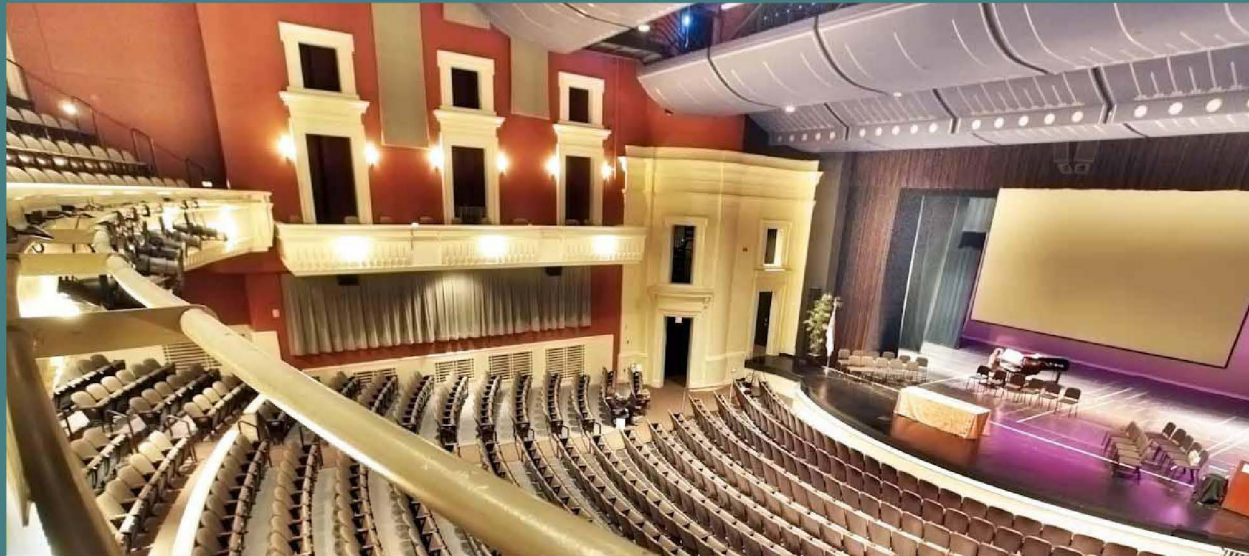




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GAIO conference is an event where people can meet, discuss solutions and make meaningful change to solve air pollution. Our goal is to address air pollution in a meaningful and productive way. Register today to discuss solutions, create improvement for everyone, and meet others like you.

Air pollution is a problem affecting everyone in the world. It has a short term and long term consequences for both health and the environment. Air pollution exists both inside and outside. Steps need to be taken to reduce the negative impacts air pollution has on our society.

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Sally Jewell

United States Secretary of the Interior
President and CEO of Recreational Equipment Inc.
1978 B.A. Mechanical Engineering University of Washington

Before becoming a part of Recreational Equipment Inc. Jewell worked for nineteen years in the commercial banking industry. As president and CEO of Recreational Equipment Inc. she revitalized the company to be more corporate and professional. Despite making these changes she has kept the company’s reputation as an outdoor brand... [\(Read more\)](#)



Jerry Brown

Governor of California
1961 B.A. in Classics UC of Berkeley
1964 law degree Yale Law School

Brown was elected governor of California in 1974, 1978, and 2010. During his earlier terms he put in place innovative environmental protections, the rest of the U.S later adopted these same protections. He signed the first legislation to require high school students to show... [\(Read more\)](#)



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California Air Resources Board Chairman
Professor in Residence UCLA

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years. His laboratory was the first to show:

- histological evidence of ozone-induced airway
injury and inflammation in human subjects
- asthmatic subjects have more inflammatory
responses to ozone than normal subjects
- asthmatic subjects recruit macrophages to the
airways with consecutive day exposures
- exposure to secondhand tobacco smoke causes
endothelial dysfunction

Dr. Balmes has written over 200 papers and chapters
on occupational and environmental
respiratory disease related problems. Consequences
of air pollution on health is the focus of his work. He
is board-certified for Internal Medicine and Pulmo-
nary Medicine.



Awards:

1999 Clean Air Award, American Lung Association
of California

2002 Jean Spencer Felton Award for Excellence in
Scientific Writing, Western Occupational and
Environmental Medicine Association

2006 Robert A. Kehoe Award of Merit, American
College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine

2006 Carl Moyer Award for Scientific Leadership and
Technical Excellence, Coalition for Clean Air

2010 Western Occupational and Environmental
Medical Association

2012 Robert M. Zweig Memorial Clean Air Hero
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