

Interdisciplinary Graduate Program in Nutritional Sciences presents

“The Seattle Food Environment”

Nutritional Sciences Seminar 500
Health Sciences T-739, Thursdays 12:30 – 1:20 pm
Winter Quarter 2009

- January 8 **Obesity and the Food Environment**
Adam Drewnowski, PhD. Professor of Epidemiology, Director, Center for Public Health Nutrition and UW Center for Obesity Research
- January 15 **Measuring Nutrient Quality of Fast Foods “kids meals”**
Jason A Mendoza, MD, MPH, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center & Academic General Pediatrics, Baylor College of Medicine
- January 22 **The Food Environment in Seattle Public Schools**
Anita Finch, MS, RD, Director of Child Nutrition Services. Seattle Public Schools Nutrition Services Department.
- January 29 **Assessing Neighborhood Food Systems**
Branden M Born PhD. Assistant Professor, Urban Design and Planning
University of Washington
- February 5 **The King County Menu Labeling Initiative**
Donna Oberg MPH, RD, CD Nutritional Options in Restaurants Project Manager, Consultant Public-Health Seattle & King County .
Mark Rowe MPH, Food and Facilities Section Manager, Public-Health Seattle & King County
- February 12 **Menu labeling: Industry Viewpoint**
Anthony Anton, President and CEO, Washington Restaurant Association
- February 19 **New Measures of the Food Environment in Seattle-King County**
Phil Hurvitz, PhD C. Urban Form Lab, School of Architecture and Urban Planning, University of Washington
- February 26 **Measuring Nutrition Environment in Restaurants**
Brian Saelens, PhD, Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital, Seattle
- March 5 **Food Banks and the Economic Crisis**
Steve Bauck, Hunger Response Network Director: Northwest Harvest , Seattle
- March 12 **Policies to Improve the Schools Food Environment**
Donna Johnson, PhD, MPH, RD
Associate Professor, Nutritional Sciences Program, School of Public Health and Community Medicine, University of Washington