

Environment and Building Systems Workshop Part A Agenda

USU Eastern Prehistoric Museum July 6, 2023

Learning Goals for Workshop pt A

- 1. Increase understanding of environmental monitoring of temperature and relative humidity
- 2. Understand building HVAC systems that manage your environment
- 3. Increase understanding of how to analyze environmental monitoring data
- 4. Increase understanding of decision-making in response to environmental data

Agenda

10:00-10:40	Introductions- What does environmental monitoring for collections mean to you?
10:40-11:10	Introduction to the Collections Environment
	1. General Environmental Parameters and Impacts on Collections
	 Agents : Temperature, Relative Humidity, Pollutants, Light, Pests
11:10-11:30	Introduction to Environmental Monitoring
11:30-11:50	Activity: Environmental Monitoring Tools How-to: Light meters, data loggers, Elsec
11:50-12:00	BREAK (10 min)
12:00-12:30	Introduction to Environmental Data analysis
	1. Brief review of using light data
	2. Basics of using environmental monitoring free software
	3. Introduction to HVAC Systems
12:30-1:30	LUNCH
1:30-2:30	Group walk through HVAC systems at Museum, tour of Museum spaces
2:30-3:15	Discussion: Observations form HVAC systems we viewed; Q&A with facilities staff
3:15-3:25	BREAK (10 min)
3:25-3:45	Activity: Environmental Monitoring Systems at Home Institutions
3:45-4:15	Circle back to software: Drive-through demo with free software tool
4:15-5:00	Reflection on Activity, wrap-up, evaluation