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The Swetland Scoop

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News & Announcements

Nourishing Power Fellowship launched

Do you want to grow your vision to spark and expand food justice for children and families?
Apply [here](#) for the Nourishing Power Fellowship!

workshops, mentoring sessions, and networking events.

Applications Close: September 30, 2022 by 11:59 pm

Need more information?

[Download our info sheet](#) || [Watch the info session](#)

We're Hiring!

Join our team or spread the word about our
Community Engaged Research Specialist opening.

We are looking for a highly motivated, organized individual with knowledge of food systems, social justice, health equity, and/or environmental justice and with experience in community-based programming and/or applied population health research. This individual will coordinate two components of the Nourishing Power Network – Nourishing Power Fellowship and Networking – as well as support the research efforts more broadly.

Read more about the opportunity on [our website](#).

Be sure to keep up with Swetland news through our online [News & Events](#) page!



September Swetland Seminar: Healing Spaces: An Environmental Justice Initiative

September 27 | 9:00 – 10:00 am

Presented by: Teela S. Patterson

Through connection, education, and inspiration, Healing Spaces raises awareness around environmental and social justice matters, develops community-building strategies that improve individual and collective outcomes, and mobilizes community members and legislators about the urgent need to address climate change in our communities.

This will be a hybrid-style event! The event will be held in-person and on Zoom. Get more information and register [here](#).

What We Bring to the Table: Exploring Community Food Access and Experience

September 15 | 4:00 – 5:30 pm

Please join the Emergency Food Assistance and Food Security team's photo exhibition event. See photos created by Cleveland residents that reflect food access in their community and hear from speakers about food access in the area.

Get more information and register [here](#).

The Ohio State University John Glenn College of Public Affairs: Colloquium Series

September 19 | 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Presented by: Darcy Freedman, Ph.D.

The purpose of the Glenn College Colloquium Series (GCCS) is to offer a venue for students, faculty, community members, and guests of The Ohio State University to participate in the collaborative process of

Get more information and register [here](#).

Hot Off the Press

Faculty Affiliate Sadeer Al-Kindi publication on redlining featured in the Journal of the American College of Cardiology

"Historical Neighborhood Redlining and Contemporary Cardiometabolic Risk" was published in the July 2022 issue of the Journal of the American College of Cardiology.

To the researchers' knowledge, this is the first study examining the national relationships between redlining neighborhoods and cardiovascular diseases. The researchers' conclusion included that historical housing discriminatory practices are associated with modern-day cardiometabolic disease and risk factors.

Read the findings [here](#).

Faculty Affiliate Jill Clark earns national faculty community engagement award

Jill Clark, associate professor in The Ohio State University John Glenn College of Public Affairs, has earned the 2022 Excellence in Faculty Community Engagement Award from the [Engagement Scholarship Consortium](#). Clark received this national recognition for her leadership with the [Franklin County Local Food Council](#).

Read more [here](#).



Swetland Spotlight

Thank You to our Summer Interns!

We would like to give a big "thank you" to the students who worked with the Swetland Center over the summer! We are appreciative of all the hard work our interns, D'Ella Heschmeyer, Claire Forrestal, Cathy Charles, and Gabriela Cuconato, graduate students, Nathan Ruhde and Eleanor Gillerlane Hinkes, and volunteers, Fiona Frogomen, Zeyna Samba, Uva Desari, and Thendral Veerasekar, put in throughout their time here.



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