Integrity of Creation Conference: Toward a Healthy Planet
Duquesne University, Power Center, Sept. 24-25, 2019

Tuesday, September 24

7:00 PM  Welcome and Introduction

7:15 PM  Plenary Presentation
  Sylvester (Jim) Gates
  Brown Theoretical Physics Director, Ford Foundation Professor of Physics, Department of Physics, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island
  Presentation Title: Challenges of ‘Anthropocenic' Policy-Making: A View From Inside A Policy-Formation Organization
  https://sites.brown.edu/sjgates/

8:30 PM  Reception

Wednesday, September 25

9:00 AM  Welcome and Introduction

9:15 AM  Plenary Presentation
  Mary Jane Angelo
  Professor of Law, Director of the Environmental and Land Use Law Program, and University Term Professor at the University of Florida Levin College of Law
  Presentation Title: Food Security, Industrialized Agriculture, and a Changing Global Climate
  https://www.law.ufl.edu/faculty/mary-jane-angelo

10:00 AM  Plenary Presentation Discussion

10:30 AM  Break

11:00 AM  Plenary Presentation
  Cynthia D. Moe-Lobeda
  Professor of Theological and Social Ethics, Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary of California, Lutheran University, Church Divinity School of the Pacific; Core Doctoral Faculty, The Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley
  Presentation Title: Hope, Radical Love, and Moral-Spiritual Power in Age of Climate Colonialism
  https://cdsp.edu/faculty/cynthia-moe-lobeda/

11:45 AM  Plenary Presentation Discussion

12:15 PM  Break
12:30 PM  Lunch & Plenary Presentation  
**Ronan Barry**  
Spiritan Identity, Faith, and Mission Officer, Spiritan Education Trust, Dublin, Ireland  
**Presentation Title:** Spiritan Global Citizenship Education Program: Preparing for the New Challenges in Our Interconnected World  
[https://www.spiritaneducation.ie/](https://www.spiritaneducation.ie/)

1:45 PM  Break

2:00 PM  Plenary Presentation  
**Aurora Sharrad**  
Director, Office of Sustainability, the University of Pittsburgh  
**Presentation Title:** Sustainability Via Patience, Persistence, & Hope  
[https://www.sustainable.pitt.edu/](https://www.sustainable.pitt.edu/)

3:00 PM  Plenary Presentation  
**Patricia De Marco**  
Forest Hills Borough Council, 2016-2020; Visiting Researcher & Writer, Carnegie Mellon University; Senior Scholar and Adjunct Faculty, Chatham University; 2017 William Freudenburg Lifetime Achievement Award; 2018 Visionary of the Year - PA Interfaith Power and Light  
**Presentation Title:** Protecting the Rights of the Living Earth  
[https://patriciademarco.com](https://patriciademarco.com)

4:00 PM  Panel Discussion: Patricia De Marco & Aurora Sharrad

5:00 PM  Dinner for Presenters

7:00 PM  Plenary Presentation  
**Thomas McQuillan**  
Director of Food Service Sales and Sustainability, Baldor Specialty Foods, Inc., the Bronx, New York  
**Presentation Title:** The Food Asset Potential, Changing Cultural Norms to Reduce the Amount of Food We Waste  
[https://www.baldorfood.com/green](https://www.baldorfood.com/green)

8:30 PM  Reception

Close of Conference