# Sustainability Events 2020-21 UMass Amherst, the Pioneer Valley, U.S. and Worldwide

FALL 2020		
AUGUST		
August	Northeast Organic Farming Association Annual Conference – Video recordings	www.nofasummerconference.org
August	<b>UMass IPO International Student Orientation –</b> Virtual	https://www.umass.edu/ipo/iss/orient ation-schedules
Aug 20-21	MS3 Program Orientation – Virtual	
August	UMass Graduate School Orientation – Virtual	https://www.umass.edu/graduate/graduate-school-orientation-2020
SEPTEMBER		
September 9-10	8th International Conference on Sustainable Development (ICSD) 2020 – Virtual. The theme is "Creating a unified foundation for the Sustainable Development: research, practice and education"	https://ecsdev.org/conference/8 <sup>th</sup> -icsd- 2020
September 17	Forum: Institutional Food & COVID-19 – Virtual	https://www.farmtoinstitution.org/covi d-19
September 21-22	International Conference on Sustainable Development (ICSD) 2020 – Virtual. The theme is "Cross-Cutting Solutions for the Decade of Action"	http://ic-sd.org/
September 30	Sustainability Event: The Work That Reconnects  – Virtual	https://www.umass.edu/events/sustain ablity-event-work
OCTOBER	Sustainability Month!	
October 17-24	Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions (MACC) Fall Conference Week – Virtual	https://www.maccweb.org/events/EventDetails.aspx?id=1396895&group=
October 20-23	BSR Conference 2020 – Virtual	https://www.bsr.org/en/events/view/bsr-conference-2020
October 20-24	2020 8th International Conference on Sustainable Environment and Agriculture – Lisbon, Portugal and Virtual	http://www.icsea.org/
October 26-30	Verge 20 – Virtual	https://events.greenbiz.com/events/verge-conference/online/2020
October 20-22	AASHE Conference – Virtual	http://www.aashe.org/conference/
October 26	Spring 21 UMass Course Registration begins!	
Oct 30-Nov 1	Graduate Climate Conference	http://www.graduateclimateconference.com/

NOVEMBER		
November 10-12	<b>GreenBuild International Conference and Expo</b> – Virtual	https://www.greenbuildexpo.com/en/home.html
November 13-14	Princeton Energy Conference 2020: Where Will We Go From Here? Energy Implications and Futures Beyond COVID-19 - Virtual	https://puea.princeton.edu/
November 23	<b>2020 Northeast Multimodal and Transit Summit</b> - Virtual	https://centerlatino.wufoo.com/forms/multimodal-and-transit-summit-registration/
DECEMBER		
2021		
JANUARY		
Date TBC	33 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Northeast Organic Farming Association/Mass Winter Conference	https://www.nofamass.org/events/wc
January 24-27	New England Water Environment Association (NEWEA) 2021 Annual Technical Exhibition & Conference – Boston, MA	http://annualconference.newea.org/future -meetings/
FEBRUARY		
February 9-11	GreenBiz 21 – Virtual	https://events.greenbiz.com/events/greenbiz-forum/online/2021
Date TBC	MS3 Alumni Panel	
MARCH		
Date TBC	MS3 Career Retreat – Woolman Hill, Deerfield, MA	http://woolmanhill.org/ https://www.umass.edu/sustainsci/career retreat
APRIL		
Date TBC	MS3 Open House for Fall 2020 Admitted Students	
April 22	Earth Day 2021	
April 22-24	<b>SusTech 2021</b> – The 8 <sup>th</sup> Annual IEEE Conference on Technologies for Sustainability - Virtual	http://sites.ieee.org/sustech/
MAY		
Date TBC	<b>New2U Sustainable Move-Out –</b> UMass Amherst, MA	
May 7	Graduation & MS3 Commencement Event – UMass Amherst, MA	https://www.umass.edu/commencement/ ceremonies/graduate-school- commencement-ceremony/information-

graduates

### OTHER EVENTS:

School of Earth and Sustainability (SES) Events – ongoing: <a href="https://www.umass.edu/ses/upcoming-events">https://www.umass.edu/ses/upcoming-events</a>

Massachusetts Sustainable Communities & Campuses Conference 2020 Virtual Meetings: http://masustainablecommunities.com/guidelines-resources/sustainable-campuses/

Sustainable Agriculture Conferences – ongoing: <a href="https://waset.org/sustainable-agriculture-conferences">https://waset.org/sustainable-agriculture-conferences</a>

**USGBC Boston Event Calendar** - expos, conferences, classes, LEED prep, etc. <a href="https://usgbcma.org/calendar/">https://usgbcma.org/calendar/</a>

## **EPA Climate and Water calendar**

http://www2.epa.gov/climate-change-water-sector/calendar-climate-change-and-water-event [currently offline as at 1/19/17]

### **UMass Amherst Guide to Zero-Waste Events**

http://scholarworks.umass.edu/sustainableumass\_studentshowcase/21/?\_ga=2.251188614.1859728439.1494867963-268115468.1494343381

# PLAN workshops and certificates training

Check out what is available http://www.postlandfill.org/workshops-and-certifications/

Other events will be added and updated regularly!