# **KGNU Quarterly Issues Program List** 4th Quarter 2022 (October – December 2022)

KGNU 88.5FM/1390am

Topic: Elections

Topic: Health

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Topic: Arts and Culture

## Monday October 3rd, 6:30-7pm

On Outsources, host Elise Matatall takes a walk through cinematic horror history with film professor Andy Scahill. Dr. Scahill is a movie buff and queer community creator through his new film series called Rainbow Cult.

## Tuesday October 4th, 6-7pm.

Topic: International Affairs On *Hemispheres*, hear Yuliya Yurchenko and a lively discussion at the Socialism 2022 Conference. Yuliya Yurchenko is a Senior Lecturer in Political Economy at the Department of Economics and International Business and a researcher at the Political Economy, Governance, Finance and Accountability Institute, University of Greenwich.

# Wednesday October 5th, 8:35-9:30am

On today's A Public Affair, News Director Shannon Young hosts a live call-in show with three members of the League of Women Voters of Boulder County.

# Monday October 10<sup>th</sup>, 3-3:30pm

On *Metro*, host Miriam Schiff speaks with two members of Art As Action: bringing dance, the spoken word, and art to those disabled by Parkinson's Disease.

## Thursday, October 13th, 3-3:30pm

Topic: Food On *Metro*, host Dave Ashton speaks with Ellen Mahoney, Adjunct Professor at Metro State University in Denver, teaching Audio Production in the Journalism and Media Production School. Her new book "Food Stars: 15 Women Stirring Up the Food Industry" is part of the series "Women of Power" for young adult readers.

### Tuesday October 25th, 6-7pm

Topic: Elections 2022 Colorado Gubernatorial Debate: a live broadcast of the 2022 Colorado Gubernatorial Candidate Debates. This broadcast is in partnership with Colorado Mesa University, the Grand Junction Sentinel, CPR, and Rocky Mountain Community Radio member stations.

### Wednesday October 26th, 8:35-9am

On today's A Public Affair, KGNU News Director Shannon Young hosts a candidate forum with three candidates running for the available seats representing Boulder County on the Regional Transportation District board of directors

#### Monday, October 31st, 8:35-9am

On A Public Affair, host Rossana Longo Better speaks with Boulder County Commissioner Marta Loachamin and Boulder County Clerk and Recorder Molly Fitzpatrick about the integrity of our elections, our local ballot issues and the importance of mobilizing the vote among underrepresented groups in the county.

### Tuesday, November 1st, 8:32-9am

On *How On Earth*, the KGNU Science show examines the legacy of the Clean Water Act, 50 years after it came into effect. While there's been some progress since the act was signed in 1972, many view the law as a mixed bag, both nationally and here in Colorado.

Topic: Water

Topic: Food Systems

Topic: History

### Wednesday, November 2nd, 3-3:30pm

Topic: Community Engagement On Metro, host Beverly Grant interviews Omar Montgomery, President of the NAACP Aurora Branch and the Director of Equity, Culture, and Community Engagement for Cherry Creek Schools.

#### Friday, November 4th, 8:32-9:30am

On Connections, host Fiona Foster speaks with former Colorado State Historian, Dr. Nicki Gonzales. Like so many Mexican Americans in this region, her grandparents moved to Denver during WWII for economic opportunities. She specializes in the history of the American West, specifically the history of the Sangre de Cristo land grant and the San Luis community's 160-year legal and cultural struggle to protect its historic land rights.

### Wednesday, November 9th, 8:35-9am

Topic: Arts and Culture The first half of A Public Affair for November 9, 2022 features Longmont-based author Jon Bassoff and Loveland-based musician Wendy Woo. Bassoff recently released his latest book, Beneath Cruel Waters and childhood friend Woo created music inspired by the gothic noir novel.

### Tuesday, November 15th, 3-3:30pm

Topic: Arts and Culture Today's guest on *Metro* is Sam Krentzman, Executive Producer, Writer and Director of "When The Music Stops." This documentary shares the perspectives of Denver musicians and behind-the-scenes event workers faced with the collapse of their industry in the face of Covid-19.

# Thursday, November 17th, 6-6:30pm

Topics: Economy, Finances On the first half of It's The Economy, host Verity Matthews interviews geopolitical financial expert and investigative journalist Nomi Prins about her new book, *Permanent* Distortion: How the Financial Markets Abandoned the Real Economy Forever.

#### Tuesday, November 22nd, 8:32-9am

How on Earth's Beth Bennett talks with authors Ridge Shinn and Lynne Pledger about how regenerative grazing can replace corn-based feedlots, which are responsible for significant climate emissions, nitrogen pollution, and animal suffering. Their book, Grass-Fed Beef for a Post-Pandemic World, outlines a hopeful path out of our broken food system via regional networks of regeneratively produced meat.

### Thursday November 24th, 6-7pm

# Topic: Artificial Intelligence

Many of us may not realize that artificial intelligence, or AI systems, are increasingly being used to make decisions that affect your everyday life, from insurance to hiring. While AI has been a popular buzzword over the last few years, it is worth asking what it is and even more, what it is actually capable of. *Looks Like New* hosted a conversation with Sayash Kapoor, a researcher at Princeton University, whose work explores the implications of the glamorization of AI systems.

## Friday, December 2nd, 8:32-9:30am

## Topic: Science/Technology

On *Connections*, host Fiona Foster interviews Jordan Wirfs-Brock, who recently earned a PhD in Information Science from the University of Colorado Boulder and will be starting as an assistant professor in Computer Science at Whitman College next semester. Her research explores how to bring data into our everyday lives as a creative material by developing data representations that are participatory and engage all of our senses, especially sound.

## Monday, December 5th, 3-3:30pm

## Topic: Women's History

On *Metro*, host Miriam Schiff chats with Debbie Polk, CEO of the YWCA of Boulder County, which is celebrating its 100th year of operations. The YWCA has worked to eliminate racism in Boulder County and to help women and children of all ages and backgrounds to thrive through community programs.

## Thursday, December 8th, 8:32-9:30am

### Topic: Author Interview

On December's *Black Talk*, host Michele Simpson interviews author Nyasha Williams. She is the author of the newly published and available *Black Tarot: An Ancestral Awakening Deck and Guidebook*. She discusses her latest work and her upbringing in South Africa and Louisville, Colorado.

#### Tuesday, December 13th, 8:32-9am

#### Topic: Health/Sleep

In today's *How On Earth*, host Beth Bennett talks with Aric Prather, a professor of psychiatry and behavioral sciences at the University of California, San Francisco. In his new book, *The Sleep Prescription*, Dr. Prather describes the solutions that he uses in the clinic to regain normal sleep. In our conversation, Dr. Prather shares the science behind the simple yet effective techniques that can restore one's sleep.

## Wednesday, December 14th, 8:35-9am

### Topics: Disability Rights, Travel

Air travel is tough enough these days, now that so many people are making up for lost time during COVID. Airlines are trying to survive by packing flights and canceling flights that are not full. Add in holiday crowds and winter weather, and it's stressful for everyone. On today's *A Public Affair*, host Nikkie Kayser asks what air travel is like for folks in wheelchairs. To learn more, she speaks with Lorrain and Topher Downham, two long-time wheelchair pros.

### Thursday, December 22nd, 9-9:30am

Topic: Author Interview

The December selection for the Radio Bookclub is White Horse, the latest novel by

Denver author Erika Wurth. It tells the tale of Kari, an Indigenous woman who must face her past when she discovers a bracelet haunted by her mother's spirit. Kari is haunted by visions of her mother and hunted by a mysterious creature, and must search for what happened to her mother all those years ago. This edition of the *Radio Bookclub* was recorded live at the Boulder Bookstore on November 16, 2022.

Topic: Mental Health

Topic: Natural Disaster

### Monday, December 26th, 3-3:30pm

On Metro, host Miriam Schiff discusses child and adolescent mental health with Dr. Jessica Hawks, Clinical Direct in the Pediatric Mental Health Institute at Children's Hospital and Lyndsay Gaffey, LPC, Director of Inpatient Care Services in the Pediatric Mental Health Institute at Children's Hospital.

## Friday, December 30th, 8:32-9am

December 30, 2022 is the first anniversary of The Marshall Fire and Wind Event, a natural disaster that resulted in catastrophic loss for thousands of people in Boulder County. The fire and its aftermath are still taking a toll on the community. Now, one year later, some of those who lived through that terrible day agreed to share their stories with the *Morning Magazine*.