



Sustainable Environment Institute

Los Angeles Community College District



LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGES  
District Academic Senate

Professional  
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# Earth Day

## April 22, 2022

**AN ONLINE MORNING OF PRESENTATIONS ON  
TOXIC SITES IN LA AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE**

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**CLIMATE EDUCATION IN CALIFORNIA**

**9AM - 12PM**

You should register as soon as possible via this link:

<https://laccd.zoom.us/j/96214426031>

9:00 a.m. – Welcome from:

- LACCD Chancellor Francisco Rodriguez
- District Academic Senate President, Angela Echeverri
- DAS Professional Development College, Lourdes Brent
- Sustainable Environment Institute – Welcome and review of today's agenda:  
George Leddy, Beth Abels, Xiaoyang Behlendorf

9:20 a.m. Panel I – Resisting Toxic Pollution in L.A. Neighborhoods

- Exide Battery Plant – Brian Johnston
- California Safe Schools – Robina Suwol
- California Communities Against Toxics – Jane Williams

10:20 – 10:30 Break

10:30-12:00 Panel II – Climate Education and Meeting the Challenges

- TreePeople – Ariel Whitson
- LACCD and energy goals, Dr. R. Smith, Vice Chancellor for Facilities
- Divestment campaign – Andrew Walzer
- Climate Reality Program, LAUSD – Lucy Garcia
- Sacramento budgets and funding climate goals