



THE ECOLOGY OF FOOD SYSTEMS

Engaging Interdisciplinary and Applied Education for a Just and Sustainable Agriculture



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 University of California Santa Cruz
CENTER FOR AGROECOLOGY AND SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS (CASFS)
 with field trips to regional sustainable agriculture education projects

The conference invites participants from across the agriculture and food system who are engaged in adult education: students, teachers and independent scholars; farmers, cooks, and community organizers; professionals in health, business, the arts, law, and the media. Participants will represent colleges, universities, farmer training organizations, and a range of professional and civil society organizations.

To encourage flexible and interactive learning, the format will be highly participant-driven, featuring Open-Space sessions, workshops, panel discussions, and diverse presentations.

This year's theme highlights the growing demand for inclusive and critical approaches to sustainable agriculture and food education at the post-secondary level. SAEA has a strong tradition of focusing on interdisciplinary and experiential learning from a systems thinking perspective.

The conference will focus on social justice and equity oriented educational programming and activities within the broader field of food systems.



For more info on conference details: sustainableaged.org
 Have questions? contact: saea2016conference@ucsc.edu

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