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[Food, Inc. : Michael Pollan and Eric Schlosser in Conversation](#)

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Wednesday, February 9, 2011 : 7:00pm

The groundbreaking work of best-selling authors Michael Pollan and Eric Schlosser has started a revolution in how Americans think about what they eat. Pollan and Schlosser will come together for a conversation moderated by KCRW radio host Evan Kleiman about the industrialization of food and its devastating impact on personal health and the environment.

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Explore the [official web site](#) for additional information relating to the movie and the issues it raises including a reading list, multimedia resources and tips for taking action.



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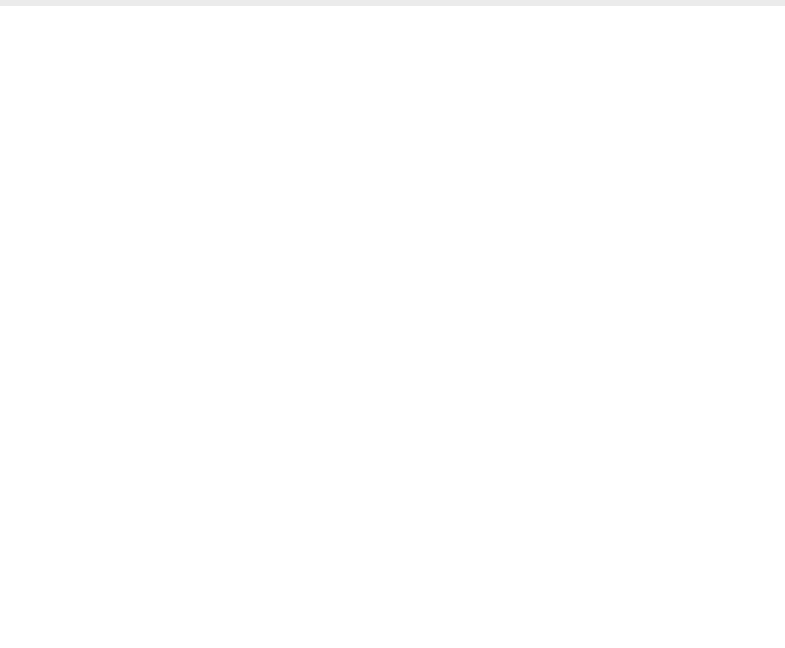
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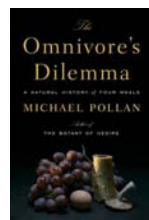
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In defense of food : an eater's manifesto - Pollan, Michael

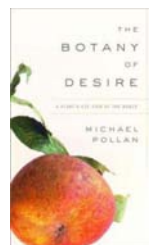
Call Number: Doheny Library RA784.P643 2008

What to eat, what not to eat, and how to think about health: a manifesto for our times "Eat food. Not too much. Mostly plants." These simple words go to the heart of Michael Pollan's *In Defense of Food*, the well-considered answers he provides to the questions posed in the bestselling *The Omnivore's Dilemma*.


The omnivore's dilemma: a natural history of four meals - Pollan, Michael

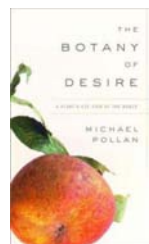
Call Number: Doheny Library GT2850.P65 2006

The bestselling author of *The Botany of Desire* explores the ecology of eating to unveil why we consume what we consume in the twenty-first century "What should we have for dinner?" To one degree or another this simple question assails any creature faced with a wide choice of things to eat. Anthropologists call it the omnivore's dilemma.


The botany of desire : a plant's eye view of the world - Pollan, Michael

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SEE ALSO E-BOOK EDITION. Seasoned garden writer Michael Pollan explores the histories of apples, tulips, potatoes, and marijuana, showing in the process how humanity and plants intersect and affect each other.


(E-BOOK) The botany of desire: a plant's eye view of the world - Pollan, Michael

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Reefer madness : sex, drugs, and cheap labor in the American black market - Schlosser, Eric

Call Number: Doheny and Leavey Libraries HD2346.U52S34 2003

Writing in terrifically engaging prose, Schlosser details the business practices, schemes, criminal records, lifestyles and/or victimization of those involved, and relates the history of each enterprise, the role played by the US war on drugs and the process of US immigration, and the impact on the nation of the underground economy.


Fast food nation : the dark side of the all-American meal - Schlosser, Eric

Call Number: Doheny & Leavey Library: TX945.3.S355 2001b

To a degree both engrossing and alarming, the story of fast food is the story of postwar America. Though created by a handful of mavericks, the fast food industry has triggered the homogenization of our society. Fast food has hastened the "malling" of our landscape, widened the chasm between rich and poor, fueled an epidemic of obesity, and propelled the juggernaut of American cultural imperialism abroad. That's a lengthy list of charges, but Eric Schlosser makes them stick with an artful mix of first-rate reportage, wry wit, and careful reasoning.

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- [CQ Researcher](#)
Noted for comprehensive reports on hot topics. Includes topics such as "Food Safety" and "Preventing Obesity." Each single-themed report is researched and written by a seasoned journalist, providing an introductory overview; background and chronology; an assessment of the current situation; tables and maps; pro/con statements and a bibliography.
- [Environment Index](#)
A comprehensive database to journal articles covering all aspects of environmental policy and politics.
- [Food and Drug Administration \(FDA\) Publications](#)
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This resource draws on the connection between the environment and other disciplines such as agriculture, education, law, health and technology. Includes scholarly and general interest titles, as well as government documents and reports.

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- [Fast Food Nation \(2006\)](#)
An ensemble drama examining the health issues and social consequences of America's love affair with fast food.
- [The Future of Food \(2004\)](#)
Advocacy film about the trend of unlabeled genetically-modified foods which have become increasingly prevalent in grocery stores. Explores organic and sustainable agriculture as alternatives to large-scale industrial agriculture.

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