

 **Washington and Oregon Higher Education Sustainability Conference**

Application Packet

**Virtual Conference**

February 11th – 12th

FREE Ticket

**Applications must be emailed to sustainability@bellevuecollege.edu by**
**Monday, Jan 25, 2021 by 4:00 p.m.**

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| **For Official Use Only** |
| **\_\_\_\_ Application Complete \_\_\_\_ Food Allergies****\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_ Medical Restrictions** **\_\_\_\_ Under 18**  | **(Date Stamp)** |

What is WOHESC?

The Washington and Oregon Higher Education Sustainability Conference (WOHESC) is an opportunity for students to come together with teachers, staff, and other students from our region’s institutes of higher education, and learn about sustainability. There will be workshops, presentations, and facilitated conversations to discuss sustainability. We’ll share best practices, discuss creative solutions to common challenges, and develop networks across our region by making new friends and meeting others who share our common goals of living and working sustainably.

The 2021 conference program is 100% virtual and will focus on the theme **People, Planet, People: Envisioning Higher Education Sustainability and Resiliency in 2030.**

More information here: <http://wohesc.org/> or visit [www.bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability](http://www.bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability)

**Bellevue College is honored to be a WOHESC 2021 Community Partner!**

Application Process

Please complete this **entire** application packet if you are interested in attending WOHESC!

**To Submit:** Complete the application packet and email to sustainability@bellevuecollege.edu by **Monday January 25, 2021 at 4:00 pm**

Requirements for Attending WOHESC (must read and check all):

* Minimum GPA of 2.7.
* Must be able to attend all days of the conference (February 11th and 12th).
* Must abide by the rules of WOHESC as well as those of the host Seattle Colleges.
* Must be a current registered student at Bellevue College.
* Must present lessons learned from the conference to other students through a small project. This can be done personally or as a group, and through an online event, lecture, or presentation during Earth Week. Sustainability Office will provide guidance to each attendee.

Questions? Contact:

sustainability@bellevuecollege.edu

**Application for Washington and Oregon Higher Education Sustainability Conference (WOHESC)**

***PLEASE PRINT***

Last name: First Name: Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student ID#: Email: Phone:

Sex: [ ] Male [ ] Female Other:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Gender Pronoun\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Allergies, health, or medical conditions that would restrict your participation in WOHESC activities: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If you require accommodations for a disability to participate in WOHESC, please contact:

Amber Nicholson at (425) 564-2720 or email: sustainability@bellevuecollege.edu

How long have you attended Bellevue College?

Have you been or are you currently affiliated with a Bellevue College club? [ ] No [ ] Yes

If Yes, Club: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Your position: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL STATEMENT:**

Please write a personal statement answering and discussing the following questions.

1. Please describe how you are/have been involved on campus.
2. Why are you interested in attending the Washington and Oregon Higher Education Sustainability Conference?
3. How will you apply what you have learned from attending WOHESC to Bellevue College and promote sustainable best practices in your own life?

Please keep your personal statement under 500 words, and submit it typed, printed or emailed, and stapled or attached to the application. (No handwritten statement will be accepted.)

**VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:**

List any Volunteer experience or participation in school- related activities (music, art, clubs, school paper, etc.) you have or any projects you have contributed to (e.g. government agencies, community groups, religious organizations or political campaigns).

**Name of Organization Your Role Dates**

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**I understand that if I do get accepted to attend WOHESC and I need to cancel, I must notify sustainability@bellevuecollege.edu in writing by Monday February 1st. A cancellation fee of $40 is required after this date, UNLESS a doctor’s note has been provided to Student Programs.**

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 Signature Date