

# The 7th Generation\* Lecture Series Fall 2019

*Free and open to the public.*

Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> : 7:00 p.m. CANR 101

**“Thriving with a Local Food System:  
A look at a successful restaurant using this model”**

**Chef Dave Macintosh and Dan Donahue**

*Forged* is a restaurant in Hudson Falls, New York which is about 15 minutes north of Saratoga Springs. Chef Macintosh and beverage manager, Dan Donahue, will discuss the challenges of a local, sustainable approach to their business. *Forged* has received recognition in culinary and food circles for its approach using a local business model.



Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup> : 7:00 p.m. CANR 101

**“ Community-Focused Interventions for Successful Conservation of Natural Resources”**

**Shorna B. Allred, PhD is an Associate Professor in  
Cornell University’s Department of Natural Resources.**

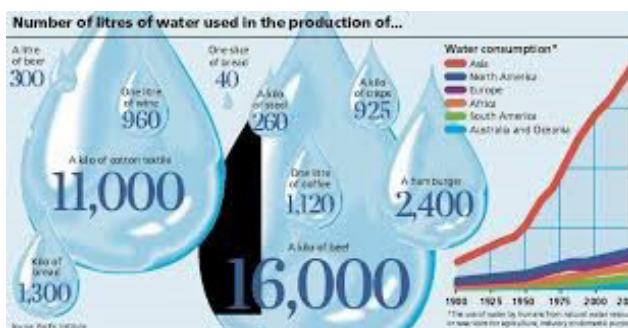
Dr. Allred’s research program blends human factors and natural sciences to improve resource management and conservation. She will explain how an understanding of human social, political, and psychological processes enhance our ability to conserve and manage our natural resources and encourage an open and informed exchange of ideas.

Tuesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> : 7:00 p.m. CANR 101

**“Planning and Management of Water Systems for a  
Sustainable Future under Climate Change”**

**Scott Steinschneider, PhD, is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Biological and Environmental Engineering at Cornell University.**

Dr. Steinschneider’s research goal is to understand how water resource systems can be designed and managed sustainably for the future, particularly under pressures from climate variability and change. His presentation will highlight how emerging knowledge of hydrology and climate, systems analysis, and risk management can help provide actionable information to support water system resiliency in an increasingly variable and changing climate.



Thursday, November 7<sup>th</sup> : 7:00 p.m. CANR 101

**“The Paradox of Real Water and the Puzzle of Virtual Water”**

**Ashraf Ghaly, Ph.D., P.E., Professor of Engineering,  
Union College, Schenectady, NY**

Water is a precious commodity and it is traded between nations and people through goods. Dr. Ghaly will present an important new way for you to look at water distribution.

\*“The Mohawk Indians believe that all decisions should be made by thinking of the preservation of the earth for the 7th generation. This lecture series provides us with an opportunity to learn about environmental problems and to focus on solutions that are long-term rather than “quick fixes.”