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Creator of the 'Soil Carbon Challenge' to Speak at Cal Poly Nov. 30 and Dec. 1

National Expert Peter Donovan Will Present 'Understanding the Carbon Cycle'

SAN LUIS OBISPO – Cal Poly's College of Agriculture, Food and Environmental Sciences' Center for Sustainability will host Peter Donovan of the Soil Carbon Coalition on Friday, Nov. 30 and Saturday, Dec. 1. The event is free and open to the public.

Donovan tells the story of why and how carbon cycling was discovered, and will cover major discoveries of the carbon cycle by western science. Attendees will gain a deeper understanding of the carbon cycle, of human opportunities to make a difference, and a strategy that participants can use to foster positive change. The lecture and workshop are designed for community leaders and professionals from all fields including government, planning, land management/development, agriculture, education, and the general public.

The lecture will take place Friday, Nov. 30 from 4 to 6 p.m. on the Cal Poly campus in Building 11, Room 104. The detailed workshop will be held at the Cal Poly Poultry Unit on Saturday, Dec. 1 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Attendees should bring a lunch.

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