

# EarthMonth@OU 2019

## Schedule of Events

Date	Event	Event Description
22 Mar	World Water Day	No campus events (Spring Break) – <b>Personal challenge:</b> Try to limit your shower today to 3 minutes!
25 Mar	Sooners Without Borders	<b>Annual World Water Day Events</b> Water Jeopardy, Water Walk, Water Jug Scavenger Hunt - OU South Oval, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
28-29 Mar	EarthMonth@OU Distinguished Speaker and Panel	<b>Distinguished Speaker: Alexandra Harmon Threatt Ph. D., University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</b> <i>Conserving Pollinators in degraded landscapes: Are current efforts enough?</i> <b>Panel:</b> Forest Chapman (Sustainable Beekeepers Guild), Priscilla Crawford (OBS), and Vonceil Harmon (OKDOT & OBS) Thursday, March 28 - Beard Lounge, Oklahoma Memorial Union - Reception begins at 5 p.m.
		<b>Associated MPBIO Seminar Program - Conserving Bees From the Ground Up: The importance of soils in bee diversity</b> Friday, March 29 - George Lynn Cross Hall, room 123, 3-4 p.m.
30 Mar	Earth Hour	<b>Earth Hour Challenge:</b> Commit to one hour without power! - 8:30-9:30 p.m. local time
1-2 Apr	EarthMonth@OU Distinguished Speaker and Panel	<b>Distinguished Speaker: Adam W. Rome, Ph.D., University at Buffalo</b> <i>Lessons From the First Earth Day: The Past &amp; Future of the Environmental Movement</i> <b>OU Panel:</b> Kathleen Brosnan (HIST), Peter Soppelsa (HISC), Robert Lifset (Honors), Jenn Ross (Comm. Health) Monday, April 1 - Beard Lounge, Oklahoma Memorial Union - Reception begins at 5 p.m.
		<b>Brownbag discussion</b> – DAHT 408, (email eaross@ou.edu to respond, limited space available) Tuesday, April 2 - (ENST, HIST, & HSCI), noon-1 p.m.
4-6 Apr	Native Crossroads (NXR) Film Festival	<b>FUTURES: How Indigenous People and Communities Are Shaping the FUTURE</b> Numerous short and feature-length films, panels including directors, actors, OU faculty, and visiting scholars. Sam Noble Oklahoma Museum of Natural History, Kerr Auditorium
9 Apr	EarthMonth@OU Distinguished Speaker and Panel	<b>Distinguished Speaker: Dr. Linda Figueroa, Colorado School of Mines</b> <i>Superfund Status and Progress: Oklahoma SuperFund Sites, Research, and Social Impacts</i> <b>Classroom discussion</b> in REPF 200 at 3 p.m.
		<b>Panel:</b> Amy Brittain (Department of Environmental Quality), Pete Schultze (Waste Management Inc.), & Paul Streets (Midwest City Public Works Authority) Beard Lounge, Oklahoma Memorial Union - Presentation/discussion with reception starting at 5 p.m.
10, 17, & 24 Apr	Biology Seminar Speakers <i>-all BIO seminar events start 4:30 p.m. GLCH 123, OU</i>	<b>Wednesday, April 10, Seminar: Dr. Matthew Niemiller, University of Alabama-Huntsville</b> <i>Out of Sight, Out of Mind: The evolution, ecology, &amp; conservation of cave life</i>
		<b>Wednesday, April 17, Seminar: Dr. Jess Corman, University of Nebraska-Lincoln</b> <i>Growing Rocks: Is travertine deposition a self-cleansing mechanism in streams?</i>
		<b>Wednesday, April 24, Seminar: Dr. Weiming Li, Michigan State University</b> <i>Strategies to control invasive sea lampreys in the Laurentian Great Lakes</i>
12 Apr	2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday Norman Art Walk	<b>Free celebration of arts and creativity with a student show and environmental theme and the Artful Inlets</b> -Various artists also designing storm drains art to prevent storm sewer contamination The Walker Arts District of Downtown Norman, 6-9 p.m.
13 Apr	OU BIG EVENT	<b>Volunteer activities throughout the OU and Norman Community</b> - register at <a href="http://www.ou.edu/bigevent">http://www.ou.edu/bigevent</a>
15 Apr	OUr Earth and Veg Club Speaker	<b>Environmental Student Organizations Discussion: Dr. J. Belardo and Dr. Conway</b> <i>Doctors Heal Themselves and the Planet: Plant-based medicine and the environment</i> Scholar's Room, Oklahoma Memorial Union, 5 p.m.
16 Apr	EarthMonth@OU Distinguished Speaker	<b>Distinguished Speaker: Dr. Katharine Hayhoe</b> <i>Christians, Climate, and Our Culture in the U.S.</i> Thurman J. White Forum Building, Forum Room, OU - Reception begins at 5 p.m.
17 & 19 Apr	Env. Theater and Modern Languages	<b>Environmental Theater &amp; Book Presentation: "A Shared Truth: The Theater of Lagartijas al Sol"</b> Wednesday, April 17 - 145 Farzaneh Hall, OU, noon - 1 p.m., <i>Santiago Amoukalli</i> - democracy, violence, & responsibility - Cross Blackbox Theater, OU - 5 p.m. Friday, April 19 - <i>Asalto al agua transparente, 'Assault on Clear Water'</i> - Cross Blackbox Theater, OU - 5 p.m.
18 Apr	Sustainability and Responsibility Fair Environmental Stewardship Awards	<b>Housing &amp; Food Services and Environmental Concerns Committee</b> <b>Sustainability &amp; Responsibility Fair</b> - exhibits highlighting responsibility/sustainability initiatives on campus OMU Courtyard (backup rain location - Walker Center Social Lounge - first floor), 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m.
		<b>Presentation of the Environmental Concerns Committee's Awards</b> Recognition of OU Environmental Stewardship, 1:30 p.m.
19 Apr	BioReach STEM Undergrad Research Bazaar	<b>STEM Undergrad Students, booths with department graduate representatives for all things relating to grad school.</b> Presented by a partnership of BioReach and the STEM Inclusion Council Friday, April 19 - Beard Lounge, OU Memorial Union, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
22 Apr	Earth Day	<b>Earth Day Parade &amp; Student Festival</b> - Calling All Active Student Environmental Programs, OU South Oval, 2-5 p.m.
22-26 Apr	GreenWeek	<b>Daily environmental awareness activities sponsored by the GreenWeek student club</b> Monday-Meet your Meat, Tuesday-Local For Life Fair, & more... Check the flyer & Facebook page for full schedule
24 Apr	DGES Film Panel	<b>Wednesday, April 24 - GreenWeek, Dept. of Geography &amp; Env. Sustainability, with NXR Film Festival</b> <b>Speaker Panel Celebrating Tribal Environmental Professionals</b> - Portrait videos and panel, Gould Hall, OU - 5 p.m.
28 Apr	Earth Day Festival	<b>Annual City of Norman Earth Day Festival</b> , Reaves Park, noon-5 p.m.