2023 UW Worker Memorial Day Agenda

April 26, 2023, 11:30 am – 1:00pm Pacific Time on Zoom

11:30a Welcome - Hilary Godwin, Dean, University of Washington (UW), School of Public Health (SPH)

Masters of Ceremony -
Allison (Ally) Clonch, PhD Student, Environmental & Occupational Health, Dept of Environmental & Occupational Health Sciences (DEOHS), UW SPH

Sofia Torres, Undergraduate Student, Political Science and Law, Societies, and Justice; United Students Against Sweatshops (USAS), UW

11:40 Introduction to Keynote – Moon-Ho Jung, Harry Bridges Endowed Chair in Labor Studies and Director, Harry Bridges Center

11:45 Keynote: Climate justice and Worker justice
Shemona Moreno, Executive Director, 350 Seattle

12:00p Memorial Recognition - Our Fallen Workers 2022 - Mike Yost, Professor and Chair, UW DEOHS; Director, Pacific Northwest Agricultural Safety and Health Center (PNASH), UW DEOHS

UW DEOHS Continuing Education memorial video

Moment of silence

12:15 – 12:50 Moving Forward

Introduction to Moving Forward Talks – Mike Crain, Machinery Mechanic, Washington Federation of State Employees (WFSE), Local 1495 /American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees (AFSCME) Council 28

Edmund Seto, Associate Professor, UW DEOHS

Aurora Martin, Co-Executive Director Capacity Building, Front and Centered

Mark Ottele, Senior Project Manager, Granite Construction Company

Zane Smith, Keyholder, Homegrown; UNITE HERE

Brenna Richard, Undergraduate Student, Marine Biology; United Students Against Sweatshops (USAS), UW

12:50 Closing - Sai Ahmed, Assistant Director, Student and Community Engagement, UW Harry Bridges Center for Labor Studies

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