UW Students

This is a space dedicated to amplify the voice of UW students engaged in environmental justice actions.
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The Africa Now Association exists to educate, organize, and mobilize youth to imagine and create a sustainable future for the global African community. Our association focuses on enriching global perspectives, supporting grassroots efforts across the African diaspora, and providing individuals with the network and resources to tackle problems facing the African continent and its diaspora. The ultimate goal for our annual conference is to build relationships between participants from diverse academic disciplines which will eventually yield new foundations, entrepreneurial ventures, group sponsored initiatives, and ideas that will translate into action, not only in Seattle but across the world.

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MAY 30th & 31st

Covid-19 Relief
Environmental Sustainability

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MIGHTY EARTH WA

Mighty Earth is a global campaign organization that works to protect the environment. We focus on the big issues: conserving threatened landscapes like tropical rainforests, protecting oceans, and solving climate change.

This chapter works around campaign to bring awareness around local corporate practices related to:

- A long track record of environmental destruction and human rights violations.
- The destruction of tropical rainforests and indigenous communities in Latin America.
- Water pollution from manure and excess fertilizer and soil erosion has causing a massive Dead Zone in the Gulf.
- For more information send an email to: eliselynnjacobsen@gmail.com
SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK: EJ Club Viewing Party

> **Wednesday June 3rd 5-6:30pm** the School of Social Work's (SSW) Environmental Justice club is hosting an EJ viewing party event! Please see the flyer attached for more details. We look forward to ending the club’s first year as an SSW club with a fun and interactive event. Hope to see you there!

> Join via virtually

End the Waste, End the Contamination, End the continued degradation of marginalized communities’ water supplies

> Since 2015, community organizations have been rallying around marginalized voices in the Yakima Valley, who couldn’t drink their own water because of nitrate contamination from nearby dairy companies’ concentrated animal feeding operations (CAFO’s). These large operations had leaking manure holding ponds and over applied manure on fields, leading to widespread drinking water contamination.

> To learn what you can do send an email to: truthwadairies@gmail.com
XRUW Extinction Rebellion UW Chapter

- XRUW is a climate justice action network at UW that demands an end fossil fuel use and the bringing of a just transition into an equitable green future. Through non-violent direct action, campaigning, and student outreach, we seek to engage UW in the growing world of climate action.
  - Websites info:
  - facebook.com/xruwseattle
  - instagram.com/xruwseattle
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Watch their video at: https://youtu.be/C57MC_b1lgo