Sustainability and Museum Visitors: Exhibits, Programs, and Other Ways to Engage the Public

Online Workshop Summary of Resources
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ONLINE WORKSHOP RECORDING

- https://vimeo.com/395470831 (Vimeo)

NISE NETWORK SUSTAINABILITY RESOURCES

- **NISE Network Sustainability Resources**: https://www.nisenet.org/sustainability
- **NISE Network 50th Anniversary Earth Day page**: https://www.nisenet.org/earth50
- **NISE Network Sustainable Futures Programs & Activities:** https://www.nisenet.org/sustainable-futures
- **Why sustainability?** Why is sustainability important at museums? Use this resource to communicate to others why sustainability can be a beneficial priority for your organization. https://www.nisenet.org/catalog/sustainability-science-technology-museums-resources
- **Sustainability Conversation Guide.** Interested in sustainability but not sure where to start with your organization? Use this discussion guide to get the ball rolling. https://www.nisenet.org/catalog/sustainability-science-technology-museums-professional-development-resources
- **Sustainability Effort Planning Table**. This planning guide can help you organize future ideas for sustainability and ongoing sustainability ideas. https://www.nisenet.org/catalog/sustainability-science-technology-museums-professional-development-resources
- **Sustainable Development Goals Worksheet and Training Guide**. Use this activity to identify existing efforts and brainstorm future efforts for sustainability at your organization. https://www.nisenet.org/sites/default/files/catalog/uploads/sdg_brainstorm_training_guide_2019-12-30.docx and https://www.nisenet.org/sites/default/files/catalog/uploads/sdg_brainstorm_worksheet_2019-12-30.docx

- **Cards for Humanity and Training Guide**. Use this activity to learn about the Sustainable Develop Goals and ways that different parts of your organization can contribute to sustainability.
https://www.nisenet.org/sites/default/files/catalog/uploads/cards_for_humanity_6up_card_deck_0.pdf
https://www.nisenet.org/sites/default/files/catalog/uploads/cards_for_humanity_training_guide.pdf
- Looking for more information about the **UN Sustainable Development Goals**? Visit the SDG website (https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/sdgs) or watch this video (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3WODX8fyRHA). **The Good Life Goals** website (https://www.goodlifegoals.org/) makes the SDGs accessible to broader audiences.
- Learn about different **skill sets and ways of thinking** for sustainability: https://sse.asu.edu/ways-of-thinking/

NISE NETWORK PARTNER RESOURCES

- **Children's Museum of New Hampshire - Resources for developing outdoor guides:** https://www.wildlife.state.nh.us/pubs/kids.html
- **Museum of Pop Culture's sustainability film series:**
  - General information: https://www.mopop.org/movies
  - Blog post about the climate movement: https://www.mopop.org/about-mopop/the-mopop-blog/posts/2019/september/the-time-is-now/
- **MOTE Marine Laboratory & Aquarium's SEA Show (recorded sessions):**
  - Invertebrates: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=avAYdxUjOMg
  - Reptiles: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AstXFsJ8sT8
  - General information: https://mote.org/education/seatrek
  - MOTE's Flipgrid page: https://flipgrid.com/seatrek
- **Association of Zoos and Aquariums Green Guides Volumes 1 & 2.** These guides can help you create and implement a sustainability plan for your organization.
  - https://assets.speakcdn.com/assets/2332/aza_green_guide_volume_1.pdf
  - https://assets.speakcdn.com/assets/2332/aza_green_guide_volume_2.pdf

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