

**Freshman Seminar:
Sustainability: The Future is Now**

Environmental Sciences 24
Fall Semester, 2004
University of California at Berkeley
Professor Bill Berry
Wednesdays 4-5 PM

Course Syllabus

Week	Speaker	Topic
One: Intro to course process/expectations/ definitions-hand out syllabus <i>September 1</i>	Berry/Bauer	Intro
Two: The Campus context Student sustainability coordinators, campus assessment, Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Sustainability, student Involvement <i>September 8</i>	Fitzgerald/Lau/Quatch	Campus
Three: The Harvest Game Sustainability put to the game test <i>September 15</i>	Berry/Bauer	Game
Four: City of Berkeley Sustainability initiatives Local initiatives to reinvent our host city <i>September 22</i>	Kate Squire	Local
Five: East Bay MUD Local water use and sustainability issues <i>September 29</i>	Leann Gustafson	Water
Six: Energy Solar, wind, water, nuclear, coal, gas <i>October 6</i>	Cal Broomhead	Air
Seven: Check in/Open discussion on topics so far <i>October 13</i>	Berry/Bauer	All
Eight: Transportation Mass transit, car usage, alternatives and sustainability <i>October 20</i>	Jamie Levin	Air
Nine: Green Buildings/Green Planning	Billie Romain	Land

LEED building program and the regents policy

October 27

Ten: Recycling/reusing/refusing/wasting Lisa Bauer Land
November 3

Eleven: Purchasing/consumption ????? People
Green buying/e-waste
November 10

Twelve: Check in/Open discussion/ Q&A Berry/Bauer All
November 17

Thirteen: No class-Thanksgiving break
November 24

Fourteen: Food-organic, composting, Katy Mamen People
December 1 Meat, agribusiness

Fifteen: Conversation/recap Berry/Bauer Closing
December 8

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