

AGENDA

8:00 - 8:45 a.m.	Breakfast & Registration - Entrance of Wright Hall											
8:45 - 10:45 a.m.	Plenary Session - Wright Hall, Weinstein Auditorium Welcome Blest Energy - Music with Tem Blessed Keynote: Truth and Courage in an Age of Fossil Fuel Extraction - Dr. Sandra Steingraber Working Together for Collective Impact - Resist, Reform, Recreate, and Reimagine											
10:45 - 11:00 a.m.	Transition to Sessions - Registration & Information Table Reopens at the Entrance of Seelye Hall at 11 am											
	Resist		Reform		Recreate					Reimagine		Open Space Room
	<i>Confronting The Current System</i>		<i>Working Within The Current System</i>		<i>Generating New Systems</i>					<i>Conceptualizing New Systems</i>		
Seelye Hall	Room 101	Room 102	Room 106	Room 105	Room 110	Room 206	Room 204	Room 211	Room 202	Room 208		Room 207
Track Lead	Dr. Sandra Steingraber, Author, Activist, Ecologist		Dr. Holmes Hummel, Founder of Clean Energy Works		Lynn Benander, CEO of Co-op Power					Sherri Mitchell, J.D. Executive Director of Land Peace Foundation		Suggest a topic or join one of the conversations below
11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. (Session A)	Collective Inquiry: Environmental Health & Justice Roundtable	Real Lessons From Crowd-Funding & Individual Donor Campaigns	Energy Efficiency Financing For All	Getting to Carbon Neutral: A Look at Smith College's Plans to be Net Zero Carbon Emissions by 2030	Sustainable Biodiesel: Closing the Loop with Used Cooking Oil Feedstocks	Community-Owned Community Solar Models & Strategies	Food Sustainability at Smith College: Revisioning College Dining	Another World is Possible and Growing: An Introduction to the Solidarity Economy	College and Community Engagement in Justice and Sustainability	The City as a Commons		Nine Tips for Using Data to Build Grassroots Energy Outreach Success
12:15 - 1:15 p.m.	Lunch											
1:15-2:30 p.m. (Session B)	Stop the Gas Leaks!	Organizing for a Multicultural Environmental Movement	Innovative Grassroots Strategies: Lessons From the Ground	State-level Programs that Drive Renewable Investment in Communities	The Symbiosis of Wind and Solar Power	Are you Ready to Build a Directly-Owned Community Shared Solar Project?	The Future of Food Waste & Energy - Anaerobic Digestion	Financing a Grassroots Economy	Artists: Allies in Activism	Creating An Energy System That Works For Everyone (Two Part Session) Part I - Reaching Back		How the People Stopped a Pipeline: What Did We Learn from Stopping Kinder Morgan and Where Do We Go From Here?:
2:30 - 2:45 p.m.	Break											
2:45-4:00 p.m. (Session C)	Divestment, Reinvestment, & Next Steps for the 5-Colleges	Using the National Historic Preservation Act To Identify & Protect Indigenous Religious & Cultural Sites	Getting A Grant: Lessons From Funders	State of Local Energy In New England - Policy Panel	Renewable Heating Options: The Latest on Heat Pumps, Wood Pellet, and Solar Heat	Climate Action Resilience Planning with an Explicit Social Justice Mission	Going Deeper: How to Create More Inclusive, Holistic Communities and Projects	Sustainable Business Start-Up Pitches	Recreating Underserved Urban Neighborhoods	Creating An Energy System That Works For Everyone (Two Part Session) Part II - Moving Forward		Democratizing Access to Clean Energy / Walking Tour of Campus (meet on front steps of Seelye Hall for tour)
4:00 p.m.	Closing (Tent)											
4:30 - 6:30	Co-op Power Annual Member Meeting in Seelye Hall											