

**Friday, Nov 16, 2007**  
**1:40 PM – 2:30 PM**  
**Room 126**  
**Engineering & Architecture Building**

**All are invited to attend**  
**Pizza will be served**

**Environmental Seminar Series**

**The Role of Higher Education in Solving Global  
Sustainability Problems**

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This presentation will argue that global environmental and sustainability problems create new, significant challenges for the human race. Because of the magnitude and urgency of these challenges, higher education has an important role to play in educating civil society about these problems, pursuing strategically important and policy relevant research, and modeling sustainable behavior. The presentation will look at several global problems including climate change and loss of biodiversity. The presentation will describe why some of the policy tools often taught in higher education to solve local and regional problems do not work on a global scale.

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