







**National Wildlife Federation EcoCareers Summit Series** 2023 Sponsorship Overview



# **Annual Green Careers Event**

- The National Wildlife Federation's annual EcoCareers Summit is a virtual, multiday opportunity designed to prepare students from around the globe for the future sustainability workforce through:
  - Project-based sustainability leadership and career development
  - Valuable professional certifications
  - Academic and career planning tools and opportunities
- See previous conference/summit archives at: <u>http://www.nwfecoleaders.org/conference</u>



"This conference gave me hope for the future of sustainability" – 2020 Conference Attendee

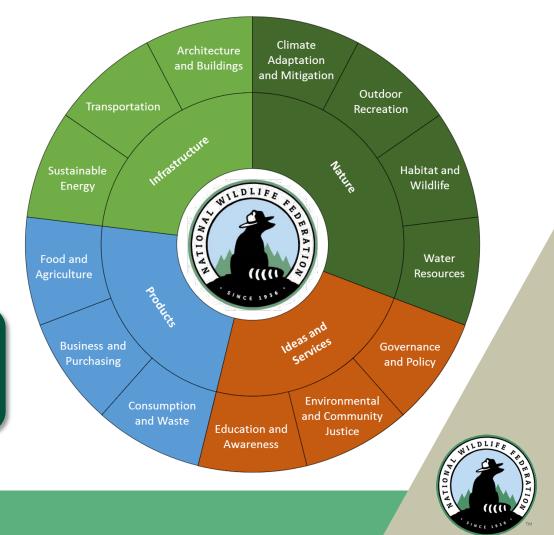


# **Every Job Can & Should Be a Green Job**

- Regardless of academic major or career path, an understanding of sustainability principles will be important for all young people entering the workforce.
- At each annual event, 4 or 5 sectors from the "Green Economy Compass" are highlighted with expert panels of professionals representing a variety of employer categories.

"I learned more in one day that I have at any other conference. Thank you for the opportunity." – 2020 Conference Attendee

### **Green Economy Compass**



# **Leaders in Sustainability & Employment**



- Topics have ranged from entrepreneurship to careers in local, state, and national government; from driving change within major companies to making the environmental movement more inclusive, equitable, and just
- Keynote speakers have included Philippe
   Cousteau Jr. (Earth Echo International), Jigar
   Shah (Generate Capital), Camilla Simon
   (HECHO), Rue Mapp (Outdoor Afro), and more!

"This is by far the greenest conference I've ever participated in." – Rue Mapp, Founder and CEO of Outdoor Afro, 2018 Conference Keynote Speaker



# **Campus and Corporate Sponsors**

- Campus sponsors have included Colgate University, Emerson College, Grinnell College, Rowan University, Stonehill College, Tulane University, University at Albany SUNY, and a dozen more!
- Corporate sponsors have included LinkedIn, Aramark Corporation, Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Kendeda Fund and APPA, Inc.



"Great to have as a virtual conference. Saves so much time/money/carbon in the travel." – 2019 Conference Attendee



### **2023 EcoCareers Conference Overview**

#### Month-long Online Summit Series for:

- High school students, applying to leading universities
- College students and young professionals, preparing for emerging careers with the necessary professional credentials
- Educators from high school and higher education, from all disciplines seeking to enhance sustainability knowledge and curricula
- Career counselors, connecting their students to the rapidly shifting green economy

#### April 2023 – 12 hours packed with:

- Keynotes focusing on leadership and resilience
- Expert panelists addressing career pathways, certifications, internships, and more
- Tutorials and workshops for honing sustainability skills, earning the EcoLeader certification, and crafting an individual career pathway
- Networking sessions, interactive activities, and more!

"Thank you so much for organizing the EcoCareers event... in these uncertain times it gave me a lot of hope and insight for the future.

I learned so much about how to try to navigate the sustainability career world. As well as made new friends and connections!"

Carley Belanger;
University of Miami
student and 2020
Conference Attendee

# **Benefits of Sponsorship**

- **Opportunities to speak EcoCareers Summit Series**
- Designated NWF blog posts
- Highlighted staff interview in EcoLeaders Career Center
- Color ad placement in EcoCareers summit program
- Acknowledgment in monthly newsletters distributed to list of 18,000+ motivated high school and college students, young professionals, and educators
- Co-branded social media posts to 7,500+ followers







# **2023 Sponsorship Tiers**

SPONSORSHIP TIERS	Biosphere	Biome	Ecosystem	Habitat	Wildlife
Featured speaking opportunity addressing all participants during Summit Series	х				
Company displayed on placeholder slide at the beginning of each session	х	x			
Dedicated pre-event email message and social media posts	х	х	х		
Complimentary registrations to Summit Series	5	3	2	1	
Publicly thanked at the Summit Series, through social media outlets, and in email communications during and following the event	х	х	х	х	х
Right to reference support and participation in EcoCareers program	х	х	х	х	х
Featured in digital Summit Series program booklet	Full-page color ad	Full-page color ad	½-page color ad	<sup>1</sup> ⁄4-page color ad	¼-page b/w ad
Cost:	\$50,000	\$25,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$1,000

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