**SUST 2000 Introduction to Sustainability, Spring 2021**

**Films and Events for Extra Credit; 15 points possible for each film or event analysis turned in.**

**A total of 45 possible bonus points may be applied to your course grade,**

**including both film viewing and attending selected campus-wide events such as lectures.**

**Some films are available for free on Youtube.com (indicated below). Others may be available on other platforms**

To earn extra credit:

Watch one of the films listed below at your leisure, or attend one of the announced campus-wide events. Take notes during the film or event, then write a 1-page reflection to include: (1) a brief summary of the film/event content and message [5 pts], (2) a description of how the film/event engages with sustainability issues in terms of social, economic, *and* environmental systems [5 pts], and (3) ideas about what you can do as an individual to enhance sustainability of the systems examined in the film or event. Or if applicable, what types of systems need to change and in what ways, to enhance sustainability [5 pts].

Turn in your reflection document on Canvas and confirm with your instructor that they have received it. Your reflection *must be in your own words,* and *indicate a thoughtful viewing of/participation in the film or event*. The instructor(s) will compare all reflection documents turned in by students, before awarding points. All reflection documents must be turned in before the last day of class on **Friday, April 23**.

The maximum number of extra credit opportunities allowed to count toward your grade is 3 for the semester (45 points total), including watching films and attending campus-wide events. See the course syllabus for details.

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| **Film title, year, and subject area** | **Director** | **Link to film** |
| *Chasing Ice (2012) [climate change]* | Jeff Orlowski | <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aGGBGcjdjXA> (free) |
| *Damnation (2014) [dismantling dams; water systems]* | Travis Rummel and Ben Knight | <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=laTIbNVDQN8> (free) |
| *Tapped (2009) [bottled water]* | Jason Lindsey | <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dzntuXdE8dY> (free) |
| *King Corn: You Are What You Eat (2007) [food systems]* | Aaron Woolf, Ian Cheney, & Curt Ellis | <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TWv29KRsQXU> (free) |
| *Just Eat It (2014) [food waste]* | Grant Baldwin | <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BR1Y-ieyfjU&t=17s> (free) |
| *Plastic Paradise (2014) [materials consumption & waste]* | Angela Sun | <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xf5JI0b1L7k> |
| *The Greening of Southie (2008) [green buildings]* | Ian Cheney | https://vimeo.com/3125436 |
| *Evolution of Organic (2017) [food systems]* | Mark Kitchell | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Mh\_9ojGcYoE |
| *Plastic Paradise (2014) [materials consumption & waste]* | Angela Sun | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xf5JI0b1L7k |
| *Biggest Little Farm (2019) [food systems, sustainable farming]* | John Chester | <https://youtu.be/UfDTM4JxHl8> |