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# **MARCH 11, WEBINAR:** CONNECTING HEALTH THROUGH IMPACTFUL STORYTELLING

**APRIL 8, 20TH GLOBAL HEALTH SYMPOSIUM:** WHY GLOBAL HEALTH NETWORKS MATTER

**APRIL 8-9, DAY OF THE BADGER** 

ONE WEEK AWAY: GHI'S MARCH 11 WEBINAR, "CONNECTING HEALTH THROUGH IMPACTFUL STORYTELLING"



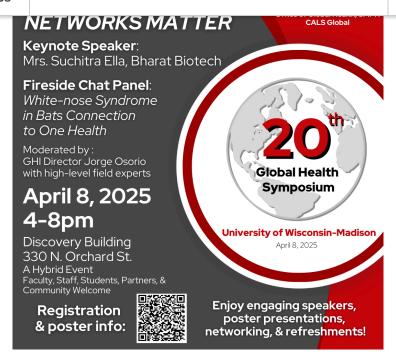


We welcome you to join us for the Global Health Institute's Global Health Webinar on **Tuesday, March 11, 2025, from 10-11am (CST)**, when Sara McKinnon, Professor of Rhetoric, Politics & Culture, Communication Arts; and Faculty Director, LACIS, UW–Madison, moderates a timely conversation on *Connecting Health Through Impactful Storytelling*.

McKinnon leads the discussion with Riley Ray Griffin, Technology Reporter, *Bloomberg News*; Apoorva Manavilli, Science & Global Health Reporter, *The New York Times*; and Jamie Hansen, Communications Manager, Stanford Center for Innovation in Global Health.

Click here to learn more. If interested, click here to register on Zoom.

2025 GLOBAL HEALTH SYMPOSIUM APRIL 8, 4-8PM POSTER ABSTRACTS DUE: MARCH 17



Mark your calendars for **Tuesday, April 8th, from 4-8pm**, as UW–Madison's <u>Global Health Institute</u> (GHI), <u>Office of Global Health in the School of Medicine and Public Health</u>, and <u>CALS Global</u> invite you to attend the 20th Global Health Symposium: <u>Why Global Health Networks Matter</u>. The event will take place at the Discovery Building, 330 N. Orchard Street, and features keynote speaker, Mrs. Suchitra Ella from Bharat Biotech, posters from across campus showcasing global health projects, and a fireside chat panel discussing, **White-nose Syndrome in Bats Connection to One Health**.

All are welcome to attend this free event, but registration is required. Visit the <u>GHI website</u> for info, registration, and poster abstract application (**due March 17th**).

# SAVE THE DATE: DAY OF THE BADGER APRIL 8-9





Mark your calendar for **April 8-9**, when Day of the Badger returns. Your support advances the Wisconsin Idea in Global Action for all Badgers and all people. Be one who gives. Be one with Wisconsin! Click here to learn more.

# MARK YOUR CALENDAR



### **MARCH**





Learn about Fulbright & Fulbright-Hays programs for teaching English, research, and creative projects abroad. In-person and virtual events are open to students, faculty, staff, and alumni.

March 3-7, 2025

**SCAN ME** 

Connect with current Fulbright recipients, past recipients, and Fulbright and commission staff to learn more, explore your options, and prepare for your Fulbright future!





**NOW THRU FRIDAY:** Fulbright Week 2025 will take place at UW–Madison the week of **March 3-7**. There will be a mix of both in-person and virtual events where interested students, alumni, faculty, and staff can learn more about the many Fulbright and Fulbright-Hays programs available as well as connect with current Fulbrighters, past recipients, and Fulbright and commission staff. Click here to learn more.

TODAY: Women's Voices in Climate Change Activism in Colombia's Public Sphere: TODAY, March 4, from 12-1pm, join this installment of the LACIS Lunchtime Lecture Series from the Latin American, Caribbean and Iberian Studies Program. Presenter Dr. Adriana Angel is currently teaching at UW–Madison as a Tinker Visiting Professor of Communication for the Spring 2025 semester. The talk, focused on three of the most prominent environmental activists in Colombia—Vice President Francia Márquez, Congresswoman Isabel Cristina Zuleta, and Minister of the Environment Susana Muhamad — will explore how activist discourses of climate change and environmental justice in Colombia construct contesting ontologies of environmental protection and social change within the Colombian public sphere. Click here to learn more and register on Zoom.

**TODAY:** Mark your calendar for a Wisconsin in Washington (WiW) Program information session. WiW will host three information sessions this Spring so students may learn more about the WiW program, including interning in Washington DC, completing classwork in domestic & international issues, and connecting with UW alumni & professionals. This is the

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Internship Program here.



**TODAY:** The Wisconsin Center for Education Research (WCER) in collaboration with the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI) is proud to announce today the 10th anniversary of the Field Day Lab. This milestone event will be celebrated at UW–Madison's Memorial Union **TODAY, March 4, from 4:30 to 6pm**. Since its inception, Field Day Lab, an award-winning game studio and research lab, has been a pioneering effort in educational outreach, leveraging the power of video games to enhance learning experiences. Developed by a dedicated team within WCER, in partnership with educators across the state and researchers across UW–Madison, these learning games are now used by thousands of students daily and millions annually. Click here to learn more and RSVP.





# **Summer Study Abroad**

Sustainability and community health in Ecuador

# A Global Health Field **Experience**

- Participate in service-based learning
- Learn about water quality & community health
- Study water-related diseases
- Visit local health clinics
- Explore Ecuador from the Andes to the Amazon

# **Application Deadline March 7, 2025**

- 2 credits: UW Nutritional Sciences 421
- Summer term: May 25 -June 8, 2025

**Register for the Info** Session Below!

# Virtual Information / **Q&A** Session

Tuesday, March 4 at 5:00 pm CST



Email: courses@ceiba.org



Website: https://ceiba.org/study-abroad/water-for-life/



Zoom: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/pwgXL8b7TqqHLPtLlacIVA





TODAY: The Ceiba Foundation for Tropical Conservation is hosting their last informational session \*virtual only\* TODAY, March 4, at 5pm. Program instructor Dr. Mauricio Lascano will answer any questions about the program. Application deadline is this Friday, March 7! Click here to learn more. If interested, register for the info session with the QR code provided.





**5:** The Duke Global Health Institute hosts it's Think Global panel, *Fighting a Hidden Pandemic: Strategies to Prevent Antimicrobial Resistance in Low-Resource Settings*, **TOMORROW**, **March 5**, **from 11am-12pm CST**. They will explore the root causes of antimicrobial resistance, as well as the tools and strategies that can be deployed to prevent it, especially in low-income settings. <u>Click here to learn more and register on Zoom</u>.

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# International Women's Day Still We Rise



Saturday, March 8, 2025 · 10 am to 4pm CST Christ Presbyterian Church · 944 E Gorham St, Madiso Register at https://africaideiwd2025.eventbrite.com Free to Attend!

**Keynote Speaker** 



Lilada Gee Founder of Black Women Heal, Host of Defending Black Girlhood

**Podcast** 

**Hosted By** 



**Emilie Songolo** Founder & President, AFRICaide **Head of Distinctive Collections** at MIT Libraries



Lori DiPrete Brown Director, 4W Women and Wellbeing Initiative at UW-Madison

- Local Vendors and Exhibitors at the Global Marketplace
- **ALSO** Live streaming from 10am to 12pm
- FEATURING Trailblazer Awards · Lunch · Music and Dance · Grounding Exercise
  - Health & Well-being Panel Discussion

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8: Join and invite your friends, family and co-workers to the eleventh annual International Women's Day organized by AFRICaide and the 4W (Women & Wellbeing in Wisconsin & the World) Initiative on Saturday, March 8, from 10am to 4pm. GHI Advisory Committee Member Lori DiPrete Brown, Director, 4W, will be co-hosting this event. Click here to register for free tickets.

timely discussion on impactful health storytelling with panelists Riley Ray Griffin, *Bloomberg News*; Apoorva Mandavilli, *The New York Times*; and Jamie Hansen, Stanford University (see story above for more info).

# RENEWABLE ENERGY POLICY

# Challenges, Controversies, and the Path Forward



13: Renewable Energy Policy: Challenges, Controversies, and the Path Forward: *A Sustainable Success Lecture*. On **Thursday, March 13, from 5:15-6:15pm**, join the Nelson Institute for Environmental Studies as they welcome JP Brummond, vice president of Alliant Energy, and Brett Korte, staff attorney at Clean Wisconsin, for a panel discussion and audience Q & A. Click here to learn more and register.

17: Shaping the Future of Women's Health: Insights and Innovations: On Monday, March 17, from 7-8pm (CST), the Morgridge Institute for Research invites you to their Fearless Science Speaker Series panel discussion on women's health, focusing on discovery, prevention, and access to care. Experts will share groundbreaking research on the link between certain viral infections and gynecological cancers, present innovative approaches to identifying and preventing preterm birth, and explore how access and social factors influence health outcomes. The panel includes Morgridge Institute Investigators Dr. Melissa Skala and Dr. Megan Spurgeon, and UW–Madison Associate Professor Dr. Noelle LoConte. Reception to follow. A virtual broadcast will also be available. Click here to learn more and register.

19-20: This year's Data Science Research Bazaar—AI and ML in Research: Navigating Opportunities and Boundaries—will explore the potential and limitations of AI and ML in research. It will take place **Wednesday and Thursday, March** 19-20, at the Discovery Building. Presentations will also highlight fundamental and applied data science across research fields and industries. The Research Bazaar is open to UW–Madison and the wider community. Click here to register by March 12.

## **APRIL**

SPRING SPOTLIGHT

THE ART OF NEGOTIATION WITH

# LINDA THOMAS-GREENFIELD

Former Ambassador to the UN

April 1, 7 p.m.

Memorial Union

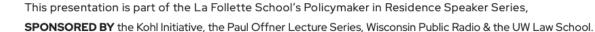
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Register and submit a question for Ambassador Thomas-Greenfield at

GO.WISC.EDU/GREENFIELD

Ambassador Thomas-Greenfield will share policy insights and lessons in negotiation and compromise in policymaking from her 40+ years in the Foreign Service.





1: Join the UW-Madison La Follette School of Public Affairs on **Tuesday, April 1 at 7pm** for a presentation from Linda Thomas-Greenfield on <u>The Art of Negotiation</u>. In a moderated conversation with La Follette School Director <u>Susan Webb Yackee</u>, Ambassador Thomas-Greenfield will share policy insights and evidence-based solutions from her 40-plus years in the Foreign Service. This event is open to the public and available in person at Memorial Union in Madison. <u>Click here to learn more and register</u>.

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Learning Center (HSLC) for science, giveaways, Bucky, Babcock ice cream, and more. The event is free and open to all ages, and no registration is required. Join for special movie screenings and expert speaker panels. Click here to learn more.

- 7: The Wisconsin Idea Conference is a one-day event on **Monday, April 7, from 8:30am-4:30pm**, that brings together academics, service providers, community leaders, students, and others interested in fostering partnerships that advance meaningful impacts within the community and state. This year's conference will focus on the concept of *Exchange* together, attendees explore ways to collaborate for positive change in nearby communities and across the state, build new relationships, and exchange ideas and resources to innovate solutions for the challenges facing nearby communities. Click here to learn more. If interested, click here to register.
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- **8-9:** Join the University of Wisconsin Organic Collaborative for Harvest of Ideas 2.0 "Organics as a Solution to Global Challenges" at the Pyle Center on **Tuesday and Wednesday, April 8-9**. This event will bring together domestic and international researchers, farmers, and policy experts to discuss ways to advance organic priorities. Click here to learn more.
- **10-12:** The 2025 WGSC Spring Conference, "*Embodying Feminism: Calling In, Calling Out, Calling to Action*" will take place in-person on **Thursday to Saturday, April 10-12**. Join for a keynote and several concurrent sessions with high-level panelists. Click here to learn more.
- **16:** Mark your calendar for a Wisconsin in Washington (WiW) Program information session. Students may learn more about the WiW Program, including interning in Washington DC, completing classwork in domestic & international issues, and connecting with UW alumni & professionals. It will take place on **Wednesday, April 16, 10-11am**, at the Study Abroad Resource Center, 3rd Floor of the Red Gym. <u>Registration</u> is encouraged, but not required (NetID required). <u>Find more information on the WiW Internship Program here</u>.
- **21-29:** Save the date for Earth Fest, **April 21-29**. Earth Fest at the University of Wisconsin–Madison will bring together all things environment and sustainability and unite our campus over the one resource and interest we all share: our world. Earth Fest is for all members of the Badger community: from students to alumni, faculty to friends, and seasoned experts to future Badgers. Click here for more info.



22: The first annual UW-Madison Cannabis Research Conference, "From Seed to Society: Cultivating Connections," is on Tuesday, April 22, 2025, 9:00am – 5:00pm, at Union South. This inaugural event is presented by the UW College of Agricultural and Life Sciences, School of Human Ecology, School of Pharmacy, Center for Tobacco Research and Intervention, and Global Health Institute. The UW-Madison Cannabis Conference is a dynamic, multi-disciplinary event aimed at expanding awareness, fostering knowledge exchange, and bridging gaps in cannabis research, education, and policy. Featuring four key sessions—Health & Medicine, Agriculture, Business & Design, and Policy & Regulation—the conference brings together experts, industry leaders and policymakers to explore the latest developments in marijuana and industrial hemp. Please see the website for information about speakers and themes. Registration is free and open to UW-Madison faculty, staff, and researchers passionate about or working in the rapidly evolving cannabis landscape.

**23-24:** The theme for the 7<sup>th</sup> convening and two day, in-person, *Our City of Nations* conference at the <u>Milwaukee School of Engineering</u> on **Wednesday and Thursday, April 23-24**, is *Stronger Together: 10 Years of OCON and an Eye on the Future.* Conference registration and active participation requests are now open. <u>Click here to register</u>.

25: The 2025 UW-Madison Undergraduate Symposium will be held from 9:30am to 4:15pm on Friday, April 25, at Union South. The annual Undergraduate Symposium showcases undergraduate creativity, achievement, research, service-learning, and community-based research from all areas of study at UW-Madison including the humanities, arts, biological sciences, physical sciences, social sciences, and computer data and information sciences. Click here to learn more.

# **DEADLINES**











# Looking for a summer "job" to earn money and build your resume?

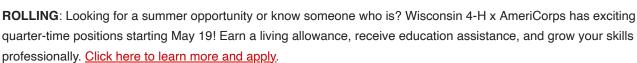


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# Call for Art by Student Survivors Pieces that represent your experience(s) of survivorship A variety of mediums New or previously created art Output Bowisc.edu/SAAMart

7: University Health Services (UHS) invites student survivors to submit artwork for a gallery of survivor art in support of Sexual Assault Awareness Month. This April, <u>UHS Survivor Services</u> and <u>Violence Prevention</u> will host <u>Connect & Reflect</u>, a series of events and spaces for survivors of sexual violence and allies. The "Reflect" exhibit will be hosted from April 1-30, with plans to feature student survivor art, a historical review of significant moments in campus sexual assault activism over the last 50 years, and opportunities for student engagement to inform sexual violence work on our campus. Students are welcome to submit any pieces that represent their experience(s) of survivorship. We welcome artwork created specifically for this exhibit and/or previously created art. For more information and to indicate interest in submitting artwork, please complete <u>this online form</u> by **Friday, March 7**.

- 7: Deadline to submit applications to CEIBA's Water for Life: Sustainability & Community Health Program is **Friday**, **March 7**. Through the Water for Life program, students will spend two weeks in Ecuador studying the impact of land management practices on water quality, engaging in community-based water quality monitoring, and exploring the epidemiology of waterborne pathogens affecting human health in rural communities. Click here to learn more and apply.
- 7: Deadline to submit poster proposals to Showcase 2025 is **Friday, March 7**. The Office of Strategic Consulting's annual Showcase event will take place on Thursday, April 17, and is designed to foster a culture of continuous improvement and organizational excellence at UW–Madison. It offers an opportunity for colleagues from across campus to share best practices, learn from each other's successes, and connect. If your school, college, division, or unit has implemented an improvement, innovation, or best practice over the past year, they invite you to share your success story by submitting a proposal to exhibit a poster at Showcase 2025. Click here to learn more and apply.
- **14:** Deadline to apply for the Washington (WiW) Fall 2025 Program is **Friday, March 14.** WiW will host three information sessions this Spring so students may learn more about the WiW Program, including interning in Washington DC, completing classwork in domestic & international issues, and connecting with UW alumni & professionals (see dates in

15: Deadline to submit applications to the 2025 Intensive Summer Multilanguage Seminar (MULTI) is Saturday, March

**15**. The Intensive Summer Multilanguage Seminar supports students to engage in online, performance-based self-instructional language study of a less commonly taught language (LCTL). Interested students should contact the <u>Wisconsin Intensive Summer Language Institutes</u> program office (<u>multilanguage@lpo.wisc.edu</u>) as soon as possible to determine their eligibility. <u>Click here to learn more</u>. If interested, <u>click here to apply</u>.



**16:** Deadline to submit applications to the 2025 Undergraduate Symposium is **Sunday, March 16**. Open to all undergraduates, the symposium provides the opportunity for students to present their work in a professional setting. It also provides students with practical experience in public speaking and presentation skills. Additionally, it serves as a forum for campus and community members to learn about and engage with undergraduate work. Click here to learn more and submit your application.

# Check your email for a link to the survey.

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# TAKE THE HEALTHY MINDS SURVEY BY MARCH 17.

Complete the survey to be entered into a drawing to win a Wiscard deposit:
400 students will receive \$10, and 10 students will receive \$200.

uhs.wisc.edu/healthyminds

17: Students: Check your email for a link to participate in the Healthy Minds Survey, a survey on student mental health on campus. Survey responses will be used to guide policies to encourage a healthy, safe environment on campus. The survey will take approximately 30 minutes to complete and will ask questions about mental health, sleep habits, alcohol consumption, sexual violence, and other topics. All responses are confidential. Students who complete the survey will be entered into a drawing: 400 students will receive \$10 on their Wiscard, and 10 students will receive \$200 on their Wiscard. Responses are due by Monday, March 17. Click here to learn more.

17: The UW-Madison Global Health Institute (GHI), Office of Global Health in the School of Medicine and Public Health (SMPH), and CALS Global in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (CALS) are accepting abstracts for poster presentations for the 20th Global Health Symposium: *Why Global Health Networks Matter*. UW-Madison faculty, clinicians, staff, students, and partners who are addressing global health and disease in their respective fields and research are invited to submit a poster abstract and present their work. From basic research to education to applied projects in the field, the symposium hopes to showcase the full spectrum of UW-Madison's global health activity. Presentations from all disciplines are encouraged—from arts, agriculture and business, to education, engineering, humanities, to all the health sciences, and more (see story above). Poster abstract submissions are DUE by 11:59 p.m., Monday, March 17, 2025. Click here for info to submit.

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# Pulitzer Center Reporting Fellowship



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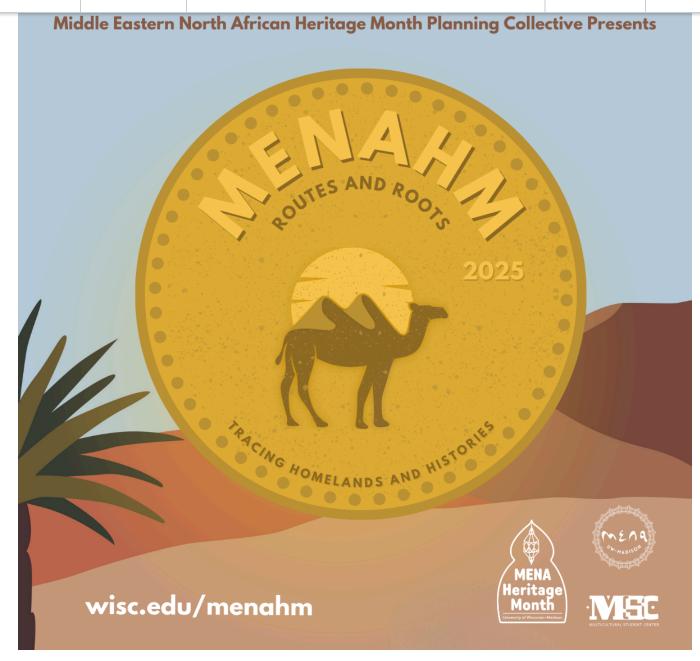
21: Applications to the Pulitzer Center Reporting Fellowship are due Friday, March 21. Click here to learn more and apply.

## **APRIL**

30: Applications for the UW Distinguished Research Fellows Program are open now through Wednesday, April 30. The UW Distinguished Research Fellows Program is designed to support outstanding postdoctoral trainees in interdisciplinary research areas related to RISE-AI, RISE-THRIVE, and RISE-EARTH. The intent of this program is to support exceptional emerging scholars in collaborative research that spans two distinct units (schools, colleges and centers) at UW-Madison, and which synergizes distinct disciplinary approaches. Click here to learn more and apply.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT





- + Celebrating Middle Eastern North African (MENA) Heritage Month: This March, join the Middle Eastern North African Heritage Month Planning Collective for some exciting events that embody the spirit of MENA cultures and celebrates the paths and traditions that continue to shape the identity of MENA students across campus. Click here to learn more.
- + ICYMI: From *UW–Madison's Institute on Aging*: "Having emotionally supportive and caring relationships may make it easier to deal with stress, which may reduce stress eating as a response and prevent weight gain." Click here for the full story.
- + ICYMI: From *Wisconsin Public Radio*: "Jo Handelsman previously served as a science advisor to President Barack Obama as the associate director for science at the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy. Now, as the director of the <u>Wisconsin Institute for Discovery</u>, Handelsman has been keeping a close eye on how federal funding cuts would affect medical research at her institute and <u>UW-Madison as a whole</u>. "This is just a travesty to biomedical research at the most basic, fundamental level, (and to) the applications that people are counting on," Handelsman said in an interview with WPR's <u>Wisconsin Today</u>." Click here for the full story.

Project (VHP) has been ensuring access to clean water for people living in villages across Uganda. Now, as VHP celebrates its 20<sup>th</sup> year, a group of undergraduate students is helping to continue the organization's work. They secured a \$5,000 Knapp Bequest award to install six new water tanks in the villages of Lweza and Kanganda in Mukono, Uganda." Click here for the full story.

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The Global Health Institute sends Tuesday updates to let you know about GHI and campus events and opportunities that foster deeper understanding of the complex determinants of health and disease for people, animals and ecosystems. To submit global health related events or reading suggestions in GHI's Events+, send them to <a href="mailto:communications@ghi.wisc.edu">communications@ghi.wisc.edu</a> by noon on Fridays.

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