

FINAL AGENDA: Second Annual Asia/Environment Student Research Conference at Bard College		
THURSDAY APRIL 14		
5:00-7:30 PM. Registration, Dinner and Introductions		Kline Commons
7:30-9:00 PM. Keynote Session: Dr. Chris Coggins	Fengshui Forest Management in China	Kline Commons
FRIDAY APRIL 15		
7:30-8:30 AM. Breakfast		Kline Commons
8:30- 9:30 AM. Keynote Session: Dr. Jackson Ewing	China's Evolving Environmental Policy	Weiss Cinema
10AM- Noon. SESSION 1: Science and Sustainability		
Yuejiao Wan	Water Pollution on the Yangtze River	Bard College
Kimberly Lu	Kinetics and Chemical Characterization of Secondary Organic Aerosol Growth in Asia	Smith College
David Blumenstiel	On Bees and Other Pollinators in Anhui Province, China	Hampshire College
Ellen Sulser	Pollution Control and Lake Tai	Smith College
Michael Fitzdale	Pollination Genomics Across the Tibetan Plateau	Hampshire College
10AM- Noon. SESSION 2: Climate and Air Pollution		
Md Sahadat Hossain and Fahima Akhter	Downscaled Climate Change and Sea Level Rise Visualization	Linköping University
Paul Cooper, Emily Koehn, Gregory Sikowski, and Helue Valverde	Climate Change Public Opinion Research in Asia and the United States	University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
Cecilia Longzhizi	An Assessment of China's Emissions Reduction Potential	Bard CEP
Kayla Barrett	Social Impacts of Air Pollution in China	UMBC
10AM- Noon. SESSION 3: Landscapes and Culture		
Katherine Dominguez	Exploitation of Colonial Environments: Japanese Economic Structures and Korean Gardens	Amherst College
Danya Axelrad-Hausman	Holy Rivers from Hell and Monastic Trees: Environmental Concern and Culture	University of Puget Sound
Jacob Ireland	Maintaining Sacred Spaces: The Case of Fengshui Forests	Bard College at Simon's Rock
Cem Gultekin	Grassroots Forestry Traditions and Emerging Forestry Policy in Southern China	Bard College at Simon's Rock
Wai Lun (James) Lam	Ethnobotany of Castanopsis in Fengshui forests of Southeast China	Bard College at Simon's Rock
BREAK: Lunch / Campus Tour		
		Kline Commons

1:00- 2:30 PM. SESSION 4: Sustainable Development in SE Asia		George Ball Room
Hampshire Team	Sustainable Agriculture in Northern Thailand	Hampshire College
Kale Roberts	Electrifying Cambodia: Energy Access through Off-Grid Solar	Bard CEP
1:00- 2:30 PM. SESSION 5: Nuclear Energy and Alternatives		Fisher Annex
Hayden Zahn, Janet (Lindsay) DiNozz-Houser	Art and Disaster: Relationships with Nature in Post 3.11 Japan	Bard College
Elizabeth Nagy	Failure in Fukushima: Environmental Justice and Competent Policy	Smith College
Kasope Aleshinloye	Low Carbon Transport in Asia	Bard CEP
1:00- 2:30 PM. SESSION 6: Endangered Species Conservation		Yellow Room
Anna Panariello	Protecting the Slow Loris in Vietnam	Bard CEP
Caitlin Stone	The Cost of Good Karma: Fangsheng and Invasive Species	UMBC
Sonakshi Srivastava	The Demonic Tiger: Reconstructing the Primitive in Sundarbans Tiger Conservation	University of Hong Kong
Leah Nugent	Mining, Wildlife Conservation, and Indigenous Rights – Taiwan’s Taroko National Park	Wellesley College
BREAK:	Bard Graduate Programs Information Session	George Ball Room
3:00-4:30 PM. SESSION 7: Sustainable Development in China		George Ball Room
Vassar Team	China from the Field: Observations on Combating Environmental Ills in China	Vassar College
Taylor Ogan and Xiangming Chen	Envisioning a Sustainable Future: A case study of BYD in China	Trinity College
Chang Liu	China's Green Economy	Smith College
3:00-4:30 PM. SESSION 8: Hydrower, People and Politics		Yellow Room
MacKenzie Schledorn-Rudden	Big Roar, No Bite – The Paper Tiger of Southeast Asia	University of Puget
Johann Lim	Dams, Deforestation and the Dayak people: Economic Development and Indigenous People in Sarawak,	Claremont Colleges
Julian Tash, Jennifer Christhilf	Understanding China’s Conciliatory Policy in the Mekong River	UMBC
Jack Marshall	Culture, Politics, and the Environment in Asia: Hydropower in the Tropics	University of Puget
4:30-5:30 PM. Reception and Next Step Conversation		Weiss Cinema
7:00-8:30 PM. Additional Keynote. Dr; Ashmina Ranjit	Dreaming of a New Nepal: A Creative Healing	RKC 103