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**GIJS VAN SEVENTER ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SEMINAR SERIES:  
GLOBAL ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH: SCIENCE, POLICY, AND PRACTICE**

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## ***The Insufficiently Appreciated Impact of Pollution on Global Health***



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**This seminar explores the global impact of pollution and pollution-related diseases (PRDs), the world's largest cause of avoidable premature death with highest burden in low- and middle-income countries. It discusses the changing nature of pollution and PRDs, and economic and development costs. The work of the Global Commission on Pollution & Health and other efforts to address this neglected global problem are reviewed.**

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>**

**12:45 - 1:45 pm**

**BU Medical School Instructional Building, Room L112**



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