



About the Keynote Speaker:



Paul Shrivastava
**Director, David O'Brien Centre for Sustainable
Enterprise, Concordia University**

Paul Shrivastava has a unique background that combines academic scholarship and teaching with significant entrepreneurial and senior management experience. Currently he is the David O'Brien Distinguished Professor of Sustainable Enterprise at the John Molson School of Business, Concordia University, Montreal. He also serves as Senior Advisor on sustainability at Bucknell University and the Indian Institute of Management-Shillong, India, and he serves on the Board of Trustees of DeSales University, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

Professor Shrivastava also serves as Research Associate at the Loyola Sustainability Research Centre.



About the Speakers:



Rosemarie Schade
Principal, Loyola College for Diversity and
Sustainability

Professor Schade has written a number of articles on the German bourgeois feminist movement and on women involved in right wing groups prior to the Nazi seizure of power. She published an eight volume bibliography (co-edited with the late Keith Lowther) entitled Gender Balancing History: Towards an Inclusive Curriculum and a book entitled Ein weibliches Utopia: Organisationen und Ideologien der Mädchen und Frauen in der burgerlichen Jugendbewegung, 1905-1933. Her current work involves the social history of a factory and factory town in Hessen.

Professor Schade is the recipient of the Concordia Council for Student Life's Outstanding Contribution Award and was named a 2014 Concordia University Sustainability Champion for her work on curriculum development





About the Speakers:



Jean Stern

Director, Globalization Studies Program, Siena College, New York

Professor Stern has been the co-organizer of the Annual International Concordia-Siena Conference since its first edition in 2005. She has taught in the Political Science Department at Siena College for 38 years, on topics such as international relations, United Nations, international negotiation, global environmental dilemmas and terrorism.

Among her numerous distinctions, Professor Stern was elected to serve in the governing council of the international organization section of the International Studies Association, the largest of its time.

About the Speakers:



Anna-Liisa Aunio
Adjunct Professor, Loyola College for Diversity and Sustainability

Professor Aunio joined the Loyola College for Diversity and Sustainability (LCDS) in 2011, where she has taught the course LOYC 310. As part of LCDS's faculty, Professor Aunio explores major questions in the philosophy of science through the lens of current scientific debates. Topics include the science/religion divide, Darwin and evolutionary psychology, bioethics, and sustainability.

Professor Aunio is also involved in the Dawson College Rooftop Gardens Project, an initiative that was launched in 2012 aimed at bringing rooftop gardens to Dawson College's campus in downtown Montreal. Now, in its second year, the project has succeeded in expanding the gardens on campus as well as teaching and learning about urban sustainability at Dawson.