

WCFR Springfield, VT
Quarterly Issues/Programs List
4th Quarter 2021

All shows were titled “Commonwealth Journal”, aired at 7:00 AM Sundays, and ran 30 minutes.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Description</u>
10/3	Small businesses	Restaurateur Barbara Lynch describes the challenges of the restaurant business
10/10	Relevance of Shakespeare	Author Molly Booth talks about Shakespeare’s works and their relevance in contemporary society
10/17	Racism	Professor Zahira Abdullah of UMass Boston talks about the impact of racism in America
10/24	Relevance of speculative fiction	Author Max Gladstone talks about speculative fiction and how it addresses contemporary issues
10/31	Aging	Professor Jan Muchler speaks about growing old in a northern city
11/7	Civic deserts	Kay Kawashima Ginsburg, Felicia Sullivan discuss the phenomenon of civic deserts in America
11/14	Anger in politics	UMass Boston professor of psychology Michael Milburn discusses the politics of anger
11/21	Masculinity	Author M.T. Anderson talks about medieval masculine culture and its relevance today
11/28	Climate change	Robin Hannigan, dean of UMass Boston school for the environment, gives her perspective on the climate change problem
12/5	Labor relations	Steven Tolman of AFL/CIO and Stephen Strickler of the University of Massachusetts, Boston discuss the challenges facing the American labor movement
12/12	Personal relations	Author Susan Quinn talks about the relationship between Lorena Hickock and Eleanor Roosevelt
12/19	Solitary confinement	Playwright Julia Steele Allen explores solitary confinement and its effects
12/26	Definition of family	The filmmakers of The Guys Next Door talk about the changing definition of family in modern society