

## Sustain U.S. Youth for Justice and Sustainability

Achieving Sustainable Development through Social Entrepreneurship: Voices of Global Youth Innovators

February 9, 2016; 11:45 am - 1:00pm

**Location: CRE** 

## **About SustainUS**

At SustainUS, we believe that young people should have a voice in the policy decisions that will shape our future. Our core program, Agents of Change, sends US youth delegations to advocate for justice and sustainability in United Nations meetings on sustainable development, climate change, eradicating poverty, biodiversity loss, and women's rights. We are also developing new programs to support domestic organizing, including advocacy trainings, leadership development, and youth media production.

## **Event Details:**

Innovation, social entrepreneurship, and youth empowerment are critical steps in the successful implementation of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) as we move forward on the path to strengthen social development in the contemporary world. By sharing stories of innovation from young entrepreneurs and community leaders, this event aims to spark dialogue around effective means of change in social development and inspire participants to take meaningful steps toward progress in their home communities. Participants will explore the critical role that youth advocacy plays in moving forward the social development agenda and sustainable solutions in a changing world.

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