



**THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 2022**

CINTAS CENTER @ XAVIER UNIVERSITY

EMERGENT STRATEGIES FOR AN EQUITABLE,  
CLIMATE PREPARED REGION



## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Time	Event Component	Banquet Hall 1	Banquet Hall 2 (Main Stage)	Conference Rooms 1 & 2	Conference Room 3	Conference Room 4	Conference Room 5
8:00-8:30	Registration						
8:30-8:45	Welcome	Opening Remarks**					
8:45-10:00	Keynote	Kristin Baja, Urban Sustainability Directors Network**					
10:00-10:20	Break						
10:20-10:50	Short Talks	Series of Five 5-Minute Presentations**					
11:00-11:50	Breakout 1	Accelerating Climate Action Through Democracy**		Charting a Sustainable Course: How to Create a Local Climate Action Strategy	Better Building: Driving the Triple Bottom Line with Design	Equitable Data-Driven Decision Making for Environmental Justice Initiatives	Strengths-Based Stories for Resilient Communities
11:50-12:30	Lunch						
12:30-12:40	Awards	Award Presentation**					
12:40-1:40	Plenary Panel	Equitable Climate Action: How Mayors Locally Impact Their Communities and the World Beyond**					
1:40-2:00	Break						
2:00-2:50	Breakout 2	Buildings as Medicine: How Better Design Removes Environmental Stressors	Revolutionary Strategies for a Climate Safe Region**	Are Aviation and Sustainability Mutually Exclusive	A Food Secure Community: Resilience Through Relationships, Trust and Local Solutions	How to Start a Green Team in Your Congregation	Innovation in #StartupCincy for an Equitable, Climate-Prepared Region
3:00-3:50	Breakout 3	Your Vision - the Future of the Green Cincinnati Plan	Success Through Collaboration: The Rockdale Urban Learning Garden**	Better Housing: Equitable Decarbonization Through Collaboration	Resilient Composting: A Story of Collaboration in Cincinnati	Calm Climate Anxiety: Connect & Balance Emotions, Spirit & Action	Sustainability Action in Appalachian Ohio
4:00-5:00	Reception						

\*\*Main Stage sessions available via livestream