



Williams College Sustainable Food & Agriculture Program

Williams College Sustainable Food & Agriculture Program & The Williams College Women's and Gender Studies Program

Present a Panel Discussion:

Gender & Food Production & Consumption

Thursday, **January 13**, 2011 at 7 pm

Griffin Hall 3 | 844 Main Street | **Williams College** | Williamstown, Mass.



Karen Washington, Member of Garden of Happiness, La Familia Verde Garden Coalition; Just Food City Farms Trainer; President of the NYC Community Garden Coalition; co-recipient of the 2010 National Medal for Museum and Library Service, awarded by Michelle Obama for her work on the NY Botanical Garden's Bronx Green-Up program



Giovanna DiChiro, Ph.D., Research Associate in the Environmental Studies Department at Mount Holyoke College, co-editor of the volume *Appropriating Technology: Vernacular Science and Social Power and Embodied Ecologies: Science, Politics, and Environmental Justice* (forthcoming); co-founder of the Pioneer Valley Community Environmental Justice Coalition



Shannon Hayes, Ph.D. Author of *Radical Homemakers: Reclaiming Domesticity from a Consumer Culture*, *The Grassfed Gourmet*, and *The Farmer and the Grill*; Co-owner, Sap Bush Hollow Farm, Warnerville, NY

Elizabeth Smith, co-founder of Caretaker Farm in Williamstown, MA, ran the NOFA-organic certified commercial vegetable farm for 16 years. Converted to a CSA in 1990, Caretaker Farm provides vegetables, berries, herbs and flowers to 240 households from June – January and provides vegetables to the Berkshire Food Project.

Lisa MacDougall, farmer/owner of Mighty Food Farm in Pownal, VT, graduated from the UMass Amherst with a degree in plant, soil and insect sciences. In 2006 she established Mighty Food Farm, a CSA now in its fifth growing season.

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Presentations will be followed by a community discussion

Free and open to the public

