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Utah Valley University

Utah Valley University and the Mountain Partnership Present CELEBRATING INTERNATIONAL MOUNTAIN DAY

#### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9. 6:00 PM. STORYTELLING WING

#### AGENDA

#### WELCOME MESSAGES FROM:

- Dr. Rusty Butler, Associate Vice-President of Utah Valley University and Coordinator of the Mountain Partnership at UVU
- Mayor James T. Evans of Orem City, Member of the Mountain Partnership
- Mayor John R. Curtis of Provo City, Member of the Mountain Partnership

#### PANEL DISCUSSION:

• UVU Students and the Promotion of Mountain Agenda in North America

#### CULTURAL PROGRAMS:

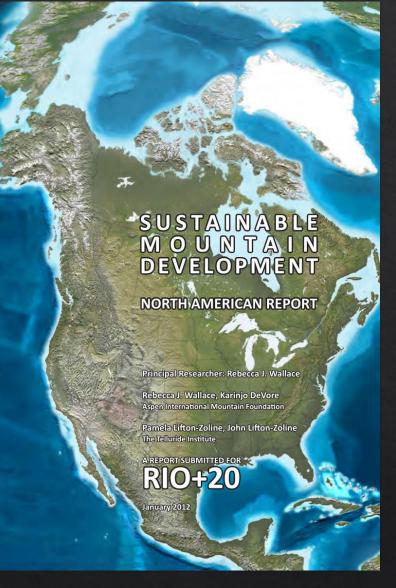
- Musical Performance by the Keller Family Band
- UVU International Students Fashion Show



### 2011 International Mountain Day Observation



John McClure, Co-President, Utah International Mountain Forum, talks about major results of students activities to promote mountain agenda during 2011student's



<u>A report on SMD on North America, prepared for the U.N.</u> <u>Conference on Sustainable Development RIO+20 in Brazil</u> <u>on June 20-22, 2012, contains information about UVU's</u> <u>involvement in those processes</u>.

# UVU students Contribution to the MP Report for RIO+20



UVU was the only University in North America to involve students in the preparations of this official document, because of the promotion of SMD-agenda on a regional level and the active engagement of students during the Conference "Women of the Mountains" last March.

Students conducted research on seven different ranges in North America, and results of that research were included as an attachment to the document (see appendices).

See:

https://www.uvu.edu/utahimf/blog/docs/1201smd\_report/12\_01\_10\_sustainabl e\_mountain\_development\_north\_america.pdf

### Advocating for High Education



On February 4, 2012 over 200 students and business leaders including UIMF leaders, gathered on the steps of the Utah state capital to rally in support of funding for Utah's higher education John McClure with Senator John Valentine President of the Utah State Senate, February 2012



#### **UNA-USA Nationwide Conference Call**

### **The Future We Want**

#### The UN's Role in Sustainable Development

#### with

Lawrence J. Gumbiner Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans, Environment and Science, U.S. Department of State

#### and

Melinda Kimble Vice President, International Bioenergy Initiative, UN Foundation

> Thursday, February 16, 6:00 p.m. ET Call: 800-776-0816

#### Passcode: 807920

Please RSVP via email to <u>membership@unausa.org</u>

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With the <u>United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (Rio+20</u> <u>Summit)</u> just a few months away, there's never been a better time to learn about the UN's role in sustainable development. Join UNA-USA's February Nationwide Conference Call, *The Future We Want: The UN's Role in Sustainable Development*, to discuss sustainability, UN mechanisms handling sustainability, the outcomes of recent conferences, the challenges and opportunities of future conferences, and the U.S. role in discussions.

### Participation in the UNA-USA Conference Call About RIO+20 Summit



John McClure, President of UIMF during the UNA-USA Conference Call United Nations

General Assembly

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Original: English

Sixty-eighth session Item 19 (i) of the provisional agenda\* Sustainable development: sustainable mountain development

Sustainable mountain development

**Report of the Secretary-General** 

Summary

The present report was prepared in response to the General Assembly resolution 66/205, in which the Assembly requested the Secretary-General to report to it at its sixty-eighth session on the status of sustainable development in mountain regions. The report describes the status of sustainable mountain development at the national and international levels, including an overall analysis of the challenges that lie ahead, and provides suggestions for consideration by the Assembly as to how to continue to promote and effectively sustain development in mountain regions around the world within the existing policy context, including chapter 13 of Agenda 21, adopted at the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development ("Johannesburg Plan of Implementation"), the Millennium Development Goals and the follow-up actions of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development. The report was prepared by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations system and other organizations.

#### G. Gender and mountain development

63. The Utah Valley University and the Kyrgyz National Centre for Development of Mountain Regions organized a conference to address issues critical to women and children of mountainous nations. Held in Peru in 2012, the conference focused on mountain communities in the Andean regions of Peru and surrounding countries, continuing the traditions of two previous international conferences organized by the two institutions in Orem, Utah, United State of America in 2007 and 2011.

\* A/68/150.





### Hosting 2012 Women of the Mountains Conference in Peru



UVU Delegation during the Women of the Mountains Conference in Puno, Peru, John McClure is second from the left. June 2012

### At RIO+20 Conference



Utah Valley University Delegation at RIO+20 Conference: John McClure, UIMF President and Dr. Sara Ulloa, UVU Languages Department



John McClure speaks during the Third Global MP Meeting in Rio de Janeiro

### At RIO+20 Conference

#### UVU Contributes to the Agenda of the U.N. Conference on Sustainable Development in Brazil



UVU delegation at the U.N. Conference in Brazil: Professor Sara Ulloa (R) with UVU student and President of Utah International Mountain Forum, coalition of UVU students clubs John McClure (L)

#### UVU delegation:

-Participated at the Third Global Meeting of the Mountain Partnership on June 19, 2012 at the Mountain Pavilion in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil and discussed a common strategy for global mountain communities to collaborate over the next five years;

-Hosted on June 18, 2012 a presentation about UVU efforts to support SMD since 2006, when UVU joined the Mountain Partnership; presentation included a video-greetings from UVU leaders and other dignitaries from UVU contributors/partners (see: http://www.youtube.com/watch? v=bmKj46hRhqM&feature=youtu.be)

-Presented on June 19, 2012 the exhibition comprised of 12 displays and titled, "Contribution of the Mountain Partnership members from the Rocky Mountains in Promoting Gender and Sustainable Mountain Development Agendas in North America."



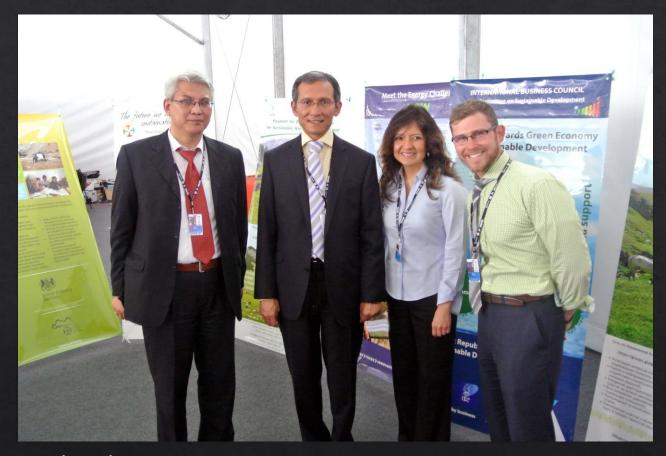
WHAT'S ON TODAY AT THE MOUNTAIN PAVILION



Utah Valley University: Contribution of the MP members from the Rocky Mountains in promoting gender and SMD agendas in North America

18 June 2012

### At RIO+20 Conference



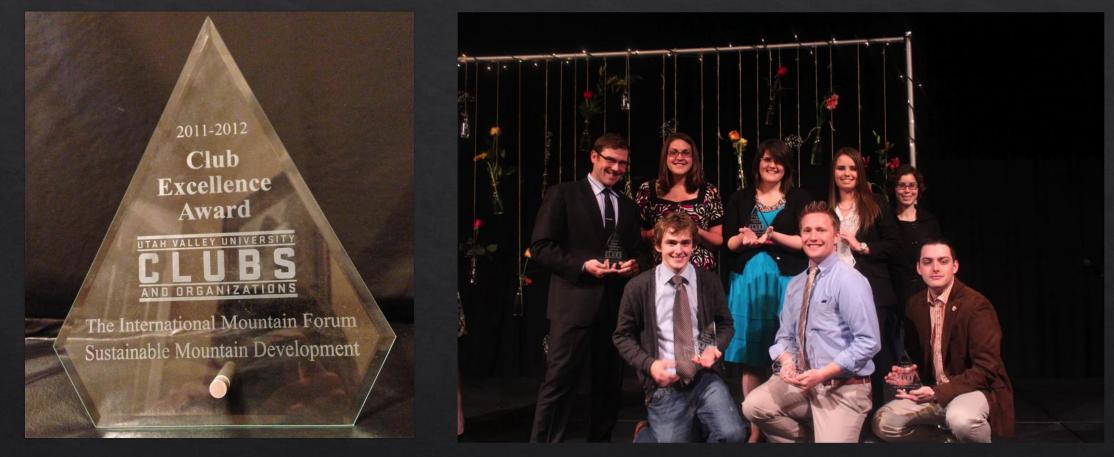
(R to L): John MccLure, Dr. Sara Ulloa, Dr. Joomart Otorbaev, Vice-Prime Minister of Kyrgyzstan and unedentified official from Kyrgyzstan during RIO+20

### Contribution to the creation of the Mountain Partnership Regional Hub in Aspen, CO



Members of Utah International Mountain Forum (from left to right): John McClure, Jordan Giles and Jesler Molina with Rebecca Wallace, from Aspen International Mountain Foundation (third from left) discuss the final document of the meeting October 15, 2012

### UIMF Awarded UVU's Club Excellence Award



Presidents of the clubs in the coalition with the Club Excellence Awards. John McClure is the first from the left. April 12, 2012

## Saint Andrews





### Professional Career in Law Enforcement





### Teaching at UVU

### WELCOME

### JOHN MCCLURE

We are pleased to Announce our new Assistant Director John McClure. John has background in Intelligence and Emergency Management. He received his master's degree from the University of St. Andrews. He has featured publications in Gobal Security Studies Journals, Standford University and even here at UVU; as well as collaborated on several North American Regional documents under the auspice of the United Nations.

We Look forward to getting to know and work with John here at UVU!

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# Questions?

