



Mahatma Gandhi Peace Council of Ottawa

In Collaboration with The College of the Humanities, Carleton University
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is observing the 'Gandhi Memorial Day 2024'

to remember Gandhi's enduring legacy in promoting peace, non-violence, and civil rights globally.

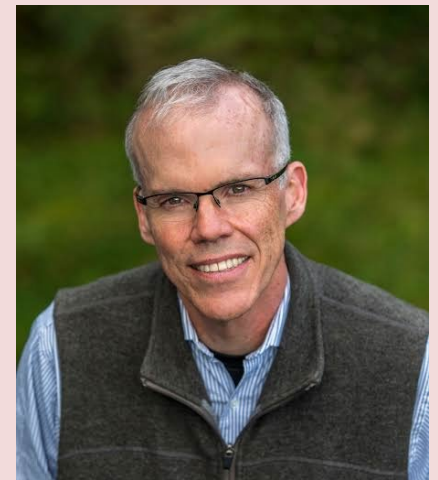
Date & Time: Friday, February 2, 2024 (7:30 – 9:00 pm)

Venue: Carleton University, Richcraft Hall, Room 2200

Speaker: Bill McKibben, Author, Environmentalist, and Activist
(<https://billmckibben.com/>)

Topic: "Notes from the Climate Struggle: Global Warming is the biggest thing humans have ever done; We need the movement against it to be even bigger."

About the Speaker: Bill McKibben, the author of "The End of Nature," the first book about climate change for a general audience, was awarded the Right Livelihood prize, sometimes called the 'Alternative Nobel.' He founded 350.org, a worldwide movement for climate action and fossil fuel divestment. He was the 2013 winner of the Gandhi Prize and holds honorary degrees from 18 colleges and universities. He has been named one of the world's most important global thinkers and America's most important environmentalist.



Synopsis of the Talk: Bill McKibben addresses the monumental challenge posed by global warming and explains how human activities, notably the burning of fossil fuels, have led to an unprecedented rise in global temperatures. He will talk about the growing global environmental movement, which can find inspiration from various sources, including the non-violent resistance championed by Mahatma Gandhi, to illustrate how coordinated, peaceful global activism can drive significant change.



Free admission to Bill McKibben Lecture Event.

Please register by scanning the QR Code.

Or, go to: <https://gandhiji.ca/register>

The Gandhi Memorial Day/Bill McKibben event will conclude with a reception in the Atrium.