



URBAN FOOD SYSTEMS SYMPOSIUM

Nourishing Cities in a Changing Climate



Jennifer King, PhD Invited Speaker

In her leadership role at the Mary Ann Swetland Center for Environmental Health, Dr. King she supports postdoctoral scholars and trainees, facilitates monthly seminar series presentations, and manages daily operations to provide state-wide technical assistance to SNAP-Ed practitioners for the implementation of community nutrition policy, systems, and environmental interventions.

Before joining the Swetland Center, she aided in the launch of the Kent State of Wellness, a university-wide health initiative, while serving as Graduate Student Trustee on the Board of Trustees. Dr. King has progressively developed her skill to build and maintain relationships to encourage community engagement and connectivity while studying the determinants of health in Cleveland's largest neighborhood.

She received both her Bachelor's (Kent State University) and Master's (Bowling Green State University) degrees in Nutrition before returning to Kent to earn her PhD in Public Health with an emphasis in Health Policy & Management.

Click [here](#) to learn more about Dr. King!