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Coal Communities in Transition:
An Overview of U.S. Rural Sociology and
Example from Southern West Virginia

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講演詳細（使用言語：英語）

Rural sociology is a vibrant field of study in the United States that was founded to better understand challenges faced by people living in rural areas. This lecture will provide an overview of recent research trends in U.S. rural sociology, with a specific focus on the social and environmental challenges faced by rural coal mining communities. As coal production declines in the U.S., rural areas are left with environmental damage and limited economic options. Therefore, coal mining communities are some of the most persistently poor areas in the entire country. This lecture presents survey data from Southern West Virginia to better understand how community attitudes towards coal present challenges and opportunities for working towards a “just transition” in the area.

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