

# First Annual Tobacco and the Environment Symposium

College-Rolando Library  
Community Room  
6600 Montezuma Road  
San Diego CA 92115

World No Tobacco Day  
May 31, 2024, 11:30 am - 3pm (PT)

Virtual Resources Packet



**11:30** Registration and Pre-Event Networking

**12:00** Opening Session: Welcome and Overview of the Center

Presenters: Policy Research Center Team

**12:30** Award Presentation - 2024 Tobacco Prevention Hero

Recipient: Mayor Tony Kranz of Encinitas

Presenters: Mary Baum and Mark O'Connor

**12:45** Lunch - *The Cigarette Surfboard*

Presenters: Ben Judkins and Taylor Lane

**1:15** Keynote Address - World's Deadliest Fraud? The History of Cigarette "Filters" — And Why They Should Be Banned

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Robert N. Proctor

Discussant: Chris Bostic, JD

**2:00** Poster Session

**3:00** Adjourn

# Poster Session

- 1. Effects of Cigarette Smoke Exposure on Diaphragm Force Function in Mice**  
Presenter: Jacob Baker
- 2. Two Months of Cigarette Smoke Exposure in Mice Does Not Affect Recovery of *In Vivo* Nerve-Stimulated Torque but Delays *Ex-Vivo* Muscle Force**  
Presenter: William Wong
- 3. Smoke Shops: Unregulated Businesses in the City of San Diego**  
Presenter: Armando Sepulveda
- 4. Exploring how Tobacco Industry-targeted Communities Perceive California's Tobacco Endgame**  
Presenter: Mary Gonzales
- 5. Tobacco Tracker Online Tool Reports of Smoking, Vaping, and Related Waste at Two Smoke and Vape Free Colleges: Opportunities for Education**  
Presenter: Abigail Baxter Nordskog
- 6. Tobacco, E-Cigarette, and Cannabis Waste on Two Smoke and Vape Free College Campuses: Public Health Implications**  
Presenter: Cheyenne Smith
- 7. A Tale of Two Buildings: Do Smoking Policies Impact Discarded Waste from Commercial Cigarettes, E-Cigs, and Cannabis?**  
Presenter: Maria Christina Huerta-Avila
- 8. Thirdhand Smoke in Homes: Fate, Characterization, and Remediation**  
Presenter: Oscar Lopez Vazquez
- 9. The Association Between Opposition to a Cigarette Filter Ban Policy and the Belief That Removing Filters Makes Cigarettes More Harmful Among Adults Who Smoke**  
Presenter: Thomas Novotny
- 10. Addressing the Economic Environmental Impacts of Tobacco Product Waste: Closing the Information Gaps**  
Presenter: Thomas Novotny
- 11. Smokefree Outdoor Dining\***  
Presenters: Amelia Allison and Gunnar Wooldridge
- 12. Disclosure of Thirdhand Smoke in Real Estate Transactions\***  
Presenter: Savannah Yurcek
- 13. Establishing a Smokefree Policy in a Tribal Campground\***  
Presenter: Michael Vingiello
- 14. Upcoming Policy Initiatives and Rapid Response Projects\***  
Presenter: Grace Finnell-Gudwien
- 15. Fostering Connections and Enhancing Community Engagement\***  
Presenter: Carlos Donato
- 16. Thirdhand Smoke Social Media Toolkit**  
Presenter: Emily Carrillo
- 17. Mobilizing Communities for Policy Change on Tobacco Product Waste Through a Citizen Science Smartphone App**  
Presenter: Sarah Lavallee
- 18. Measuring Tobacco Product Waste in Southern California**  
Presentation: Kristina Tran
- 19. Pilot Project Update\***  
Presenter: Nafisa Ferdous

***\*Policy Research Center for Tobacco and the Environment Posters***