



Sustainability Perspectives

Climate Change and Sports

Dr. Sandra Steingraber, environmental toxicologist, activist, and author of *“Living Downstream”*, will explore how the climate crisis is threatening the future of sports itself and will examine how sports figures are emerging as leaders in the climate justice movement around the world. Of particular interest: exposure to air pollution from fossil fuel combustion and its effects on athletic performance; the rising incidence of heat stroke in outdoor sports, such as football, long-distance running, and cricket; the leadership role that surfers, skiers, and snowboarders are playing in the fight for a renewable energy future; and the ways in which sports psychology can serve as useful tool in overcoming fear and anxiety about climate change. The talk presents opportunities for engagement by college athletes. *Photo credit: www.lurakozlowski.com*



Monday, September 21, 2020 ~ 12:30 – 1:30PM
Online: **Zoom** 865 5163 1102 *Passcode: 974110*

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The series explores the concept of ‘sustainability’ from a variety of viewpoints.

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