

HPU SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK PRESENTS

**BUILDING GLOBAL  
CONNECTIONS  
VIRTUAL SYMPOSIA:**

**LEARNING FROM ACROSS THE GLOBE:  
SUSTAINABILITY IN SOCIAL WORK  
PRACTICE (2 CEUS)**

October 19, 2020 | 11AM-1PM HST

Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82069520970?pwd=V0pUYVdFWFdLdlR6OGp0b2JUNUpIz09>

Meeting ID: 820 6952 0970

Passcode: 229040



Discussion will be moderated by  
Michaela Rinkel,  
Associate Professor of Social Work,  
Hawai`i Pacific University

Panelists will include:

Julie Drolet, Canada

Leah Prussia, USA

Praveen Kumar, India/USA

Amanda Martin, Bolivia

Heather Boetto, Australia

Meredith Powers, USA

This symposium will feature social workers across the globe who have centered sustainability work in their practice.

We will explore:

- how they made the link between social work and sustainability,
- the challenges they face,
- what gives them hope and vision,
- how the pandemic has impacted their work and the people they serve,
- and what guides their practice with people and planet.

We will discuss the primary challenges faced by social work in these challenging times. We hope this symposium will be inspirational and thought-provoking.