

Physics Department Alumni Seminars

Friday October 8, 2010

12:00 pm in PhSc 301

“Sustainable Energy: Harvesting the Wind”

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What are our prospects for moving to a more sustainable balance between human needs and the Earth's resources?



CSU's 2010 Book in Common illustrates both the risk of not paying attention to that balance and the inspiration of a resourceful young African boy with his determination to take matters into his own hands. Since the oil embargo of the early 1970's wind energy has become the most well-developed form of renewable energy. Wind energy's potential for helping us to move toward a sustainable energy future will be discussed.