

## TRU Environmental Science Seminar Series

Thursday, January 26, 2023, 4 to 5 pm  
S203

### TITLE

Sustainability transitions and tourism

### SPEAKER

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### ABSTRACT

'Sustainability Transitions' are the shifts that societies and economies need to undergo to address contemporary environmental challenges. Sustainability transitions require significant changes in governance systems, institutional frameworks, policy-making procedures, and consumer behaviour. Despite the need for sustainability transitions in the sector, tourism has seen limited advancement in this area. With COVID-19 bringing tourism to a virtual standstill and thereby offering a chance for a reset, is there hope for a transformation of tourism in the years ahead?

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