Asia/Environment Student Research Conference

April 16-17, 2015

Bard College, Annandale-On-Hudson, NY

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April 16:

5:00 PM: Registration and Reception

6:00 PM: Dinner & Introductions

7:30-9:00 PM: Keynote Speaker: Judith Shapiro, American University

China's Environmental Challenges: The People's Response

April 17:

9:00 AM: Keynote Speaker: Emily Yeh, University of Colorado

10:00 AM- Noon: Student Presentations (panels and posters)

1:00-2:30 PM: Student Presentations

2:30-3:00 PM: Break

3:00-4:30 PM: Student Presentations

5:00 PM-6:30 PM Reception and Next Steps Conversation

Meals/Lodging provided for student participants.

Registration \$30

More Info: http://goo.gl/RzTE7i

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Asian/Environment (and Sustainability) Student Research Conference

Undergraduate and graduate students engaged in research related to Asia, the environment, and issues of sustainable development are invited to submit posters and papers for presentation at this first in a series of annual conferences.

Today it is impossible to think seriously about the challenges of sustainable development and the environment without understanding the local and global environmental footprint of rapid economic growth in Asia—and the Asian response. At the same time, Asian Studies students increasingly require familiarity with the scientific, cultural and political dimensions of environmental crises and sustainable development.

With the support of the Henry Luce Foundation, Bard College is sponsoring an annual student research conference, providing a venue for students to present undergraduate, masters and PhD level research at the intersection of these critical issues. The conference seeks to shed critical light on how we all might live sustainably—or not—in a 2050 world with three billion more people, limited resources, a thickening blanket of carbon dioxide heating the planet, and a global economic development process increasingly defined by Asian models and leadership.

The conference will be held on the campus of Bard College in Annandale-on-Hudson, NY, which is easily accessible by train from New York City. Registration is \$30, and housing and meals will be provided for student participants. Meals are included for non-student registrants. The conference will begin at 4 PM on Thursday, April 16, and end at 6:30 on Friday, April 17.

To submit a paper for a panel, or a proposal for a poster presentation, please send an abstract of at least 200 words to Env-Asia@bard.edu. Undergraduate students must also include a letter of support from a professor.

For further information:

Conference Website: http://goo.gl/RzTE7i

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