Join us for a trio of food system discussions the week of November 14th:

**A ‘New Day’ for Sustainable Agriculture: From Farmworkers, a Groundbreaking Model for Human Rights in the Fields**

**Monday, 11/14 – 5-6:30pm – 3150 Smith Lab**

A movement towards sustainable food and agriculture has spread throughout the U.S. and now permeates national consciousness, yet too many discussions about sustainability render invisible the three million farmworkers at the base of our food system. Join us to hear directly from a member of the Coalition of Immokalee Workers about this group of farmworkers who are leading an innovative and broadly-supported effort to improve workers’ wages and working conditions.

Co-sponsored by OSU’s Student/Farmworker Alliance (SFA) and the Coalition of Immokalee Workers

**Healthy Soil, Healthy Future**

**Thursday, 11/17 – 10-11:30am – 3150 Smith Lab**

M. Revathi is a school-teacher-turned-farmer activist based in India. For more than 15 years, Revathi and her organization INSPIRE have helped to reclaim saline lands destroyed by devastations like tsunamis and cyclones. In her talk, she will provide an overview of “Reviving Earth,” a new school of thought in the field of agriculture. She will also share her experiences on helping more than one million farmers transition from conventional farming to organic farming through sustainable methods like remineralization of the soil, polycropping systems, sustainable agro-ecosystems, and animal/tree-crop integration.

Co-sponsored by AID India, Columbus Chapter

**Local, Humane, Sustainable, and Fair: How the Real Food Challenge Addresses Sustainability on College Campuses**

**Friday, 11/18 – 9-10:30am – Thompson Library Multipurpose Room**

The Real Food Challenge leverages the power of youth and universities to create a healthy, fair and green food system. The organization’s primary campaign is to shift $1 billion of existing university food budgets away from industrial farms and junk food and towards local/community-based, fair, ecologically-sound and humane food sources by 2020. Join students from Real Food OSU and Anim Steel, national Director of the Real Food Challenge, to talk about how campuses are being transformed across the country.

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