

Progress Report - Campus Sustainability Fund

Thank you for submitting a Progress Report for your Campus Sustainability Fund grant! We look forward to hearing about the advancements of your project.

Progress Reports are due the first week of every March, May, August, and December for the duration of the project. This link will open at the start of the week. Progress Report due dates for 2022: May 6th at 5PM and August 5th at 5PM.

Please be aware of the responses minimums and maximums for each question. While this form does not enforce our minimums, we strongly encourage following them. Should we feel that not sufficient information is provided, the Committee might request a new submission.

Should your project not yet have progress to report in some areas, you may type "No progress to report." However, this will be vetted by Committee Members. If you have no progress to report, that should be made evident in meetings with the Committee Member who is your direct contact.

Should your project already be completed, please note in your responses to "Next Steps" and "Progress Support" that neither questions are applicable considering your project's timeline.

Uploading photos is required for Progress Reports - if you have no photos to share because your project has not yet begun, please omit.

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Who is submitting this Progress Report?

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Project Name *

SFS Environmental Summit

Project Subaccount Number *

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Project Summary Snapshot *

Please copy and paste the "Summary Snapshot" you provided in your project application. Responses are limited to 800 characters (~60-100 words).

ASUA's Students for Sustainability program is hosting an Environmental Summit as part of our annual Earth Week event. The Environmental Summit will feature speakers from around Arizona as well as community programs and organizations with the goal of raising awareness about ongoing issues in the field of sustainability and environmental justice. The summit, including a student science fair, is intended to showcase ongoing research and projects in various fields that seek to address issues of sustainability and environmental justice while specifically giving a platform to a diverse array of voices that are often underrepresented in conversations on sustainability, including queer and BIPOC individuals and organizations.

Requested Metrics *

Please add the metrics we've requested you track here.

- # People the event reached (estimated): we estimate about 345 people interacted with either our summit speakers or tabling organizations
- # People who attended (# of students v # of faculty): nearly all of our attendees were students. if not, they were community members walking around campus & interested in engaging with the speakers & organizations
- # of speakers: 6
- # of people in core project team involved in planning and execution of project: 10

Project Accomplishments *

Please describe what aspects of the project have been accomplished. Be as descriptive and specific as possible. Responses must be 500 characters at minimum and no longer than 2,000 characters, spaces included.

Examples of accomplishments could include: Held 4 public meetings totaling 130 attendees; Transitioned 300 square feet of dirt into usable garden space and signed on 14 community garden volunteers. Other examples of accomplishments could include sharing a confirmed schedule of events, the connections/contacts that have been established, or providing an update on an FM quote.

April is heralded as the environment month- with Earth Day occurring on April 22nd, there is increased visibility for environmental issues including conservation, environmental justice, and sustainability. The goal of Students for Sustainability's Environmental Summit was to give a platform to marginalized voices during this month, particularly through the program's biggest event of the year. The planning of this event occurred from November 2021 to April 2022, with the execution on April 21st, right before Earth Day. Throughout these six months, the core project planning team was able to develop an event goal and relevant project timeline, confirm logistical details like mall reservations, communicate with campus departments like Facilities Management, coordinate with six summit speakers and fourteen tabling organizations from the University of Arizona campus and Tucson community, and continue existing relationships with campus and community leaders in environmental justice. From the execution of the event on April 21st, the core project planning team was able to engage over 345 students from the University of Arizona campus, which marks the biggest event that Students for Sustainability has ever hosted, particularly as an event centered around environmental and social justice.

Next Steps *

Please detail the next steps for your project, numbering each step. (ie, 1. Connect with X Department to collaborate on the event, 2. Contact the catering options to confirm pricing, 3. Interview candidates for internship). If your project is completed, you can note "Project is Completed." Responses must be 500 characters at minimum and no longer than 2,000 characters, spaces included.

Project is complete.

Challenges Faced *

Please identify and describe any obstacles/roadblocks you or your team have experienced, and detail how you've managed them/ will manage them. Should your project already be completed, please note what challenges you faced and what you would do differently. Responses must be 500 characters at minimum and no longer than 2,000 characters, spaces included.

Project is complete.

Project Support *

Can the CSF support you in addressing any roadblocks you've encountered? How else can the CSF support your project? Responses must be 500 characters at minimum and no longer than 2,000 characters, spaces included.

In preparation for the event, our primary roadblock was securing a finalized quote from Arizona Party Rental as required by Facilities Management for the event. While altering our timeline with FM would not change much, as they respond to requests in order of when the event is, beginning the conversation with AZ Party Rental earlier may allow us to have a solid quote from them earlier, making the conversations with FM and CSF easier. Additionally, we ran into some trouble with our marketing materials as some of the speakers did not confirm the titles of their talks until the week before. Ensuring that we specify and hold to the deadlines and expectations for presenters and tabling organizations at the time of reaching out to them may help us to avoid this problem in future iterations of the event.

Photos

Please upload or provide link (below) to relevant photos. Providing photos to your project is required. Please include event photos, any and all relevant photos, as well as flyers or advertisements.







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Photo Link

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Media/Links

Please include links to any media coverage or events information (e.g. news, social media, websites, interviews, etc.)

https://www.instagram.com/p/CclyirtPkly/?utm_source=ig_web_copy_link

<https://www.wildcat.arizona.edu/article/2022/04/n-earth-week-2022>

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