

Quarterly Issues and Programming Responses  
For period covering: April 1, 2013 - June 30, 2013

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Note: This issues/programs list was filed after reviewing the programming that ran during the above three-month period. A wide variety of public interest programs were aired that related directly to issues facing our community, nation, and world. Following is a summary of public affairs programs and times they aired:

Voices of Our World	Sunday	7:30-8:00 AM
Bioneers	Sunday	8:00-8:30 AM
PSA/Promos	Daily	
American Religious Landscapes	Sunday	12 PM - 6-8 minutes
Humankind	Sunday	6-7 AM
College Mennonite Church Service	Sunday	9:15-10:45 AM
Trinity United Methodist Service	Sunday	11:00-11:30 AM

Education/Environment: 4/7/13

**Bioneers** – *A Fantastic Object: Social Capitalism and the United States of Europe*

Despite suffering severe shocks from the 2008 global economic and banking crisis, nations of the European Union have provided the world with a potent new economic species. “Social Capitalism” shares prosperity more widely, institutionalizes broader national democracy, and creates long-term environmental sustainability. It includes universal healthcare that’s affordable, education for all that is often free, family-friendly work policies, and real worker participation in corporate decision-making. Europe watcher Steven Hill believes it may be the most important innovation in the world economy since the rise of the corporation – and we all have a “ringside seat to history.”

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Environment: 4/14/13

**Bioneers** *Working With Nature to Heal Nature: Landscapes of Hope*

- Just like our bodies, nature has a profound capacity for healing and self-repair. Filmmaker-turned-ecological-restorer John Liu shifted from documenting China’s massive environmental and societal upheavals to filming a groundbreaking, large-scale ecosystem restoration cum local economic renewal. Prioritizing nature’s ecological functions above producing goods and services, the groundbreaking work is spreading to other nations, with Liu as a global ambassador of dramatic ecosystem restoration wonders.

## Issue/Date Aired

## Program addressing issue

Environment: 5/5/13

**Bioneers**     *Not Fate But Choice: Reinventing Fire for the Clean Energy Era*

The internationally acclaimed energy and design strategist Amory Lovins shows how by 2050 we can run our energy system with no oil, coal or nuclear power. He says we can achieve that vision with clean energy and energy conservation, led by business, without an act of Congress or any new inventions. By making this transition, we can save more than \$5 trillion and double the size of the US economy.

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Environment: 5/19/13

**Bioneers**     *Good Jobs, Clean Environment: Both or Neither*

The emerging green economy promises to provide large-scale job creation while healing the Earth and building the middle class. Roxanne Brown, Assistant Legislative Director for the United Steelworkers and Steering Committee member of the BlueGreen Alliance, describes how this national partnership of major labor unions and environmental organizations is expanding the number and quality of jobs in the green economy. BlueGreen Alliance Director of Chemicals, Public Health and Green Chemistry Charlotte Brody portrays the real-time societal transformation underway when workers and environmentalists find common ground and also honestly acknowledge their differences.

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Environment: 5/26/13

**Bioneers**     *Conspiracy of Ancestors: The Indigeneity Essentials*

We're all indigenous to planet Earth, but we've not been acting that way. Cultural ecologist, indigenous scholar and activist Dr. Melissa K. Nelson reminds native and non-native peoples alike that we all need to re-indigenize ourselves by learning and practicing nature's operating instructions and the Original Instructions for how to be a human being. At this unprecedented moment of globalized environmental breakdown, it's going to take the best of Western science and the indigenous science of Traditional Ecological Knowledge (TEK) to navigate this evolutionary keyhole.

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Environment: 6/9/13

**Bioneers***Swimming Our Talk: Blue Mind, Ocean Heart*

- Illuminating the magical underwater world, Jacques Cousteau's 1960s films and TV show caused a sea change by moving the hearts and minds of tens of millions. Marine biologist Wallace J. Nichols, ocean advocates Philippe and Alexandra Cousteau, and the Truckee High School Envirovolution Club are among the rising tides of passionate innovators making remarkable advances to understand and restore the waters of the world. Their inspiring stories give good reason for hope, including the scientific fact that we have a "blue mind" born in and of the ocean to guide us.

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Environment: 6/23/13

**Bioneers***Taking a Breath: Healing the Inner Environment*

Brain research is revealing astounding insights into the mechanisms of post-traumatic stress and neuroplasticity - the brain's ability to be rewired and re-trained. The world today is ravaged by traumas - from war, privation and economic crashes to natural disasters and ongoing environmental degradation. In response, world-renowned psychiatrist Dr. James S. Gordon of the Center for Mind Body Medicine has trained thousands of teachers globally to advance ancient mind-body healing techniques of self-care to reconnect each individual with his or her own nature, with family and community, and with the natural world. The results are impressive. What might happen if we approach healing the environment from the inside out?

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Philanthropy: 6/30/13

**Bioneers***Radical Patriotism: Growing Growers and Seeding Leaders for a Real Food Future*

What happens when green turns to grey? Fewer than 5 percent of 2 million American farmers are under 45 years old. Bucking that trend is the next generation of unstoppable young farmers Severine von Tscharner Fleming, Tyler Webb, and Sarita Role Schaffer, along with renowned urban food innovator Nikki Henderson and real food advocate Amin Steele. With dirt under their nails and laptops at their fingertips, they're reinventing a "radical patriotism" founded in a return to local agriculture and community. It runs on clean energy and knows how to move markets. It seeks greater self-sufficiency, self-determination and food justice, and the checkout line is the pulpit.

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**Issue/Date Aired**

**Program addressing issue**

Religion: 4/7/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #040713

Edith Schaeffer

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Religion: 4/21/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #042113

George Beverly Shea

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Religion: 4/28/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #042813

Rick Warren

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**Issue/Date Aired**

**Program addressing issue**

Religion: 5/12/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #051213

Ecumenism and Mergers

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Religion: 5/19/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #051913

Tensions at Erskine College

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Religion: 6/2/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #060213

Father Devine

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**Issue/Date Aired****Program addressing issue**

Religion: 6/9/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #060913

Summer Bible School

Religion: 6/23/13

**American Religious Landscapes** #062313

American Evangelicals and Sex

Society: 4/7/13

**Humankind** *Richard Weissbourd*

In this provocative dialogue, Richard Weissbourd, who has founded an inner city school, raised a family and teaches at Harvard's graduate school of education as well as the Kennedy school of government, reflects on the complex process of cultivating moral awareness in young people. He believes young children frequently know the difference between right and wrong, but following their inner "moral compass" requires active nurturing by parents who both discuss real-world choices and model moral behavior in their own lives, including interactions with others. The challenge of moral reasoning and resolving conflicting loyalties are also discussed. SEGMENT 2: In this program, we learn about how people develop different levels of empathy. Daniel Goleman is a former New York Times science reporter specializing in how brain function affects the way we feel and perceive life. His best-selling book "Emotional Intelligence" described emerging brain research that shows the superior functioning of people who develop skills of self-awareness and the ability to regulate their emotions. He has now ventured into understanding the brain chemistry of how people interact with each other, the subject of his subsequent book, "Social Intelligence."

Environment: 4/14/13

**Voices of Our World***Becoming Noah*

Rewilding is the international effort to save species by restoring habitats, reviving migration corridors and helping humans and the wild coexist. In honor of the 41st Earth Day, today we talk with journalist and author of *Rewilding the World: Dispatches From the Conservation Revolution*, Caroline Fraser.

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Culture/Society: 4/28/13

**Voices of Our World***Chasing Chillies*

In the new book *Chasing Chiles*, three American chile-lovers examine the health of our agricultural and farming systems through the lens of the iconic chile pepper - from the viewpoints of the farmers who cultivate the crops, to the cuisines and cultural traditions in which peppers play a prominent role. Today we hear from co-author and ethno-botanist Gary Paul Nabhan.

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Education/Health: 5/5/13

**Voices of Our World***It Takes A Clinic*

Our guest today is Maryknoll Lay Missioner Dr. Susan Nagele, who for the past 29 years has served throughout Africa, establishing several dispensaries and health centers in various regions, and training locals to administer quality healthcare services in both rural and urban settings. Please join us as she speaks with us about the difficulties and challenges of building and maintaining healthcare infrastructures in the developing world.

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Culture/Society: 5/12/13

**Voices of Our World***Wi-Fi Democracy*

Today we can take part in 21st century-style town meetings and national debates through websites such as America speaks. If your town is registered with participatory sites such as SeeClickFix, you can let your local government know about a road hazard you encountered using your smart phone. Our guest is Jared Duval, a fellow at Demos, a New York-based think tank, and author of *New Generation Democracy: What the Open-source Revolution Means for Power, Politics and Change*.

Culture/Society: 5/26/13

**Voices of Our World***Whitopia*

Today we're talking with journalist Dr. Rich Benjamin, a black man, who embarked on a fascinating 2 year study traversing the U.S. exploring the recent trend in white migration to homogeneous small towns and examining the fastest growing and whitest communities across the nation. We bring you a conversation with the author of *Searching For Whitopia: An Improbable Journey to the Heart of White America*, Rich Benjamin.

Philanthropy: 6/2/13

**Voices of Our World***Ethical Investment*

Is profit the only measure of success? What does it mean to invest, or hold shares in a business, and what are our responsibilities as shareholders and as corporate executives? Our guest is Professor Lynn Stout, author of *"The Shareholder Value Myth: How Putting Shareholders First Harms Investors, Corporations, and the Public"*.

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Society: 6/9/13

**Voices of Our World***A Shot Away*

A Shot Away is a docu-drama about sexual assault in the U.S. military, based entirely on interviews with American soldiers who have been sexually assaulted by their "fellow" soldiers. Today we speak with the docu-drama's author Donna Fiumano-Farley, Director Melanie Moyer Williams, actresses Laura Anderson and Jackie Sanders.

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Society: 6/23/13

**Voices of Our World***Hot on the Trail of Sustainability*

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