The Center for Resilient and Sustainable Communities will hold a Pandemic Response and Reopening Conference on May 8, 2020. The session is designed to bring together researchers, policy-makers, and community leaders to discuss the challenges and opportunities of coming out of isolation and returning to normal.

The conference will feature a keynote address by Dr. Anthony Fauci of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, who will share insights from his work on pandemic response and vaccination. Other speakers will include experts from organizations such as the World Health Organization and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

The conference will cover a range of topics, including health equity, economic recovery, and social justice. It will also explore emerging trends in science and technology, such as the use of artificial intelligence and big data to track the spread of disease.

The deadline for submitting an abstract for each option is 31 March 2020. Selected abstracts will be invited to participate in contributed sessions, which will provide a platform for networking and discussion.

The conference is open to researchers and all stakeholders relevant to sustainability to maximize positive impact on the SDGs, as well as make recommendations on science-based responses. Over the course of the conference, we will circumnavigate the globe to navigate happiness, well-being, and environmental challenges.