

Natural Learning Initiative NEWSLETTER

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Creating environments for healthy human development
and a healthy biosphere for generations to come.

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Social Media Mining to Inform Park Use and Public Health Decision-Making

NLI's Director, Deepti Adlakha, PhD along with colleagues from the Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Management department - Aaron Hipp, PhD, Jason Bocarro, PhD, Laura Tateosian, PhD, and Jing-Huei Huang, PhD - were awarded an NC State University Data Science Academy seed grant titled, *Social media mining to inform park use and public health decision-making*.... [learn more](#)



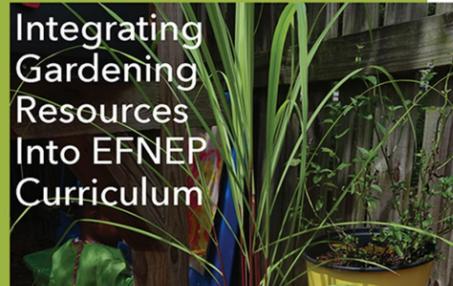
12th Annual Growing IN Place Symposium

Registration is now open for the 12th Annual Growing In Place Symposium: Urban Outdoor Play and Learning: Post-Pandemic Lessons for Policy and Practice. This virtual symposium will be held Sept. 7th, 2022 and is approved by NCBLA for 4 hours credit... [learn more](#)

Integrating Gardening Resources Into EFNEP Curriculum

Food-based gardening is strongly aligned with curriculum principles of the Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP). Integrating Gardening Resources Into EFNEP Curriculum is a guide for educators... [read more](#)

A GUIDE FOR EFNEP EDUCATORS



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POEMS and COLEQT Online Courses

Register today for the July online courses: Preschool Outdoor Environment Measurement Scale (POEMS) and Childcare Outdoor Learning Environments Quality Tool (COLEQT)... [learn more](#)

Healthy, Equitable and Inclusive Childhoods via Childcare Outdoor Design

NLI and SC partners presented "Healthy, Equitable and Inclusive Childhoods via Childcare Outdoor Design: A Nature-Based, Policy-Sensitive, Collaborative, Scaling Up Model" workshop at Health in All Design, the 53rd Environmental Design Research Association Conference (EDRA)... [read more](#)



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