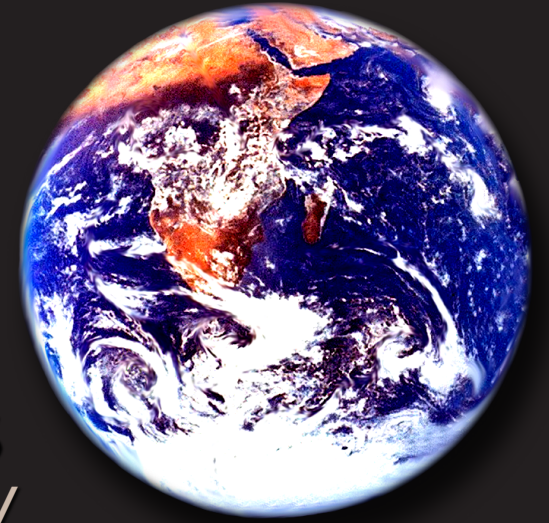


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## FALL 2024

26 September

**BENJAMIN SOVACOOOL**

Professor of Earth & Environment, Boston University

*Conceptual Frameworks & New Frontiers in Energy Justice*

10 October

**JOHN VAILLANT**

Pulitzer Prize- and National Book Award-nominated author of *Fire Weather: On the Front Lines of a Burning World*

*Fire and Oil: Coming to Terms with a More Flammable World*

17 October

**FRANCESCA DOMENICI**

Clarence James Gamble Professor of Biostatistics, Population & Data Science; Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health  
Harvard University

*Data Science to Address the Health Impacts of Climate Change*

## SPRING 2025

30 January

**BART ELMORE**

Professor of Environmental History, The Ohio State University

*What the History of Monsanto Can Teach Us About the Future of Food*

6 March

**WOMEN'S CENTER SPEAKER**

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*Presentation: To Be Determined*

27 March

**DAVID SEDLACK**

Plato Malozemoff Distinguished Professor, Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering  
University of California, Berkeley

*Realizing the Promise of Nature-Based Water Treatment in the Age of Climate Change Adaptation*