SPRING SEMESTER 2012

January 18 & 19
Thirteenth Annual Conference by the Faculty
Presentations by:
Baktybek Abdrisaev
Kim Abunuwara
Tcholpon Akmatalieva
Noreen Astin
Aaron Bartholomew
Roger Blomquist
Maegan Butterfield
Rob Carney
Darin Eckton
Elaine E. Englehardt
John R. Fisher
Christopher N. Foster
Scott Hatch
Mark Hausam
Steve Hall
Wayne Hanewicz
Larry Harper
Thomas Henry
Carolyn Elease Howard
David R. Keller
Amir Kia
Kimberli Lawson
Jerry Mason
John McClure
Valerie Merit
Rick Moody
Joylin Namie
Justen Mark Olsen
Dennis Potter
Bonner Ritchie
Hugh Rode
Alexander T. Simon
Leslie Simon
Kevin R. Smith
Sheldon R. Smith
Russell Thornley
Sara T. Ulloa
Jonathan Westover
and others!
(Organized by Jill Jasperson, Associate Director, Center for the Study of Ethics, and Jeffrey S. Nielsen, Instructor of Philosophy, UVU, and Director, Utah Institute for Public Deliberation)

January 18:
9 a.m.-4:50 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

January 19:
8:30 a.m.-5:15 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

January 24
"Nursing in a Globalized World"
Karen Lucas Breda, Associate Professor of Nursing, University of Hartford
10-11:15 a.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)
(Organized by Gaya Carlton, Professor of Nursing, and University Faculty Fellow in Ethics)

"Promoting Global Action For Health And Social Justice"
Karen Lucas Breda, Associate Professor of Nursing, University of Hartford
11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)
(Organized by Gaya Carlton, Professor of Nursing, and University Faculty Fellow in Ethics)

January 25
"Covering the Roberts Court: A Reporter's Reflections"
Adam Liptak, Reporter, The New York Times
Noon-12:50 p.m., SC 206b (Student Center)
Public Reception with Liptak, 1-1:30 p.m., SC 206b
(Cosponsored with Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, The New York Times Readership Program, and UVUSA)

January 31
Discussion on Anti-Corruption and Transparency with Delegation from the Czech Republic and two U.S. Department of State Interpreters (under the auspices of the U.S. Department of State’s International Visitor Leadership Program)
8-10 a.m., LA 109e
(Discussion led by Jeffrey S. Nielsen, CSE Utah Democracy Project Program Coordinator)

February 4
The Utah Caucus System
Mike Lee, U.S. Senator (Utah)
1-3 p.m., Liberal Arts Building 023 (LA 023)

February 14
Annual Kirk Englehardt Business Ethics Award and Address:
"Three Principles of Good Business: Customer Service, Customer Satisfaction, and Ethical Behavior"
Omar Kader, Founder and Chairman, Planning and Learning Technologies (PalTech)
1-2:15 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)
Reception to follow
(Co-Presented with the Woodbury School of Business)

March 8
Conference on Computer Ethics:
“White Hats and Black Hats: The Ethics of Search Engines and Security”
11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Lakeview Room (Fourth Floor Library)
(Cosponsored with the College of Technology and Computing; Organized by Elaine E. Englehardt, Distinguished Professor of Ethics)

Session One
Welcome: Drew Williams, Co-founder of Condition Zebra
Introduction: Ernie Carey, Dean, School of Technology and Computing
Ash Buckles, President, SEO.com
11:30 a.m.-Noon, Lakeview Room (Fourth Floor Library)
(Box Lunches provided—first come, first served)

Session Two
Panel Discussion
Ash Buckles, President, SEO.com
Arlen L. Card, Assistant Professor of Digital Media Technology, UVU
Greg Shuey, Vice President for Client Services, SEO.com
Aaron Willis, Instructor of Information Technology, UVU
Moderator: Elaine Englehardt, Distinguished Professor of Ethics, UVU
Noon-12:30 p.m., Lakeview Room (Fourth Floor Library)

Session Three
Open Discussion
12:30 – 12:45 p.m., Lakeview Room (Fourth Floor Library)

Session Four
“Security in Computing—White Hats and Black Hats”
Drew Williams, Co-founder, Condition Zebra
12:45- 1:15 p.m., Lakeview Room (Fourth Floor Library)

Session Five
Open Discussion
1:15 – 1:30 p.m., Lakeview Room (Fourth Floor Library)

March 27
Prolegomenon to Environmental Ethics Week
Ethics Forum for Faculty Research:
“Nature and Sustainability in Chinese Architecture and Urbanism”
April 2-6
Environmental Ethics Week

April 2
Environmental Ethics Movie Day

Film One
The Story of Stuff (20 minutes)
10-10:20 a.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Film Two
Green Fire: Aldo Leopold and a Land Ethic for Our Time (73 minutes)
10:30-11:43 a.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Film Three
Gasland: Can You Light Your Water on Fire? (106 minutes)
Noon-1:46 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Film Four
Rachel Carson’s Silent Spring (55 minutes)
2-2:55 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Film Five
Lords of Nature: Life in a Land of Great Predators (60 minutes)
3-4 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

April 3
Philosophy Colloquium:
“The Anthropocene!! Beyond the Natural?”
Holmes Rolston III, Professor Emeritus of Philosophy, Colorado State University
1-2:15 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Ethics Book Discussion Group with the Author:
Holmes Rolston III, A New Environmental Ethics: The Next Millennium for Life on Earth
3-4:30 p.m., SC 213c (Trustees Suite)

April 5-6
Twenty-Third Annual Symposium on Environmental Ethics
“Animals and the Law”
(Organized by Christopher N. Foster, Lecturer of Integrated Studies, and Karen Mizell, Professor of Philosophy)
April 5
10 a.m.-5:15 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)  
April 6  
10 a.m.-3:50 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

April 5  
Session One  
“Animal Law: In the Real World—In Education”  
Pamela Frasch, Assistant Dean, Animal Law Program, Executive Director of the Center for Animal Law Studies, Lewis and Clark Law School  
10-11:15 a.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Session Two  
“Muzzling a Movement”  
Dara Lovitz, Author, Muzzling a Movement  
11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

1-2:15 p.m. Lunch

Session Three  
“Learning from Difficult Cases: Tillikum v. Sea World”  
Kathy Hessler, Clinical Professor and Director, Animal Law Clinic, Center for Animal Law Studies, Lewis and Clark Law School  
2:30-3:45 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Session Four  
Roundtable Discussion  
4-5:15 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

April 6  
Session Five  
Peter Young, Animal Liberation Frontline  
10-10:50 a.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Session Six  
“The Activist Attorney”  
Shannon Keith, Founder, Animal Rescue, Media, and Education  
11-11:50 a.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

12-12:50 p.m. Lunch

Session Seven  
“Cousins: Chimpanzees and the Law”  
Debra Durham, Ethologist, Primatologist  
1-1:50 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Session Eight
Jill Ryther, Attorney,  
Secretary, Animal Rescue, Media, and Education,  
Director, Beagle Freedom Project  
2-2:50 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

Session Nine  
Roundtable Discussion  
3-3:50 p.m., Library Auditorium (LI 120)

April 30-May 4  
Twenty-Fifth Annual Ethics Across the Curriculum Faculty Summer Seminar:  
"The Culture of Nature"  
Visiting Scholar: David Rothenberg, Professor of Philosophy, New Jersey Institute of Technology  
April 30: 1:00-4:00 p.m., LI 211 (Library Second Floor)  
May 1: 1:00-4:00 p.m., LI 211 (Library Second Floor)  
May 2: 1:00-4:00 p.m., LI 211 (Library Second Floor)  
May 3: 1:00-4:00 p.m., LI 211 (Library Second Floor)  
May 4: 1:00-4:00 p.m., LI 211 (Library Second Floor)

May 1  
Philosophy Colloquium:  
Conclave on the Philosophy of Arne Naess for Faculty and Students  
Visiting Scholar: David Rothenberg, Professor of Philosophy, New Jersey Institute of Technology  
10 a.m.-Noon, LI 211 (Library Second Floor)  
Required Reading  