



Consuming Well for the Wealth of Communities, from IUPUI to the World (Part Deux)

Healthy Communities || Green Economy || Sustainability & Social Justice
Common Theme website http://www.iupui.edu/common_theme/

- Can we have a conversation about better and worse ways to consume?
- What do we know already about green business, climate change, and sustainability?
- What promotes happiness in our communities, and how do we support these local forms of wealth?
- How should we rebuild and reinvest in our economy, lives, and society?

The Book:

You are welcome to continue with Bill McKibben's *Deep Economy* from 2009 – 2010
OR enjoy the new book for 2010 – 2011: Colin Beavan's *No-Impact Man*

The book will be available in paperback in May 2010. University Library will have copies available for checkout [Call number TD171.7 .B43 2009] and copies on reserve at the UL Circulation Desk as well. Watch for excerpts on the Common Theme website and copies for student checkout at the Bepko Learning Center.



The Documentary:

- View the trailer: http://www.noimpactdoc.com/index_m.php.
- Public screenings of the film on campus on dates TBA plus copies of the DVD will be purchased for checkout at University Library.

The Supporting Cast:

In addition to resources available on the Common Theme website you may also be interested in using:

- Colin Beavan's blog: <http://noimpactman.typepad.com/>
- Book on CD: available at University Library Circulation Desk [Call number: TD171.7 . B438 2009]
- No Impact Project [non-profit organization]: <http://noimpactproject.org/>

The Events:

Events, including a campus visit by the author, Colin Beavan, will be posted on the Common Theme website and widely publicized in other venues. Tentative events and projects include:

- Symposium on local effects of climate change (Gabe Filippelli, Dept. of Earth Sciences)
- DORMaTECHture Project (School of Engineering & Technology)
- Lugar Center for Renewable Resources (fall and spring forums)
- Urban sustainability speaker series (IUPUI Honors College)
- *Localizando Food*, youth short film plus discussion about healthy communities (possible Spirit & Place event)
- Sustainability film series (Student Activities & Programming Board, Go Green IUPUI)
- October 14, 2010 - "Hoosier Values: Can We Reconcile Independence and the Common Good?" (SPEA, Christian Theological Seminary)