



2025 Research Symposium Schedule of Sessions (Live)

All Times are Eastern Daylight Time

11:00 AM–12:15 PM	2025 Research Symposium Opening and Keynote						
12:30–1:45 PM	Panel 1A	Panel 1B	Panel 1C	Panel	Panel	Panel	Workshop
	Climate Education for Agency: The Power of Emotion	There Are Rules to Being Outside: Youth Notions of Environmental Justice	Nature-Based STEM Curricula for 2- and 3-Year-Olds: A Case Study	Emotions That Facilitate Action in Climate Change Programs	Leading from the Middle: Schools as Catalysts for Sustainability Transformation	Persistence in STEM: Lessons from the SEAS Islands Alliance	Beyond the Surface: Ripple Effects Mapping for Evaluating Community-Based Learning
	Teens! Together! Now! Emotional Resilience in International Youth-Focused Climate Programs	The Relationship Between Body Image and Environmental Education	Young Children and Families: Informal Learning, the Natural World, and Empathy Challenges				
	Navigating Teacher Climate Emotions: Insights for Sustainable Climate Education	What Can the School Do? Negotiating Change for Outdoor Learning	Challenges and Insights Around Community-Centered Research In Outdoor Environmental Learning				

1:45–2:45 PM	Break						
2:45–4:00 PM	Panel 2A	Panel 2B	Panel 2C	Panel	Panel	Panel	Panel
	How Are Indigenous Ways of Knowing Included in Environmental Education?	Evaluating Game-Based Strategies to Develop Collective Environmental Literacy	Co-Developing Resilience Assessments and Research Tools in Partnership with Teachers	Accelerating Climate Change Education for Professionals: Canadian Experiences	Nature and the Philosophy of Environmental Education—A Critical Discussion	Personalization, Place, and Participation in Environmental Education with AI	Opportunities and Insights in Academic Publishing in EE/ESE: Forum with Journal Editors
	Rewriting Reality: Speculative Fiction as a Tool for Cultivating Environmental Imaginaries	How Do Education Students Compare? An Undergraduate Climate Literacy Assessment	Insights from Primary Teachers’ Experiences Infusing Sustainability into Mathematics Instruction				
	What is Environmental Learning? A Model for Decolonizing Our Practice	Measuring Collective Environmental Literacy Through Action Research Approaches	Preparing Early Childhood Preservice Educators in Nature-Based Field Placements				

	Panel 3A	Panel 3B	Panel 3C	Panel	Panel	Panel	
4:15–5:30 PM	Building Teacher Capacity: Socio-Ecological Literacy, Self-Efficacy, and Future Intentions	Awe, Spirituality, Connection to Nature: Emerging Themes in Environmental Education	Text-Based Methodologies in Environmental Education Research: An Ecolinguistic Perspective	Towards a Resurgence of Non-Secular Ideas in Environmental Education?	Beyond Borders: How Countries Address Climate Communication and Education	Evaluation Is Formed by Values: Lessons from the eeVAL Project	
	Student-Led Learning in a LEED for Cities Certification Project	Connecting EE with the Science of Reading Through Nature Journaling	Exploring AI in Environmental Education: Nonformal Educators' Perspectives				
	Mapping Climate Education's Digital Landscape: Participatory Methodologies and Preliminary Findings	Exploring the Role of Nature Connections in University Wellness Courses	Knotworking: Using CHAT to Understand Learning Ecosystem Partnerships				
5:45–6:15 PM	2025 Research Symposium Closing						