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Publications and Resources Monographs

Barzetti, V. and Y. Rovinski (eds.). *Toward a Greener Central America: Integrating Conservation and Development*. West Hartford, CT: Kumarian Press, 1992. ISBN: 1-56549-006-1.

Bowers, C. A. Education, *Cultural Myths, and the Ecological Crisis: Toward Deep Changes*. Albany: State University of New York Press, 1993. ISBN: 0-7914-1255-5.

Examines the educational process and how it perpetuates cultural myths that contribute to the ecological crisis. Follows the thinking of Aldo Leopold, Wendell Berry, and Gregory Bateson.

Dinham, B. *The Pesticide Hazard: A Global Health and Environmental Audit*. London/New York: Zed Books, 1993. ISBN: 1-85649-202-8.

Energywise Options for State and Local Governments. 2nd. ed. Washington: Center for Policy Alternatives 1875 Connecticut Ave. NW, Suite 710, Washington, DC 20009.

Describes the best state and local programs on energy efficiency, transportation, waste reduction, and renewable energy. Includes contact person and phone number for each program.

Environmental Equity. Innovate Management Strategies Series. Washington: United States Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Administration and Resources Management, Information Management and Services Division, 1993. EPA report No. EPA 220-B-92-024.

Available from EPA Headquarters Library, Room M2904 PM- 211A, 401 M Street SW, Washington, DC 20460.

European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions. European Workshop: Land Use Management and Environmental Improvement in Cities, Proceedings of a European Workshop, Lisbon May 6-8, 1992. Luxembourg: Office for Official Publications of the European Communities, 1992. ISBN:92-826-4689-0.

Friedmann, John and Haripriya Rangan (eds.). *In Defense of Livelihood: Comparative Studies of Environmental Action*. West Hartford, CT: Kumarian Press, 1993. ISBN: 1-56549- 020-7.

Hardoy, Jorge E., Diana Mitlin, and David Satterthwaite. *Environmental Problems of Third World Cities*. London: Earthscan, 1993. ISBN: 1-85383-146-8.

Hargrove, Eugene C. (ed.). *The Animal Rights/Environmental Ethics Debate: The Environmental Perspective*. Albany: State University of New York Press, 1992. ISBN 0-79140- 934-1.

Le Breton, Binka. Voices from the Amazon. West Hartford, CT: Kumarian Press, 1993. ISBN: 1-56549-021-5.

Lund, Herbert F. The McGraw-Hill Recycling Handbook. New York: McGraw-Hill, 1993. ISBN: 0-07-039096-7.

McLaughlin, Andrew. *Regarding Nature: Industrialism and Deep Ecology*. Albany: State University of New York Press, 1993. ISBN: 0-7914-1384-5.

Orr, David W. *Ecological Literacy: Education and the Transition to a Postmodern World*. Albany: State University of New York Press, 1992. ISBN: 0-7914-0873-6.

The best book I've read this year. Thorough, thoughtful, and a must read for all educators, regardless of level. Orr's syllabus for Ecological Literacy is worth the price of admission.

Reed, Peter and David Rothenberg (eds.). *Wisdom in the Open Air: the Norwegian Roots of Deep Ecology*. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 1993. ISBN: 0-8166-250-0.

Sarkar, Saral. *Green-Alternative Politics in West Germany, Volume I:New Social Movements*. New York: United Nations University Press, 1993. ISBN: 81-85002-26-6.

Smith, Katie, and Tetsunao Yamamori (eds.). *Growing Our Future: Food Security and the Environment*. West Hartford, CT: Kumarian Press, 1992. ISBN: 1-65649-014-2.

Smith, Ted. Legacy of High-Tech Development: The Toxic Lifecycle of Computer Manufacturing. San Jose: Silicon Valley Toxics Coalition.

Sullivan, Thomas F.P. (ed.). *The Greening of American Business: Making Bottom-Line Sense of Environmental Responsibility*. Rockville, MD: Government Institutes, Inc., 1992. ISBN:0-86587-295-3.

Walters, Charles Jr. Weeds: Control Without Poison. Kansas City, KS (PO Box 9547, Kansas City, KS 64133): Acres U.S.A., 1992.

Wasting the Earth: A Directory of Multinational Corporate Activities. Seattle, WA: Institute on Trade Policy (PO Box. 389, Seattle WA 98111), 1993.

Documented source of information on the operations of hundred of multinational corporations around the world and their impacts on the environment and indigenous peoples. Indexed by country.

Wilderness Education Association Proceedings 1992. Pueblo, CO: WEA, 1992. Available for US\$10.00 from Dave Cockrell, University of Southern Colorado, 2200 N. Bonforte Blvd., Pueblo, CO 81001.

Serials

Afrotech Environmentalist. Global Environmental Forum, P.O. Box 4028, Logan, UT 84321. US\$10.00. Bimonthly.

"Purpose is to educate all Americans and, in particular, African Americans and other minority groups about the dangers of pollution to their health and quality of life."

Earthword: The Journal of Environmental and Social Responsibility. EOS Institute, 580 Broadway, Suite 200, Laguna Beach, CA 92651. TEL: 714-497-1896. Quarterly. US\$18.00

A substantive journal examining sustainable urban environments. The eighty page issue No. 4 focused on transportation planning and the restoration of cities.

EcoOpportunities. Business Environmental Network, c/o Peninsula Conservation Center, 2448 Watson Court, Palo Alto, CA 94303. TEL: 415-494-9301. Bimonthly. US\$49.00.

Newsletter focuses on what businesses can do to be more environmentally friendly, advertises workshops, gives examples of what various business are doing.

Environmental Values. White Horse Press, 1 Strand, Isle of Harris, Scotland PA83 3UD. Quarterly. US\$110.00. ISSN: 0963-2179.

Scholarly reflections on the role of the environment in our lives. Interdisciplinary and international. Numerous book reviews included.

Hazardous Substances and Public Health. Agency of Toxic Substances and Disease Registry, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Mailstop E33, Atlanta, GA 30333. Bimonthly.

The February/March 1993 (vol. 3, no. 1) issue is devoted to "Native American/Alaska Native Health Concerns."

Journal of Sustainable Forestry. Food Products Press, 10 Alice St., Binghampton, NY 13904-1580. Quarterly. US\$48.00 (libraries). ISSN: 1054-9811.

Socialist Review. Center for Social Research and Education, 2940 16th St, Suite 102, San Francisco, CA 94103. Quarterly. US\$24.00. ISSN: 0161-1801.

Volume 22, No.4, October-December 1992 issue on "Environment as Politics: The Shifting Ground of Activism." 167 pages of lengthy articles from a socialist perspective.

Talking Leaves: A Journal of Deep Ecology and Spiritual Activism. 1430 Willamette, Suite 367, Eugene, OR 97401. 8/yr. US\$18.00.

Issue No. 43, a 16 page tabloid size issue, is a nice mix of articles on James Bay controversy, nuclear power and uranium mining, and thoughtful spiritually focused pieces on the sense of place. A great networking/calendar for people in the Cascadia Bioregion.

The Taproot. Coalition for Education in the Outdoors, P.O. Box 2000, Park Center, Cortland, NY 13045. Quarterly. US\$25.00. ISSN: 1065-5204.

The Spring 1993 issue is 28 pages of brief articles, excellent calendar of forthcoming events, several pages of interesting resources, professional opportunities and news shorts.

Electectronic Sources and Tools

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Chicago.

Free environmental software titles include "Groundwater Education System," "Principles of In-Site Treatment," "Residential Water Conservation," "Drinking Water Regulations," "Private Drinking Water Supplies," "Agricultural Pollution Prevention." All programs are IBM compatible and are public domain. Send formatted disks to: Alfred Krause, U.S. EPA, 230 S. Dearborn, % WCP, Chicago, IL 60604.

Envirogopher.

The EnviroLink Network contains archives of the EnviroLinks Networks, as well as a compilation of many other on- and off-line information sources. The main menu offers choices including "EnviroAction", "EnviroInfo", "EnviroOrgs", "EnviroPolitics" and even "Other Gopher Servers" which will allow you to connect with the ECOGOPHER at the University of Virginia.

There are a number of ways to connect to ENVIROGOPHER.

*** type telnet envirolink.hss.cmu.edu"

*** username: GOPHER

*** password: ENVIROLINK

Most Gopher servers have a directory that lists "Other Gopher Servers". Choose this, then look under "North America" and then "General" under the gopher name: EnviroGopher. Some Gopher servers offer a "keyword search". Simply type "EnviroGopher". This information received via The Envirolink Network. System Administrator: Josh Knauer. TEL: 412-681-8300 env-link+@andrew.cmu.edu.

A Biologist's Guide to Internet Resources.

This guide contains an overview and lists of free Internet resources such as scientific discussion groups and mailing lists, research newsletters, directories and bibliographies, huge data and software archives, tools for finding and retrieving information of specific interests to biologists, as well as a bibliography of useful books about the Internet and documents published through the Internet. The most current version of the free 30 page guide can be obtained via the Internet in many ways. Here are a few of them:

*** In USENET, look in sci.bio or sci.answers

*** Gopher to sunsite.unc.edu, and choose this sequence of menu items: Sunsite Archives

Browse All Sunsite Archives

Academic

Biology

*** Or, from any Gopher offering other biology gophers by topic, look for the menu "Ecology and Evolution [at UNC or Yale]"

*** FTP to rtfm.mit.edu. Give username "anonymous" and your e-mail address as the password. Use the "cd" command to go to the pub/usenet/news.answers/biology/ directory and use "get guide" to copy the file to your computer. The guide is actually stored as guide.Z, which is a compressed binary file, but if you specify "guide" it will be uncompressed and translated to readable ASCII before it is transferred to your computer. You can also use anonymous FTP to sunsite.unc.edu, where this guide is stored as pub/academic/biology/ecology=evolution/FAQ.

*** If all else fails, send e-mail to mail- server@rtfm.mit.edu with the text "send usenet/news.answers/biology/guide". Because the guide is so long, you will probably receive it in parts.

This information was found on BIOSPH-L as provide by Una Smith, Department of Biology, Yale University. E-mail: <smith-una@yale.edu>.

New References to Electronic Conservation Information

The Guide to Online Resources for the Conservationist helps computer and modem using conservationists and environmentalists join the information age, by telling how to link up to computer connections that are shaping research and activism around the world. The 36-page document provides summary information about commercial online services such as Econet, Compuserve, and America Online, "conferences" and electronic publications on the worldwide Internet, Bitnet, USENET, and Fidonet networks, and computerized databases and online indexes. Phone numbers of smaller computer bulletin boards systems (BBSs) are also included. The information ranges from hiking to farming to toxic water clean-up. The compilers of the lists are Dan Wendling and J. Scott Christianson. Electronic copies can be obtained from the Coin of the Realm BBS (301-585-6697). For those currently without a computer and modem, the printed document is available for \$5 per copy from Dan Wendling, at P.O. Box 13178, Silver Spring, MD 20911. Wendling's Internet address is <danlay@well.sf.ca.us>.

Conferences: Past and Future

Advocacy for Policies to Favor Sustainable Agriculture in the North and in the South. September 1993. Germany.

Contact: European Ecumenical Organization for Development (EECOD), 174 rue Joseph II, B-1040 Brussels, Belgium.

Association for Conservation Information Conference. July 14-18, 1993. Portsmouth, NH. Contact Bob Campbell, South Carolina Wildlife and Marine Department, PO Box 12559, Charleston, SC 29422.

Association for Experiential Education Conference. September 30 - October 3, 1993. Smugglers Notch, VT. Contact: AEE 2885 Aurora Ave. #28, Boulder, CO 80303. TEL: 303-440-8844.

Deep Ecology Workshop. August 16-20, 1993. Aspen, CO.

Contact: Jody Cardamone, Aspen Center for Environmental Studies, PO Box 8777, Aspen, CO 81612. TEL: 303-925-5756.

Environmental Education 2000 - International Conference. June 23-26, 1993. Leesburg, VA. Contact: Alliance for Environmental Education, 51 Main Street, PO Box 368, The Plains, VA 22171. TEL: 703-253-5812.

"The Experience of Integrated Resource Management (IRM) for Sustainable Agriculture." September 1993. Beijing, China.

Contact: Prof. Cheng Xu, Beijing Agricultural University, Beijing China, TEL: 861-258-2244, or Prof. Shu Geng, Department of Agronomy and Range Science, University of California-Davis, Davis, CA 95616, TEL: 916-752-6039.

Fifth World Wilderness Conference. September 24-October 1, 1993. Tromso, Norway.

Contact: David Rothenberg, Department of Humanities, N.J. Institute of Technology, Newark, NJ 07102.

Fish and Wildlife Librarians Conference. July 8-10, 1993. International Peace Gardens, Manitoba/North Dakota.

Contact: Alison Welch, Northwest Territories Renewable Resources Library, PO Box 1320, Yellowknife, NWT, Canada, TEL: 403-920-8606, or Inez Hopkins, Idaho Fish and Game Library, PO Box 25, Boise, ID 83707, TEL: 208-334-2114.

Global Forum on Environmental and Development Education. September-24-28, 1993. New Delhi, India. Contact: Indian Environmental Society, U-112 (3rd Floor), Vidhata House, Vikas Marg, Shakarpur, Delhi 110 092 India.

"Green Cities and Green Justice" the annual NATIONAL GREEN GATHERING will be held August 13-17, 1993 in Syracuse, New York.

Further information can be obtained from the Greens Clearinghouse, P.O. Box 30208, Kansas City, MO 64112, TEL: 816-931-9366, or Howie Hawkins in Syracuse, TEL: 315-475-4822 or 315-445-9568.

Four Corners Green Parties (Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah). Hovenweep National Monument, Arizona. June 19-20, 1993.

Contact: Bruce Gungle. TEL: 602-743-0809.

Green Party of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN. July 10, 1993.

Contact: Keith Nybakke. TEL: 612-729-2723 <knybakke@igc.apc.org>.

Ontario Greens. Ottawa, ON. July 10-11, 1993. TEL: 416-284- 2597.

Green Party of California, Santa Barbara, CA. July 10-11, 1993.

Contact: Nancy Broyles. TEL: 805-963-2687 <nbroyles@igc.apc.org>.

Australian Greens, location to be determined. August 14-15, 1993.

Contact: Gosta Lynga. TEL: (61) 6-249-0220 or e-mail <gosta@merlin.anu.edu.au>.

Green Party United Kingdom, Wolverhampton, England. September 16-19, 1993.

Contact: Duncan McCanlis. TEL: (44) 225-480-556.

"Images of the Environment: Evolving Perspectives of the Global Commons. An Interdisciplinary Graduate/Faculty Symposium." November 5-6, 1993. Flagstaff, Arizona.

Contact: Andy Harper or Hugh Bartling, Department of History, Northern Arizona University, Box 6023, Flagstaff, AR 86011. TEL: 602-523-6167.

Institute for Earth Education Conference. September 29- October 3, 1993. Haliburton, Ontario.

Contact: IEE, Cedar Grove, Greenville, WV 24945. TEL: 304-832-6404.

International Workshop on Sustainable Land Management for the 21st Century. July 20-23, 1993. Lethbridge, Alberta.

Contact: University of Lethbridge, 7701 University Drive, Lethbridge Alberta T1K 3M4.

Leopold Center Annual Conference. July 14-15, 1993. Ames, IA.

Contact: Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture, Iowa State University, Ames, IA 50011. TEL: 515-294-3711.

National Park and Recreation Association Conference. October 22-25, 1993.

Contact: NPRA, 2775 South Quincy St., Suite #300, Arlington, VA 22206. TEL: 703-820-4940.

New York State Outdoor Education Association Conference. October 21-24, 1993. Lake George, NY.

Contact: NYSOEA, PO Box 81, Blue Mountain Lake, NY 12812.

North American Association for Environmental Education Conference. September 24-29, 1993. Big Sky, MT. Contact: NAAEE, PO Box 400, Troy, OH 45373. TEL: 513-698-6493.

Pennsylvania Alliance for Environmental Education Conference. November 11-14, 1993. Shawnee on the Delaware, PA.

Contact: PAEE, 601 Orchid Place, Emmaus, PA 18049. TEL: 215-967-PAEE.

13th Annual Schumacher Lectures. October 23, 1993. Yale University, New Haven, CT. Sponsored by the E.F. Schumacher Society. Box 76, RD 3, Great Barrington, MA 02130. TEL: 413-528-1737.

Confirmed speakers include: Wes Jackson, co-founder of the Land Institute; Winona LaDuke, founder of the White Earth Recovery Project; and George Davis, a land use planner, MacArthur grant winner who has been recently working on land use policies for the ecologically sensitive Lake Baikal watershed.

Summer School in Applied Deep Ecology. August 1-14, 1993. Boulder, CO.

Contact: Institute for Deep Ecology Education, Box 2290, Boulder, CO 80306. TEL: 303-939-8398.

Joanna Macy, Bill Devall, Randy Hayes, Rachel Bagby, Carl Anthony, Ed Grumbine, David Abram, Stephanie Kaza, Alan Drengson, Elizabeth Roberts, David Haenke, Freeman House, Lisa Faithornn, Bill Moyer, Susan

Griffin, Margaret Pavel, Elan Shapiro, Elias Amidon are among the environmental leaders, educators and activists coming together for this "collaborative curriculum".

Second International Symposium and Exhibition on Environmental Contamination in Central and Eastern Europe, September 20-23,1994, Budapest, Hungary.

<buda@chaerse.fsu.edu>.

Contact: Roy C. Herndon, Symposium Co-Chairman Florida State University/CHAERSE, 2035 East Paul Dirac Drive, 226HMB, Tallahassee, Florida 32310-3700 USA, TEL: 904-644-5524 E-Mail:

International Geographical Union Conference "Environment and Quality of Life in Central Europe: Problems of Transition", 22-26 August, Prague, Czech Republic.

Contact:IGU RC, Albertov 6, 12843 Praha 2, Czech Republic TEL:=+42-2-24912060 or +42-2-296025 E-Mail:<kucera@prfdec.natur.cuni.cz>.