

Season of Creation
Speakers Bureau
9/4/17

Name	C ¹	S ²	Content	Contact Information	Comments
1. Thomas P. Ackerman, UW Faculty, Dept. of Atmospheric Science and Director, Joint Institute for the Study of the Atmosphere and Ocean	N	N	Global Climate Change and/or Climate Engineering, including ethical and faith-based considerations. The intersection of Science and religion from the perspective on an environmental scientist.	(206) 221-2767 tpa2@uw.edu	Multiple presentations to faith-based and academic groups, both locally and nationally. Co-author of two reports for national Protestant groups on environmental stewardship and climate change. Presented at a JustFaith Graduate Gathering in October 2011.
2. April Atwood, SU Faculty, School of Business	N	N	How business addresses the social justice dimension of sustainability.	(206) 296-6035 atwooda@seattleu.edu	She is on the Solid Waste Advisory Committee for King County Solid Waste Division, and on the Board for Northwest School for Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing Children.
3. Gary Chamberlain, SU Theology & Religious Studies Faculty - Emeritus	Y	Y	Water Issues, climate change, fracking, the right to water, Laudato Si and the environment environmental justice sustainability and water the spirituality of water what can we do on water issues? Consumption and the environment,	GCHAMBER@seattleu.edu	Practical Information. Authored <i>Troubled Waters: Religion, Ethics and the World Water Crisis</i> https://www.amazon.com/Troubled-Waters-Religion-Ethics-Global/dp/0742552454/ref=la_B001IZRCZW_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1501455123&sr=1-1

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			our environmental crisis of obesity.		Working on a new book on Water and Catholic Social Teaching.
4. Serena Cosgrove, SU Faculty, International Studies	Y	N	Understanding global poverty, women's leadership in the global south, effects of war and conflict on excluded groups in the global south.	(206) 296-2836 cosgrovs@seattleu.edu	Stories from the Global South - https:// www.youtube.com/watch?v=vJfEtzx2hJ8
5. Jessie Dye, Program & Outreach Director, Earth Ministry	Y	N	Eco-Justice issues and advocacy from an Ecumenical perspective.	(206) 632-2426 jessie@earthministry.org	Jessie has a law degree and a long career as a mediator and manager, including 20 years with the Catholic Archdiocese of Seattle. Totem Pole Journey 2016 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CVnQ7fqUbRs . No stipends required for faith communities that are members of Earth Ministry.
6. Rob Efird, SU Faculty, Anthropology	N	Y	Environmental education (example: nature schools), Native American relationships to the environment. Environmental Education and Indigenous cultures.	(206) 296-5388 efirdr@seattleu.edu	Interest in Children's Environmental Learning in China and the US. Co-creator of Seattle University's taqwsheblu Vi Hilbert Ethnobotanical Garden (https://www.seattleu.edu/grounds/taqwsheblu-vi-hilbert-ethnobotanical-garden/).

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7. Ed Foster, Director, Property and Construction Services, Archdiocese of Seattle.	Y	N	Care of Creation in Parish Communities – Property & Construction from the Archdiocesan Perspective.	(206) 382-2064 Website: www.seattlearchdiocese.org/property E-mail: edf@seattlearch.org	Presented at a JustFaith Gathering on Care for Creation in October 2010.
8. Carmen G. Gonzalez SU Faculty, School of Law	N	Y	Climate change, climate justice, why environmental issues are social justice issues, environmental justice, and the divide between developed and developing countries over environmental protection.	(206) 398-4067 gonzalez@seattleu.edu	Scholarly Papers: https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/cf_dev/AbsByAuth.cfm?per_id=476828
9. Dr. Tanya Hayes, SU Faculty, Environmental Studies and Program Director, Environmental Studies	N	N	International Environmental Policy and Politics. Paris Accords.	(206) 296-5485 Website: https://sites.google.com/site/tanyahayessite/Home E-mail: HayesT@seattleu.edu	
10. Wesley Howard-Brooke, SU Faculty, Theology and Religious Studies	N	N	Laudato Si' and "religion of creation" responses to earth needs. Teaches courses on Catholic Social Teaching and Laudato Si.	(206) 296-5320 howardbrook@seattleu.edu	Founding Program Director for IPJC in 1991 and editor of AMOS for nine years. Latest Publication: https://www.amazon.com/Wes-Howard-Brook/e/B001K8HOY6
11. Jessica Imanka: SU Faculty, School of Business	Y	N	Laudato Si and Integral Ecology. Catholic Social Teaching and Sustain-	(206) 398-4311 imanakaj@seattleu.edu	Published 2 journal articles on CST and sustainability: the first on Benedict XVI and the

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			ability. Inter-faith perspective, Husband is Buddhist Priest from Japan.		second on Pope Francis. I recently completed another journal article on Laudato Si', Romano Guardini, and Technology. Wrote for IPJC's Journal. A Matter of the Spirit – Cry of the Earth, Cry of the Poor - http://www.ipjc.org/journal/AMOSSpring17.pdf
12.Wes Lauer: SU Faculty, Civil Engineering & Director of Environmental Science	N	N	Environmental discourse among scientists. Role of faith in questions of environmental science and management. Rivers and Streams in Puget Sound.	(206) 296-5523 lauerj@seattleu.edu	Faith Tradition: Seventh Day Adventist.
13.Catherine Punsalan-Manlimos: SU Faculty, Theology and Religious Studies and Director of the Institute of Catholic Thought and Culture.	Y	N	Overview of Laudato Si' and it's connection to broader Catholic Social Teaching.	(206) 296-5316 punsalanc@seattleu.edu	Interest: The intersection of science, religion and society
14.Sameer Ranade: Climate and Clean Energy Associate, Washington Environmental Council	N	N	Alliance policy and why people should join. Background on the Paris Accords and what we can do at the state level to meet the targets. Climate policy, advocacy and building constituencies.	(206) 631-2600 Sameer@wecprotects.org	Non-practicing Hindu but Spiritual. For more information on the WEC agenda and programs connect to their website: https://wecprotects.org

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15. Jeff Renner: Jeff Renner: Retired Chief Meteorologist at KING TV. Emmy-award winning science/environment writer and documentary producer; consulting meteorologist and volunteer diver/educator at the Seattle Aquarium.	Y	N	Speaks about climate science and the larger impact of climate change on the environment and human society, particularly in light of the Pope's encyclical, Laudato Si-Care for our Common Home	jeffrenner3@comcast.net	Has presented at several parishes in the Archdiocese, including Holy Family Kirkland and Our Lady of the Lake in Kirkland, as well as at colleges, universities and national professional conferences. He has been an invited participant in conferences at both the White House and the Vatican. Member, Mary Queen of Peace parish in Sammamish.
16. James Rufo-Hill: Climate Adaption Specialist, Seattle Public Utilities	Y	N	Local Climate Impacts, Impact of Sea-Level rise in Seattle	rufo.hill@gmail.com	Lives on Bainbridge Island. Protecting Seattle's Waterways: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xjao4QBN2QA
17. Dr. Chris Sabine: Director, Pacific Marine Environmental Laboratory, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.	Y	N	Plastic waste in the ocean, Climate Change, Ocean Acidification.	(206) 526-6800 Website: www.pmel.noaa.gov E-mail: chris.sabine@noaa.gov	Member of the Holy Family Kirkland Care for Creation Ministry Team. Developed a Carbon Footprint Calculator for the Parish. YouTube: Cultural Change related to Climate Change and Ocean Acidification https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U8P1gv2bAil
18. Michael Schut: Retreat Leader and Presenter. Previous experience includes environmental	N	Y	Overview of Laudato Si', Eco-Justice issues and advocacy from an Ecumenical perspective.	(206) 898-4241 Website: http://www.mike.schut.com	Presented a 4 part review on Laudato Si' for the Ignatian Spirituality Center in 2016. Author and Editor, <i>Simpler</i>

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leadership in the Episcopal Church, Earth Ministry, Seattle U and the Children and Nature Network				E-mail: mwschut@gmail.com	<i>Living, Compassionate Life: A Faith Perspective</i> - https://www.amazon.com/dp/0819223697/ref=rdr_ext_tmb
19.Phil Thompson: SU Faculty, Civil Engineering & Administrator, Director of the Center for Environmental Justice and Sustainability (CEJS)	N	N	Environmental justice through the lens of sustainability. Also climate, water, food and/or energy	(206) 296-5521 THOMPSON@seattleu.edu	CEJS serves as a clearinghouse for Seattle University's environmental programs and sustainability initiatives. For more information check out their website: https://www.seattleu.edu/cejs
20.Jason Wirth, SU Faculty, Philosophy Dept.	N	N	Understanding our relation to the planet's ongoing ecological crisis. Interreligious perspective on ecology.	(206) 296-2135 wirthj@seattleu.edu	Latest publication: http://www.sunypress.edu/p-6402-mountains-rivers-and-the-great-.aspx , Ordained Zen Buddhist Priest, Active in interfaith dialogue and comfortable with Catholic audiences. Ex. Dir. Ecosangha – http://www.ecosangha.net

¹ Identifies as Catholic: Y-Yes, N-No

² Stipend Needed: Y-Yes, N-No. This does not mean that the presenter would not appreciate and accept a stipend if offered. It just means that it is not a requirement to speak.