Dr. Linda Birnbaum

Lecture Title: Global Climate Change and Human Health

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Friday, September 15th, 11:45am-1:30pm

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Agenda

RENEW Distinguished Lecture Introduction and Comments

11:45 am - 12:00 pm

RENEW Distinguished Lecture

12:00 pm - 12:45 pm

Fireside Chat Style Discussion

12:45 pm - 1:15 pm

RENEW Distinguished Lecture Recognition

1:15 pm - 1:30 pm