

# MCLA's spring semester Green Living Seminar



## Sustainable Food and Farming

Thursdays at 5:30 p.m.

Feigenbaum Center for Science and Innovation, Room 121

Free and open to the public

**1/31:**

**Organic Certification: The story behind the label**

Laura Davis, Northeast Organic Farming Association/  
Massachusetts Chapter, Organic Certification  
Assistance Coordinator and Soil Technical Advisor

**2/7:**

**Cows Save the Planet: Soil, climate, and the promise of regenerative agriculture**

Judith D. Schwartz, Journalist and Author of "Cows Save the Planet" and "Water in Plain Sight"

**2/14:**

**Realizing the New England Food Vision**

Julia Freedgood, America Farmland Trust, Assistant  
Vice President of Programs

**2/21:**

**Farming in the City**

Lydia Sisson, Mill City Grows, Co-Founder

**2/28:**

**Indoor Farming: The future of food?**

James Mayer, Grateful Greens, Farmer

**3/7:**

**Closing the Loop: Composting food waste**

Trevor Mance, TAM Organics LLC, Owner

**3/14:**

**Sustainable Dining at MCLA**

John Kozik, MCLA Dining Services, General Manager  
and Anthony Fiorentino, MCLA Dining Services,  
Executive Chef

**3/28:**

**The Farm Bill: What it is and what it means for farming in the U.S.**

Justin Chase, Tufts New Entry Sustainable Farming  
Project, Director of Farmer Training Programs

**4/4:**

**Land Rich, Dirt Poor: Dairy Farming in New England**

Sarah Gardner, Williams College Center  
for Environmental Studies, Associate Director  
and Lecturer in Environmental Studies

**4/11:**

**Climate-smart agricultural policy in New York**

Julie Suarez, College of Agriculture and Life Science  
at Cornell University, Associate Dean

**4/25:**

**Innovating Open-Source Technology for Small-Scale Sustainable Agriculture**

Dorn Cox, Tuckaway Farm, Farmer; Farm Hack  
and FarmOS Co-founder

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