystawik
Jillian Regan
Brooke Ridgway
Lauren Schenker
Katya Sidhu
Mariana Josefina Tuason Solitaria^{2,4}
Samantha Tognotti^{4,7}
Melissa Torres-Duran⁷
Cindy Tran
Alina Wei
Ethan Wu

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Environmental Leadership Program

The Environmental Leadership Program is Environmental Studies' flagship interdisciplinary community-based learning program. We match student teams with non-profit organizations, government agencies and businesses to address local environmental needs. Our students gain collaboration, communication, and professional skills by engaging directly in applied problem-resolution while providing valuable assistance to our community partners. During 2021–22, ELP students implemented six projects. The Aves Compartidas, Climate Science/Climate Justice, and Restoring Connections teams developed and implemented place-based curricula for elementary and middle school students. Their curricula linked to Next Generation Science Standards and included interactive classroom lessons and inspiring, engaging field trips. The Birds & Blooms, Fuels & Fire, and Promoting Pollinators team used a variety of field methods to monitor plants, animals, vegetative communities and/or fuel loads. Their data and recommendations will shape land management and ecological restoration actions. All six teams presented their projects at the 2022 UO Undergraduate Symposium. We are proud of their accomplishments and their contributions to our community!

“Those of us who witness the degraded state of the environment and the suffering that comes with it cannot afford to be complacent. We continue to be restless. If we really carry the burden, we are driven to action. We cannot tire or give up. We owe it to the present and future generations of all species to rise up and walk!”

—Wangari Maathai

Environmental Studies Program

Core Faculty

Stacy Alaimo

Peg Boulay

Mark Carey

Lauren Hallett

Stephanie LeMenager

Kathryn Lynch

Katie Lynn

Richard Margerum

Galen Martin

Ronald Mitchell

Erin Moore

Nicolae Morar

Barbara Muraca

Kari Norgaard

Alexandra Rempel

Josh Roering

Kory Russel

Emily Scott

Lucas Silva

Sarah Stapleton

David Sutherland

Sarah Wald

Peter Walker

Marsha Weisiger

Richard York

Office Staff

Nathan Adams

Sophie Bybee

Monica Guy

Alison Mildrexler

Office Student Workers

Terra Morrison

Charlie Rosgen

“To love a place is not enough. We must find a way to heal it.”

—Robin Wall Kimmer

PLEASE KEEP IN TOUCH

Follow @UOENVS on Instagram to find out the latest Environmental Studies Program news and email sbybee@uoregon.edu to sign up for Econews, our weekly jobs and internship newsletter!

RESOURCES FOR ALUMNI

The Career Center has helpful resources and online tools for alumni, such as the Oregon Career Information System, Handshake, and DuckConnect!

career.uoregon.edu/alumni

"For there is always light, if only we're brave enough to see it,
if only we're brave enough to be it."

—Amanda Gorman

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Michael H. Schill | President and Professor of Law

Patrick C. Phillips | Provost and Senior Vice President

Bruce Blonigen | Tykeson Dean of Arts and Sciences
and Philip H. Knight Professor

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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2020 AND 2021 COMMENCEMENT PROGRAMS

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2020 and 2021 UO commencement programs or visit
commencement.uoregon.edu/past-programs.



HONORING NATIVE PEOPLES AND LANDS

The University of Oregon is located on Kalapuya Ilihi, the traditional indigenous homeland of the Kalapuya people. Following treaties between 1851 and 1855, Kalapuya people were dispossessed of their indigenous homeland by the United States government and forcibly removed to the Coast Reservation in Western Oregon. Today, descendants are citizens of the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Community of Oregon and the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of Oregon, and continue to make important contributions in their communities, at UO, across the land we now refer to as Oregon, and around the world.