

# SUSTAINABILITY SYMPOSIUM APRIL 17. 2020 10:00 A.M. - 6:30 P.M. A CALL FOR ACTION PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE CASCADE CAMPUS

# **Sponsorship Overview**

The Greater Portland Sustainability Education Network, Portland Community College, and community partners are co-hosting our third annual Sustainability Symposium at Portland Community College Cascade, highlighting cutting-edge academic and community research and programs focused on sustainability across our region and beyond.

Our 2019 event convened nearly 150 people with topics ranging from innovative public/private partnerships and corporate sustainability best practices to Portland's Clean Energy Fund, indigenous ecological practices, and the U.N.'s international women's empowerment efforts. We look forward to growing our attendance and reach in 2020.

The 2020 Sustainability Symposium theme is "A Call For Action" and will bring together community organizations, faculty, students, and government and business leaders to discuss ways in which we can individually and collectively take action to address the most pressing sustainability issues of our time. Join us in learning about and celebrating the amazing sustainability work in our region and beyond.

Our generous sponsors allow us to provide access to a meaningful experience for all who attend. Please read more about how you and your organization can become a sponsor and participate in collaboration, diversity, innovative problem-solving, and how to help achieve a sustainable future.

#### Who Attends?

Our Sustainability Symposium brings together a wide array of organizations and individuals working on sustainability projects and solutions, including representatives from schools and higher education institutions; non-profits; government representatives; business leaders; and community members.

## Why Sponsor?

- Share in efforts to advance sustainability in your region
- Gain recognition for participating in conversations on important sustainability topics
- \* Take the opportunity to present on issues important to your organization
- Connect with professionals and potential employees or interns who are passionate about sustainability

#### **About GPSEN**

As a United Nations University-recognized Regional Center of Expertise on Education for Sustainable Development, GPSEN connects diverse organizations in a collaborative network that multiplies our collective capacity to educate, empower, and engage each other to help create a healthy, just, and thriving region where education for sustainability is prioritized and integrated across sectors and everyone has opportunities to shape a sustainable future.

# **Sponsorship Details**

### Presenting Sponsor-\$2,500 and up

- Prominent recognition as a "presenting sponsor"
- Company logo and website link on our website, promotional material, and event program
- Introduction and speaking time from the stage
- Display table for brochures and information
- 6 reserved seats

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- Introduction and recognition from the stage
- Display table for brochures and information
- 3 reserved seats

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- Introduction and recognition from the stage
- Display table for brochures and information
- 1 reserved seat

#### **Exhibitors**

Private Businesses - \$100-\$250

# Non-profits - \$75-\$99

- Display table for brochures and exhibit
- 1 ticket to event

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For questions, please contact Kim Smith at kdsmith@pcc.edu.

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