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Sustainability and Climate Action Plan

To read the plan, visit uc.edu/sustainability and click on the “Climate Action” tab
Environmental Literacy Certificate of Achievement

Session 1: Tuesday, Sept. 10th 6pm, TUC 419

Session 2: Tuesday October 22nd 6pm, TUC 415
Clean Up Cincy
2019 SUSTAINABILITY SUMMIT

September 27-29, 2019

- Three days, two nights at Shawnee State Park
- Application required (see below)

The 2019 Sustainability Summit will be an inclusive weekend where students are challenged to grow as activists and leaders. Students will explore social, economic, and environmental issues through various lenses that will build their problem-solving and change-making capabilities. Students will leave the weekend with confidence, connections, and the tools they need to become life-long activists.

FREE FOR UC STUDENTS

Housing, food, and transportation provided.
Applications due September 13, 2019

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https://forms.gle/6y0X9RdiMcK1nm7

APPLY HERE
Sustainable Fashion Initiative

About / SFI is student-centered & collaborative:

• The Sustainable Fashion Initiative is a student-centered effort to cultivate a zero-waste (circular) culture within the fashion program at the Myron E. Ullman Jr. School of Design.

• Fashion's Linear Business Model Does Not Work. We extract valuable, non-renewable resources and utilize energy intensive processes to manufacture textiles and clothing that are unused or used for but a fleeting moment. Waste occurs at all points along the lifecycle of our clothing and SFI is founded on the belief that if we change how we think about and deal with waste, we could change our entire relationship to fashion.
Nature Days
Connecting Kids with Greenspace

Preserve Burnet Woods
Nature Days: A History

• January, 2019: Environmental Writing students were introduced to the service-learning project they would be required to complete for the semester.

• January – April, 2019: Environmental Writing students built rapport and partnership with Rockdale Academy, PBW, and other community partners to plan, organize, and facilitate the first Nature Day.

• May 13, 2019: Forty seven students from Rockdale Academy in Avondale met about 15 UC students and a dozen community volunteers in Burnet Woods for fun in nature, learning, and crafts.

• June, 2019: Community Resource Coordinator at Rockdale, Jordan Kilgore, wrote a letter of support to continue the Nature Days partnership at Rockdale Academy and to support the growth of the program to other area schools.

• August, 2019: A preliminary meeting was had with Taft Elementary in Mt. Auburn, and it appears they will participate in Nature Days and we will explore ways to integrate the program into the school’s STEM curriculum.

• September and October, 2019: Fall Nature Days events will take place in Burnet Woods, and we need UC student support to continue the early success of the program.
Nature Days: What’s Next?

We aim to serve, advocate for, and mentor the next generation of Boldly Bearcat students by helping make accessibility to greenspace, dreaming, and enrollment at UC a reality for area CPS students.
UC Bike Kitchen

UC BIKE KITCHEN

FALL HOURS
M W F 1:30 - 6:30
T TR 9:00 - 1:30
6th Annual Cincinnati Bike Show

Tuesday September 24th, 4pm-6pm
McMicken Commons
STARS Report

- Next report due on 3/10/2020
Sustainability Organization Fair

- Wednesday October 16th, 11:30am-1:30pm, TUC Atrium
- Email green@uc.edu to reserve a table
Environmental Literacy – Tues 9/10, 6pm, TUC 419

Film: Wasted! The Story of Food Waste – Mon 9/16, 6pm, Mainstreet Cinema

Panel: Living Building Challenge – Thurs 9/19, 5:30pm, McMicken 43

6th Annual Cincinnati Bike Show – Tues 9/24, 4pm, TUC Plaza
Open Discussion

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