

Community College Sustainability Web Conferences Utilizing Student Employees to Get Sustainability Projects Done May 2012

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Presentations:

Utilizing Student Employees to Get Sustainability Projects Done

Michael Rea (JCCC)

USGBC Students: Sustainability and Student Involvement.

Pamela Wallentiny, Howard Community College

Using Campus Efficiency Projects to Engage Students:

Ellie Kim, LEED AP, Project Manager , Green Campus Program

Utilizing Student Employees to Get Sustainability Projects Done

Funding Student Employees

- Work-Study Students – Federal dollars
- Work-Pools Students – College dollars
- Paid Interns – Department budget, Green fee, Grants

Selecting students

- Student environmental groups
- Enthusiastic
- Random

Utilizing Student Employees to Get Sustainability Projects Done

What we have them do

- Recycling assistance – outside of housekeeping duties
- Recycling, energy and furniture auditing
- Data entry
- Composting
- Project development - buyback recycling, ewaste container
- Eyes and ears on the ground

Utilizing Student Employees to Get Sustainability Projects Done

Expected and unexpected outcomes and challenges –

- Changed majors
- New ideas
- Different perspective
- Keeping them busy, timing
- No long-term commitment
- Finding balance
- Smaller projects
- Distribution of projects

AASHE Awards to Recognize Community College Sustainability Achievements!

- For 2012, AASHE is doubling the number of awards it gives campuses through its annual [sustainability awards program](#). Recognizing the important role community colleges have in advancing sustainability, AASHE will recognize the diverse achievements of two community colleges through its [Campus Sustainability Case Study awards](#). Award benefits include:
 - One complimentary conference pass to the [AASHE 2012 Conference](#), where the award will be presented.
 - Invitation to a VIP reception during the AASHE 2012 Conference.
 - Inclusion in a feature piece on the awards in [Sustainability: The Journal of Record](#).
 - In addition, one faculty member, and three students will also receive recognition at the awards ceremony in Los Angeles during the [2012 AASHE conference](#). The deadline to apply is **July 2, 2012** so don't delay! Questions? Visit the [Awards webpage](#) for more information or email awards@ashe.org.

Next Webinar will be Wednesday
June 20th 12-1:00pm

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