As political, social and environmental issues in our community become more complex, WOHESC convened March 2-4 at the University of Oregon to empower stakeholders who are driving leadership and generating solutions for a more sustainable, just and equitable future. Over the two day conference, over 400 attendees explored the root causes to sustainability challenges and the positive actions to address them. Connections were made, students and staff from higher education institutions shared actionable takeaways, and we grew and connected around issues of equity, sustainability and development.
Attendees by Category

- Attendees: 453
- Speakers: 116
- Sponsors & Exhibitors: 27
- Community Partners: 15

Attendees by School
- Arizona State University - 1
- Bellevue College - 9
- Cascadia College - 1
- Central Oregon Community College - 9
- Central Washington University - 16
- Centralia College - 6
- Claremont School of Theology - 2
- Culver-Stockton College - 3
- Everett Community College - 1
- Evergreen State College - 12
- Highline College - 1
- Kwantlen Polytechnic University - 2
- Lane Community College - 8
- Linfield College - 3
- Northwest Indian College - 1
- Olympic College - 1
- Oregon State University - 39
- Portland Community College - 22
- Portland State University - 18
- Reed College - 17
- Seattle Central College - 6
- Seattle University - 1
- South Puget Sound Community College - 1
- South Seattle College - 9
- Southern Oregon University - 11
- Tacoma Community College - 5
- University of California, Berkeley - 1
- University of Oregon - 60
- University of Puget Sound - 3
- University of Victoria - 1
- University of Washington - 9
- Western Oregon University - 3
- Western Washington University - 27
- Whatcom Community College - 1
- Whitman College - 3
- Whitworth University - 3
- Willamette University - 13

Attendees by Location
- Washington: 143
- Oregon: 274
- Other: 36
Who Else Was There?

### Attendees by Organization (other than Universities & Colleges)

- 3Degrees
- 3P Partners, Inc
- Affiliated Engineers, Inc.
- Ankrom Moisan Architects
- Better Food Foundation
- Bora Architects
- Brew Dr Kombucha
- City of Eugene
- City of Portland
- City of Spokane
- CleanRiver Recycling Solutions
- DCI Engineers
- DXC
- Eco-Products
- Energy Trust of Oregon
- EWEB
- Factory Farming Awareness Coalition
- FFA Architecture + Interiors
- Glumac
- Greater Portland Sustainability Education Network
- Greenworks Tools
- Hacker
- Hennebery Eddy Architects
- Integrus Architecture
- La Baguette
- Lane County
- Law Office of Dan Galpern

- MACKENZIE
- Mahlum Architects
- Mortenson
- Nike, Inc.
- Ninkasi Brewing Company
- Northwest Natural
- NuScale Power, LLC
- NV5
- Oregon DEQ
- Oregon Water Futures
- PACE
- Pacific Northwest Tribal Climate Change Network
- PAE
- PeaceHealth Rides
- PLAYA
- Recology
- Root-Pike Watershed Initiative Network
- SM Watts Consulting, LLC
- SRG Partnership, Inc.
- Stillwater Energy
- Sumerra
- Swire Coca-Cola
- Systems West Engineers
- The Miller Hull Partnership
- Walsh
- Wheels
- YGH Architecture

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“Overall, I feel that WOHESC was excellent this year. I know I learned a great deal and am grateful for the effort you all put into organizing the event. Thank you for a great conference!” -2020 Attendee
This year's conference theme was root causes to sustainability challenges and positive actions to address them. The WOHESC 2020 program allowed attendees to learn, connect and strategize for the future of climate justice in higher education and examine systemic change and generate dialogue that guides and inspires action.

Keynote Terry McDonald shared ways that St. Vincent de Paul Society of Lane County is using the waste stream to solve material and human problems in our community while our day 2 keynote Dr. Jessica Black discussed Intergenerational Indigenous STEM on the Columbia River Plateau. Plenary panels ranged in topics from career paths to become a Chief Sustainability Officer, Putting Environmental Justice into Practice and Writing about Climate Change.

Breakout sessions created space for discussions about renewable energy, advancing equity and incorporating it into sustainability across the board, sustainable bike transportation, integrated design, sustainable farming, food security, sustainable food commitments, academics, engagement and so much more. This year’s conference program also offered a new student leadership track to showcase the great work that students are taking the lead on at their campuses.
Thank You 2020 Partners & Sponsors

We were thrilled with our prime location where we had plenty of room to display our product. Lots of great opportunities to connect with the right decision makers. Thank you WOHESC!!” -CleanRiver Recycling

“Attendees showed interest in our operation and that is what we were looking for.” -Swinerton Builders
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