

PUBLICATIONS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

PUBLICATIONS (Peer-reviewed journal contributions)

Assuah, A., Isimbi, A. E., Sintim, E. G., Little-Tetteh, C., Addo, F. G., & Ewusi-Mensah, D. (2023). Effective Ways to Implement and Enforce Plastic Waste Policies in Africa. *Sustainability and Climate Change*, 16(5), 338-343.

Assuah, A. (2023). “A lot of people ignore our culture when it comes to waste management”: examining the impacts of culture on solid waste management in two Canadian First Nations. *AlterNative: An International Journal of Indigenous Peoples*, 11771801231163635.

Assuah, A., & Johansen, S. A. (2023). “They Taught the Children in School and It Was Them That Came Home to Teach Me”—Community Perspectives on How Students Influenced Recycling Attitudes and Behaviours in A Remote First Nation in Canada. *Journal of Rural and Community Development*, 18(1).

Assuah, A. & Sinclair, A.J. (2021). Solid waste management in western Canadian First Nations. *Waste Management*, 129, 54-61.

Assuah, A. & Sinclair, A.J. (2019). Unraveling the relationship between collective action and social learning: Evidence from community forest management in Canada. *Forests*, 10(6), 494.

Assuah, A., Sinclair, A.J., & Reed, M.G. (2016). Action on sustainable forest management through community forestry: The case of the Wetzin'kwa Community Forest Corporation. *The Forestry Chronicle*, 92(2), 232-244.

PUBLICATION (Non-refereed contribution)

Peguis Public Works, Smith, A. and **Assuah, A.** (2019). A community survey of waste disposal habits in Peguis First Nation.

PUBLICATIONS (Selected media/academic journal contributions)

- Assuah, A. (2023, June 21). How Indigenous cultural practices can improve waste management in communities. The Conversation
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<https://www.ghanaweb.com/GhanaHomePage/features/One-hot-meal-a-day-Good-forthe-students-bad-for-the-environment-1048339>
- Assuah, A. (2019, May 29). Reduction in Vehicle Import Duties Will Hamper Ghana's Climate Change Efforts. Modernghana.com.
<https://www.modernghana.com/news/935522/reduction-in-vehicle-import-duties-willhamper-ghanas-clima.html>
- Assuah, A. (2018, June 5). Let's Beat Plastic Pollution! Modernghana.com.
<https://www.modernghana.com/news/858961/lets-beat-plasticpollution.html>
- Assuah, A. (2017, January 13). An Open Letter to the Minister of Water Resources and Sanitation. Modernghana.com.
<https://www.modernghana.com/news/749015/an-open-letter-to-theminister-of-water-resources-and-sanita.html>

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2023: Truth and Reconciliation Gathering Conference, The Pas, Manitoba

Paper title: Does the Relationship End After Research Is Completed? – Understanding Relationship Building with Indigenous Peoples and

Communities in Research

- 2022: Canadian Association of Geographers, Toronto Metropolitan University
Paper title: What Factors Make Solid Waste Management Programs Successful? – Examining Evidence from First Nations
- 2022: Environmental Studies Association of Canada, Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Alberta
Paper title: Understanding Solid Waste Management Challenges in First Nations from the Perspective of Solid Waste Managers
- 2021: Canadian Association of Geographers, University of Northern British Columbia
Paper title: From Biodegradable to Non-Biodegradable Waste: Understanding Structural Factors that Impact Solid Waste Management in Two First Nations Communities in Canada
- 2021: Environmental Studies Association of Canada, Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Alberta (virtual)
Paper title: A Learning-oriented Approach to Solid Waste Management in First Nations in Canada
- 2019: Environmental Studies Association of Canada, The University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia
Paper title: Making Connections Between Solid Waste Management and Culture in Two First Nations
- 2019: Canadian Association of Geographers, Winnipeg, Manitoba
Paper title: Community Involvement in Solid Waste Management Programs in Two First Nations
- 2019: Solid Waste Association of North America, Winnipeg, Manitoba
Paper title: Involving Students and Youth in Solid Waste Management Education: Experiences from A Remote First Nation

- 2019: Natural Resources Institute Learning Forum, Winnipeg, Manitoba
Paper title: Examining the Role of Learning in Community-based Solid Waste Management in Two First Nations
- 2018: Solid Waste Association of North America, Edmonton, Alberta
Paper title: Solid Waste Management in First Nations Communities: Looking in from the Outside.
- 2015: Canadian Institute of Forestry Conference and AGM, Kenora, Ontario
Paper title: Learning to Manage “Our” Forests Locally – Experiences from the Wetzin’kwa Community Forest Corporation, Smithers, British Columbia
- 2014: Natural Resources Institute Research and Learning Forum, University of Manitoba
Paper title: Social Learning through Community Forest Management
- 2014: Canadian Association of Geographers, St. Catharines, Ontario
Paper title: Fostering Cross-cultural Collaboration through Community Forest Management: The case of Wetzinkwa Community Forest Corporation and the Wet’suwet’en First Nations of British Columbia
- 2014: Community Forests Canada Symposium, Winnipeg, Manitoba
Paper title: Do Community Forests Really Benefit Communities? Evidence from Wetzinkwa Community Forest Corporation, Smithers, British Columbia