

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	UMass IPO International Student Orientation – Virtual	https://www.umass.edu/ipo/iss/orientation-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”	<a href="https://ecsdev.org/conference/8<sup>th</sup>-icsd-2020">https://ecsdev.org/conference/8th-icsd-2020
September 17	Forum: Institutional Food & COVID-19 – Virtual	https://www.farmtoinstitution.org/covid-19
September 21-22	International Conference on Sustainable Development (ICSD) 2020 – Virtual. The theme is “ <i>Cross-Cutting Solutions for the Decade of Action</i> ”	http://ic-sd.org/
September 30	Sustainability Event: The Work That Reconnects – Virtual	https://www.umass.edu/events/sustainability-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 **GreenBuild International Conference and Expo – Virtual** <https://www.greenbuildexpo.com/en/home.html>

DECEMBER

2021

JANUARY

Date TBC **33rd 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 **SusTech 2021 – The 8th Annual IEEE Conference on Technologies for Sustainability - Virtual** <http://sites.ieee.org/sustech/>

MAY

Date TBC **New2U Sustainable Move-Out – 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: <https://www.umass.edu/ses/upcoming-events>

Massachusetts Sustainable Communities & Campuses Conference 2020 Virtual Meetings:

<http://masustainablecommunities.com/guidelines-resources/sustainable-campuses/>

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

USGBC Boston Event Calendar - expos, conferences, classes, LEED prep, etc.

<https://usgbcma.org/calendar/>

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!