

# Issues and Programs List

WREK-Atlanta, 91.1 FM, maintains a strong commitment to serving its listening audience by broadcasting daily educational, public affairs programming. Like it's musical mission, WREK has a public affairs mission that seeks to expand the social and intellectual horizons of its listeners by offering information and perspectives not otherwise offered via other media outlets in the Atlanta metropolitan area. The following programs also compliment Georgia Tech's educational goals by providing programming that focus on the areas of science, technology, engineering, social and environmental issues, world events and culture. Descriptions of the following programs that WREK airs can be found on the following pages:

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Contact WREK's Public Affairs Program Director <psa.director@wrek.org>for more information about programs.

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Air Day & Time Sundays - (10:00am-10:30am)

Subject/Category Women's Issues

**Description** Over half the people in the world are women. What women do affects us all.

Now, there's a radio program that takes a serious and intelligent look on society's impact on women and their impact on society. 51% is a weekly half-hour of illuminating features and interviews focusing on issues of particular

concern to women.

Topics covered in these programs include global feminism, economic and electoral equity, abortion and reproductive rights, equality in the workplace and in the home, racial and ethnic diversity, lesbian rights and women in the military.

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#### **Alternative Radio**

Air Day & Time Sundays - (11:00am-12:00pm)

Subject/Category Domestic, Foreign & Environmental Policy

Description

Alternative Radio is a weekly one-hour public affairs program that provides information, analyses and views that are frequently ignored or distorted in other

media.

Established in 1986, AR is dedicated to the founding principles of public broadcasting, which urge that programming serve as "a forum for controversy and debate," be diverse and "provide a voice for groups that may otherwise be unheard." The project is entirely independent, sustained solely by individuals who buy transcripts and tapes of programs. AR is part of the non-profit Institute

for Social and Cultural Change.

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#### **Between the Lines**

Air Day & Time Sundays - (9:00am–9:30am)

Subject/Category Domestic and International Current Events

Description Listen for a five-minute summary of the week's underreported news followed by

in depth coverage of political, economic and social topics. The program also offers timely information on how to become active on the issues featured on each week's program. Every interview segment includes phone numbers and Web sites to facilitate contact between listeners and activist groups that are

taking a stand on critical issues of the day.

Primary Contact Anna Manzo, (203) 268-8446, betweenthelines@snet.net

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### **Cambridge Forum**

Air Day & Time Sundays - (10:30am-11:00am)

Subject/Category GLBQT Issues and Affairs

Description Recorded live in Harvard Square at the First Parish, Cambridge Forum focuses

on the issues and ideas that shape our lives. Speakers explore topics ranging

from the state of American democracy to the age of technology, from

international politics to climate change.

Primary Contact Mary Stack < director@cambridgeforum.org >

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Website <a href="http://www.cambridgeforum.org">http://www.cambridgeforum.org</a>

**Planetary Radio** 

Air Day & Time Sundays - (8:00am-8:30am)

Subject/Category Science

Description Each week, Planetary Radio visits with a scientist, engineer, project manager,

advocate or writer who provides a unique perspective on the quest for knowledge about our solar system and beyond. We also showcase regular features that raise your space IQ while they put a smile on your face.

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## The Best of Our Knowledge

Air Day & Time Sundays - (8:30am-9:00am)

Subject/Category Information

Description Keep your listeners informed of the developments in education that can change

their lives. The Best of Our Knowledge keeps listeners up-to-date on educational trends, from pre-school to PhD, and spotlights breakthroughs in all disciplines. Hosted and Produced by Bob Barrett, this weekly program is available free of

charge.

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**Tech Nation** 

Air Day & Time Sundays - (7:00am-8:00am)

Subject/Category Technology & Science

Description Tech Nation – and its regular segments BioTech Nation – is a weekly public radio

program hosted by Dr. Moira Gunn. It focuses on the impact of technology and

science on modern life.

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**This Way Out** 

Air Day & Time Sundays - (10:30am-11:00am)

Subject/Category GLBQT Issues and Affairs

Description

Since 1988, the award-winning This Way Out has been devoted to issues and concerns of the gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender communities. Listen in for a

10-minute summary of significant news in or affecting sexual minority

communities around the world. Conversations with writers, filmmakers, musical performers and other entertainers, news feature stories, humor, poetry, media criticism, historical retrospectives and other production features round out each

half-hour.

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