The 2020 President’s Lecture Series

For the first time, SSCL will present one of its courses online this Fall. This new venture begins with a course study on UNESCO’s 2015 Agenda for Sustainable Development that sets forth a bold new framework for development cooperation.

This agenda aspires to ensure prosperity and well-being for all, while protecting our planet and strengthening foundations for peace. The Sustainable Development Goals represent the most universal, ambitious and comprehensive agenda ever seen.

University President Peter Stoicheff has chosen Sustainability as an overall theme for his tenure and as the focus of his President’s Lecture Series this year. President Stoicheff will deliver the keynote address followed in subsequent weeks by other eminent faculty.

To commemorate our first online delivery SSCL is offering this series free of charge to paid members. Annual SSCL membership is $5 and is open to anyone 55 years of age and over.

Registration Period: August 14, 2020, 12:05 pm to September 2, 2020, 5:00 pm

- Saskatoon Seniors Continued Learning Inc. (SSCL), in cooperation with the President’s Office and the College of Arts and Science, University of Saskatchewan, is offering a special online course to people 55 years of age or more who are paid members of SSCL.
- The 2020 Seventh President’s Lecture Series will be delivered online through ZOOM technology.
- SSCL website: sscl.usask.ca

➢ The President’s Lecture Series will commence on September 9, 2020.
➢ There is no charge for this course, but registration is required.
➢ All registration is ONLINE.
➢ Registration for the 2020 President’s Lecture Series will open on August 14, 2020.
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ONLINE COURSE PROCESS AND INSTRUCTIONS

The following outlines the requirements for those wishing to attend the PLS or any other Online course.

Requirements to Attend

- You must have an email address exclusively for your use in Amilia so you can be sent your Zoom log-in information.

- Only one connection to the course will be permitted per email address. You must not share your log-in information with others.

- Members wishing to attend the course and who have previously elected to share the same email address on Amilia should update their Amilia profile with an email address that is exclusively for their use. Doing this will allow them to receive the log-in information to the course.

- You must have access to a desktop or laptop computer, or other communication device such as a tablet or iPad, or a smart phone that is compatible with Zoom. If you have not used Zoom you should review Zoom compatibility requirements and test your computer or other device before the meeting. Reference https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us.

- You must register for the course as outlined in the “The Registration Process” below.
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THE REGISTRATION PROCESS

FOR THE

PRESIDENT’S LECTURE SERIES AND OTHER ONLINE COURSES

1. All registration is ONLINE through Amilia’s registration system. You will access SSCL’s store on Amilia through the “online registration” link on SSCL’s website at the University of Saskatchewan, sscl.usask.ca. Course information will be available on the SSCL website and on Amilia by August 7, 2020, but registration will not be available until Friday, August 14, 2020, at 12:05 pm.

2. To be eligible to register for the President’s Lecture Series or for any other SSCL course, you must have a current membership that has been renewed since June 30, 2020.

3. If you have never registered for an SSCL course before, to save time on registration day you may open an Amilia account any time prior to registration day. Your membership fee to SSCL will be charged to you when you register for your first course.

4. There is no course enrolment limit for the 2020 President’s Lecture Series.
The 2020 President’s Online Lecture Series

Lectures will take place on Wednesday afternoons at 1:30 pm, commencing on Wednesday, September 9, 2020. Each Lecture will address one of UNESCO’s Sustainability Development Goals (SDGs).

NOTE: The following list and schedule of lecturers is preliminary and may be subject to change because of University teaching assignments or other circumstances.

Wednesday, September 9, 2020

2:00 pm  Introduction and ZOOM Instructions
          SSCL Host

2:30 pm  Keynote Lecture
          Dr. Peter Stoicheff, BA, MA, PhD
          President, University of Saskatchewan.

Wednesday, September 16, 2020

1:30 pm  Zero Hunger
          Dr. Carol Henry, BSc, MSc, PhD
          Assistant Dean, Nutrition Division, College of Pharmacy
          and Nutrition, University of Saskatchewan.

1:30 pm  Reducing Inequality
          Dr. Ken Coates, BA, MA, PhD
          Professor and Canada Research Chair in Regional Innovation,
          Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy, Fellow, Royal Society of Canada,
          University of Saskatchewan.
Wednesday, September 23, 2020

1:30 pm  Responsible Consumption & Production
          Angela Gardiner, BEng, MEng
          General Manager of Utilities and Environment Department, City of Saskatoon.

2:30 pm  Gender Equality
          Dr. Peggy Schmeiser, BSc, BA (Hon), MA, MA, PhD
          Assistant Professor, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy, Associate Director of the Centre for the Study of Science and Innovation Policy (CSIP), project lead for CSIP’s current Women in Science initiatives, University of Saskatchewan.

Wednesday, September 30, 2020

1:30 pm  Clean Water & Sanitation
          Dr. Lori Bradford, PhD
          Assistant Professor, School of Environment and Sustainability, University of Saskatchewan.

2:30 pm  Affordable & Clean Energy
          Dr. C.Y. (Tony) Chung, BEng (Hons), PhD, FIEEE, FIET
          NSERC/SaskPower Senior Industrial Research Chair in Smart Grid Technologies & Professor, Electrical and Computer Engineering, SaskPower Chair in Power Systems Engineering in Smart Grid Technologies, and the SaskPower Chair in Power Systems Engineering in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Saskatchewan.
Wednesday, October 7, 2020

1:30 pm  Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure
Dr. Jerome Konecsni, BA, BEd, MA, PhD (HC)
Executive-in-Residence, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy, University of Saskatchewan.

2:30 pm  Peace, Justice, & Strong Institutions
Dr. Murray Fulton, BA, BSA, MSc, PhD
Director and Professor, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy, University of Saskatchewan; Co-operative Retailing System Chair in Co-operative Governance; Fellow in Co-operatives and Public Policy, Centre for the Study of Co-operatives.

Wednesday, October 14, 2020

1:30 pm  Good Health & Well-Being
Dr. Nazeem Muhajarine, BA, MSc, PhD
Professor, Community Health & Epidemiology, College of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan.

2:30 pm  Sustainable Cities & Communities
Dr. Robert Patrick, BA, BA, MA, PhD
Associate Professor and Faculty Member in Geography and Planning, College of Arts and Science, University of Saskatchewan.
Wednesday, October 21, 2020

1:30 pm  Quality Education  Dr. Michelle Prytula, BComm, BEd, MEd, PhD
Dean and Professor of Education
University of Saskatchewan.

2:30 pm  Life Below Water  Dr. Charles Trick, BSc, MSc, PhD, Post-Doc
Distinguished Research Professor (Western University);
Professor Emeritus (Western University); Professor, Biology,
USask and Distinguished Ocean Star Faculty Fellow, Second
Institute of Oceanography, Xiamen, China.

Wednesday, October 28, 2020

1:30 pm  Life on Land  Dr. Christy Morrissey, BSc, PhD
Professor, School of Environment and Sustainability
Professor, Biology, College of Arts and Science Member,
Toxicology Centre.

2:30 pm  Decent Work & Economic Growth  Dr. Marc-André Pigeon, BA, MA, PhD
Assistant Professor, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School
of Public Policy, Director and Strategic Research Fellow,
Canadian Centre for the Study of Co-operatives,
University of Saskatchewan.
Wednesday, November 4, 2020

1:30 pm   Climate Action   Dr. Margot Hurlbert, BAdmin, LLB, LLM, PhD

Canada Research Chair in Climate Change, Energy and Sustainability Policy; Professor, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy, University of Regina.

2:30 pm   Partnerships for the Goals   Dr. Meghna Ramaswamy, BSc, MSc, PhD

Director, International Office of the University of Saskatchewan, Executive Committee member of the Commission of International Initiatives (CII) at the Association of Public Land Universities (APLU), and as a Steering Committee Member of the International Relations (IR) Learning Community (PLC) at the Canadian Bureau of International Education (CBIE).

Wednesday, November 11, 2020

Remembrance Day

There are no sessions on Remembrance Day

Wednesday, November 18, 2020

1:30 pm   No Poverty   Colleen Christopherson-Cote, BSc, BEd, MSc (ABD)

Community Partnership Facilitator at Saskatoon Poverty Reduction Partnership and Community Advisory Team Lead and Co-Lead for the Evaluation Working Group for the 2nd Phase of the Pan-Cnadian (SSHRC Funded) Research Project CFICE (Community First! Impacts of Community Engagement)

2:30 pm   Summation   Dr. Irena Creed, BSc, MSc, PhD

Associate Vice President, Research, University of Saskatchewan.