



EARTHLAB NEWSLETTER, OCTOBER 2018

Introducing EarthLab

Imagined as part of the College of the Environment, EarthLab is building capacity to accelerate and focus UW expertise to address large-scale environmental challenges, making a positive impact on people's lives and livelihoods. We are pleased to share with you our inaugural newsletter to keep you apprised of the latest EarthLab activities and events, and share thought-provoking pieces that reflect the opportunity we have as a transdisciplinary academic enterprise that engages with a global community across sectors.



Feature

Former Interior Secretary Sally Jewell brings leadership to UW community, new EarthLab initiative

Bringing a lifetime of experience in business, nonprofits, government and the outdoors, Sally Jewell is now sharing her talents to help shape the future of EarthLab.



Changemakers and Collaborators

- [The climate summit vs. the iPhone: A mainstream media mismatch](#), GreenBiz
- [We're all breathing smoke, but climate change hits some people harder than others](#), The News Tribune
- [Boundary spanning at the science-policy interface: the practitioners' perspectives](#), Sustainability Science

Save the Date

Wednesday, October 24, 2018

2018 Doug Walker Lecture with Richard Louv

Join University of Washington's EarthLab and the College of the Environment for an evening with our 2018 Doug Walker Lecturer, Richard Louv. A journalist and author, Louv will discuss the central role nature plays in human health and well-being at every age and stage of life.

Wednesday, October 24, 2018

Northwest Nature and Health Symposium

This annual one-day symposium, held in the fall, brings together professionals and community leaders in the fields of health, conservation, design and planning, and education to learn from each other and explore common goals and collective strategies related to the human health benefits of being in nature, from gardens to wildlands.

Tuesday, October 30, 2018

Washington Wildfire Smoke and Health Symposium

The Washington Wildfire Smoke and Health Symposium will convene regional stakeholders to share lessons learned from the 2017 and 2018 wildfire seasons, and foster academic-practice partnerships to address existing challenges related to wildfire smoke and health in Washington state.



EarthLab Member Organizations

Climate Impacts Group | Doris Duke Conservation Scholars | Northwest Climate Adaptation
Science Center | Washington Ocean Acidification Center



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