

Valley and Ridge Project Workshop
May 18-20, 2009

Monday May 18

6:00-8:30 PM Dinner Discussion of Sustainability – Defining it for your discipline
Stern 102

Tuesday May 19

Depot: 8:00-11:00am

8:00-8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast – the Depot
8:30-8:45	Overview of Workshop and Introductions (Jeff Niemitz and Tim Wahls)
8:45-9:30	The Valley and Ridge: A Sense of Place (Pete Sak and Carol Loeffler)
9:30-10:30	“The Two-Legged Exercise” – Nature, Humans, and “Culture” (Tim)
10:30-10:45	Break
10:45-11:45	Local Sustainability Project: Science meet Society Candie Wilderman
11:45-12:00PM	Travel to College Farm
12:00-1:00	Lunch of Local Foods
1:00- 1:45	Sustainability in Community: The local and global perspective (Susan Rose)
1:45-2:30	Walking the Farm – Sustainable Agriculture and a whole lot more (Jenn Halpin)
2:30-3:30	Sharing the vision of your project (Tim)
3:30-3:45	Break
3:45-4:30	Small Group Exercise (Disciplines) and discussion (Jeff) How does my project involve a sense of place? Can I broaden my present perspective on sustainability to include the Valley and Ridge (i.e. local resources)?
4:30-4:40	Announcements/ Plan for Friday
4:40-5:00	Return to Campus

Wednesday May 20

8:00-8:30AM	Continental Breakfast – Kaufman 178
8:30-9:00	Travel to Reineman Wildlife Sanctuary, Perry County
9:00-10:00	The Forest: Idyllic or Disturbed? (Gene Wingert)
10:00-10:15	Break
10:15-11:00	Sustainability in Community Outreach (Julie Vastine, ALLARM)
11:00-12:15PM	Small Group Exercise (Interdisciplinary) (Jeff) How have your thoughts about your project changed? How can your project benefit from an interdisciplinary approach? How are you thinking about teaching your project?
12:15-1:15	Working Lunch: (Tim) What questions do you now have about teaching sustainability in your project? What new content might you incorporate now? Could group learning help meet your goals? What readings might you need to learn more about how to teach your project?
1:15-2:15	Poster preparation – map out your course with questions you have (Jeff) (Coffee and snacks available)
2:15-2:45	Break and Poster setup
2:45-3:45	Poster Session with group feedback
3:45-4:00	Evaluation/ Clean Up/ Board Bus
4:10-4:30	Waggoner's Gap Overview: "From the Ridge to the Valley": Final thoughts and ideas (Jeff)
4:30-5:00	Return to Campus/End of Workshop