GreenHouse Roots Seminar – Fall 2021
Environmental Studies 117 - 1 credit
Classroom: Lake Mendota Room, Dejope Hall

Instructors: Dr. Tim Van Deelen, GreenHouse Faculty Director
            Dr. Tom Bryan, GreenHouse Program Coordinator and Greenhouse Manager

All GreenHouse residents should enroll in the “GreenHouse Roots Seminar.” The Roots Seminar will provide a fertile foundation for our collective journey across the landscape of sustainability. Students will be challenged to think deeply about themselves and their place in the social and biophysical communities of which they are a part. We will read some classic and provocative essays to help us engage the meaning(s) of “sustainability” and to consider how our lifestyle and career choices impact other people and the environment.

We will also have some fun in the process by taking the time to get to know each other and travel to experience deep history of sustainability in Wisconsin and to learn more about current sustainability initiatives on the UW-Madison campus and in the greater Madison Area. We will also have Community Meals where we invite in guest speakers and have some great food (grown at our farm) and conversation. We will also travel once on a Saturday as a large group to the Leopold Shack in Baraboo, WI.

All GreenHouse residents are welcome to the Community Meals and the Saturday trip to the Leopold Shack, not just those enrolled in seminar.

Seminar counts for: CALS first-year seminar, Sustainability Certificate, and LAS credit for L&S

To enroll:
Use the Course Search and Enroll Tool to find
GreenHouse Roots Seminar, ENVIR ST 117

Wednesdays, 5:30 – 7:00 pm: SEM 001 class number 28587

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