Welcome Message

Welcome to the Virtual 2020 Utah Higher Education Food Summit hosted by Weber State University. As we all know, Covid-19 has changed a few things across the world and this Summit is no exception. The Summit pivoted from its usual in person and live presentation format to this year’s virtual format. The format this year provides you the participant a free and almost completely unscheduled opportunity to review content at your own pace and from your own place. As we all know, it is inevitable that conferences and summits like this always have multiple sessions you want to attend scheduled at the same time. This is not the case for this year’s summit. You can participate in as little or as much as you like and not worry about missing one thing. This shift to a more accessible format leads us to be more excited for the future of programs such as this as we believe this will provide a springboard to us all in facilitating more accessible programs and events in the future for all of our stakeholders. Thank you for joining us today (or whenever you join us) and please enjoy the content and new format!

President’s Welcome

Conference Organizer’s Welcome

Reflection Corner

What expectations do you have for the Summit?
Panels and Conversations (Videos and Presentations Linked in Title)

Covid-19 Food Pantry Response Panel One (30 Minutes)

Join Bimini Horstmann as she moderates a panel of food pantry operators and food resource providers from around the state of Utah.

This panel includes insight from: Jennnifer Bodine of Weber State University, Pam Branin of Southern Utah University, Anilee Bundy of Dixie State University, and Amber Hendrickson of Utah Valley University.

Covid-19 Food Pantry Response Panel Two (40 Minutes)

Join Bimini Horstmann again as she moderates the second of this year’s Covid-19 Food Pantry Response Panels.

Participants will learn from: Gagan Kaur of the American Cancer Society, Julie Taquin of Utah State University, Malynda Bjerregaard of Snow College, Michelle Brown of Snow College, and Emily Huang of the University of Utah.

Covid-19 Community Garden Panel (53 Minutes)

Join Patrick Tadlock as he facilitates a conversation with community garden operators and gardening advocates from around Utah. Participants will learn why community gardening mattered to the food supply and food security pre-Covid-19 and why for many it matters much more now and how our panelists hope it stays that way.

Panelists include: Sam Fitch of Utah State University, Cayden Quayle of Weber State University, Natalie Hales of Lomond View Nursery and Andria Robison of Oasis Community Garden

Conversation with Community Partner (42 Minutes)

“How Universities and Community Partners can Impact Food Insecurity beyond their Students: A look at the role of Ogden Civic Action Network’s (OgdenCAN) food insecurity initiative in Ogden’s East Central neighborhood.”

Featuring: Emily Esplin, United Way of Northern Utah.
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Presentations and Conversations (Videos and Presentations Linked in Title)

Dixie State University
Unguided look at Dixie State University’s Food Pantry and Resources submitted by Anilee Bundy

Salt Lake Community College (11 Minutes)
Guided look at Salt Lake Community Colleges Campus Gardens and Pantries presented by Christina Ordonez, Madeleine Hummel, and Lauren Russel

University of Utah (12 Minutes)
Guided look at University of Utah’s Feed U Pantry and resources presented by Emily Huang

Utah State University
Unguided look at Utah State University’s SNAC Pantry and resources submitted by Julie Taquin

Utah Valley University (18 Minutes)
Guided look at Utah Valley University’s Food Pantry and resources presented by Amber Hendrickson

Weber State University (15 Minutes)
Conversation with Teresa Martinez, Student Engagement Coordinator and Weber Cares Pantry Coordinator, Weber State University

Importance of Nutrition and Nutrition Education to Food Pantries and Communities (19 Minutes)
Dr. David Aguilar-Alverez, Assistant Professor of Nutrition & Nutrition Program Director, Weber State University

Reflection Corner

What are your reactions so far?
Hybrid SNAP Challenge and Food Insecurity Activity

Instructions (15-45 Minutes)

Within the resources below participants will find a thought provoking and engaging activity. The hybrid SNAP challenge and food insecurity activity builds upon SNAP Challenges and Hunger Simulations many organization’s host to help build awareness and provide experiential learning opportunities for their members or participants. This activity will allow participants the opportunity to immerse themselves into various nutritional and financial scenarios designed by WSU’s AmeriCorps VISTAs this summer. Participants will attempt to figure out ways to navigate the scenario’s incomes, expenses, health and nutritional needs to ensure the chosen scenario can meet their nutritional and financial needs.

Participants are encouraged to use practice introspection and reflect often throughout this activity. The activity is designed to allow participants to modify food costs, scenarios, and timeframes (days, weeks, or months). The activity includes a guided PowerPoint that gives participants insights and information on how to complete the exercise. A pdf and google drive folder will also be provided to participants to allow for a more interactive experience. These will also include all instructions, scenarios, worksheets and spreadsheets needed to complete the activity.

You can expect to take 15-45 minutes to complete the exercise.

Recorded Instructions
PDF
PowerPoint
Google Drive Folder

Resources

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
Utah SNAP Resources (Click Here)

Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Program
Utah WIC Resources (Click Here)
Resources Continued

Sustainability Resources and Programs

Resources provided by Weber State’s Energy and Sustainability Office. (Click Here)

Nationwide Food Pantry Responses to Covid-19

This folder includes a look at the responses of a range of collegiate food pantries and non-profit food pantries to Covid-19 from around the country. (Click Here)

Guided Conversation and Closing Remarks - 2:00 - 3:15 p.m.

Guided Conversation 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Conversation moderators will help facilitate a Zoom based conversation among participants as we look back at today’s Summit, what was learned, and what the future holds for food insecurity on Utah campuses. The conversation will be moderated by Sean Crossland (SLCC), Patrick Tadlock (WSU), and Bimini Horstmann (WSU).

Zoom Meeting Link

Closing Remarks 3:00 - 3:15 p.m.

Join our Zoom Link for closing comments as we wrap up today’s Summit.

Zoom Meeting Link

Reflection Corner

What will you do with the information learned today?

Final Reflection

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