CRD 290 -- COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SPEAKERS SERIES

WINTER QUARTER 2023

SYLLABUS

Wednesday, 12:10 – 1:00 PM

166 Hunt Hall  CRN

This is a one-credit lecture series which for Winter 2023 will showcase the work of Community Development Graduate Group alumni. We'll have speakers tell us about their career paths, current positions, and how they got their jobs (info that's particularly useful for current students).

We meet every Wednesday 12:10-1 in 166 Hunt Hall. Faculty and community members are invited to attend as well as students enrolled in the course. Please plan to arrive on time, as this is courteous to our speakers.

For those taking CRD 290 for credit, attendance will be taken at the beginning of each session. If you must miss a session, please let the instructor know in advance. Those who miss more than two sessions without advance warning will not receive credit.

There is one written requirement for the course: a two-page, double-spaced paper due by noon 3/20/22 reflecting on a theme that struck you during the presentations and mentioning at least five of the speakers.

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Wed 1/18: Veronica Pardo, Regulatory Affairs Director, Resource Recovery Coalition of California
Wed 1/25: Libby Christensen, Statewide Agriculture and Food Systems Specialist, Colorado State U.
Wed 2/1: Morgan Beryl, Executive Director, Harwood County Arts Council
Wed 2/8: Nichole Zaragosa-Smith, Staff Services Manager, CA Interagency Council on Homelessness
Wed 2/15: Shireen Whitaker, Culture and Equity Manager, Planned Parenthood Affiliates of CA
Wed 2/22: Evan Schmidt, CEO, Valley Vision
Wed 3/1: Jen Metes, Grants Administrator, California Natural Resources Agency
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