

ASSESSING STUDENT LEARNING SUCCESS IN SUSTAINABILITY COURSES AND PROGRAMS

Join us for a presentation about assessing the learning success of students in sustainability courses and programs.

Transformational sustainability education aims to convey competency in sustainability problem-solving. The goal is to empower graduates as sustainability professionals to contribute to scalable solutions to pressing sustainability problems, such as global warming, food insecurity, labor exploitation, biodiversity loss, violent conflicts, and pollution.

Sustainability problem solving competency entails systems-, futures-, values- and strategic-thinking as well as collaborative competencies. These competencies should enable graduates to contribute to the creating, testing, and implementing real-world sustainability solutions in collaboration with stakeholders.

Although these competencies have been widely used as learning objectives in sustainability courses and programs, approaches to reliably assess sustainability competency development are underutilized to date.

Dr. Aaron Redman is one of the few scholars who has conducted comprehensive research on **sustainability competency assessment formats**. In this presentation, Dr. Redman will review the basics of assessment and different approaches for instructors. He will demonstrate the benefits of these approaches for students and detail the institutional structures needed to make such assessments effective.



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This event is open to instructors and staff teaching sustainability-related courses and interested in student learning assessment.

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