

Student Sustainability Committee Funding Award Letter



December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Project: Reimagine Our Future (ROF) Sustainability Contest

Leon Liebenberg,

The University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Student Sustainability Committee (SSC) is pleased to inform you that your project has received approval from the Institute for Sustainability, Energy, and Environment (iSEE), and the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs.

The Student Sustainability Committee is proud to award \$33,800.00 in grant funding for the **Reimagine Our Future (ROF) Sustainability Contest.** 

In order to remain eligible for this award, you agree to the following conditions:

- The project must be completed within two years of the funding awarded. A final report of all work completed, a full list of expenditures, and a detailed sustainability impact report must be provided to the SSC Advisor by **December 3<sup>rd</sup>**, **2025**, or project completion.
- 2. Project status updates, and detailed account statements must be provided at the end of each semester until the project is completed.
- 3. The Primary Applicant will be the individual responsible for all official communication and the execution of this agreement.
- 4. The Project Unit Financial Contact must submit the prescribed FPI form for the assignment of a Chart, Fund, Organization, and Program code (CFOP) within four weeks of receipt of this letter. The CFOP established for this award shall strictly be used for the awarded funds of this proposal.
- 5. Any substantial modifications to the project must be submitted within a scope change form, including alterations to the budget, timeline, project lead, and project direction. A majority vote of the SSC must approve scope changes.
- 6. All projects are expected to follow university policies and procedures as well as any applicable local, state, and federal laws.
- 7. SSC reserves the right to revoke funding if the project does not comply with the terms and conditions outlined in this letter.
- 8. Any press releases or educational/promotional materials involving the project must acknowledge SSC funding.
- 9. Any marketing, including but not limited to advertising, signs, and digital ads, involving the project or events surrounding this project must include SSC's logo and/or a statement of which fee funded the project. Projects must coordinate with SSC to ensure promotion appropriately highlights the SSC's contributions to the project.

Project: Reimagine Our Future Sustainability Contest

Funding Source: SCEF (303692)

Funding Requested: \$86,150.00

Funding Allocated: \$33,800.00

Primary Unit of the Project: Nuclear, Plasma, and Radiological Engineering

Unit Financial Contact: Leon Liebenberg

#### **Project Description:**

The project is designed to demystify "sustainability" among undergraduate students and to elicit a broad-based discussion about sustainability. Students are challenged to generate novel ideas to address one or more of the UN 17 Sustainable Development Goals. Students are also assisted by more than 100 voluntary specialist advisors from the UIUC and beyond. Students submit their ideas via fact sheets that are adjudicated by volunteer specialists from academia and beyond. Winning teams or individuals receive financial awards and are also mentored by a professional to help take their ideas further.

#### Project Category:

Education & Justice

#### This proposal directly funds:

- 1. 2 Interns for 2024-2025
- 2. \$4,000 in prizes for 2024
- 3. \$4,000 in prizes for 2025

## **Funding Approval**

Student Sustainability Committee, Chairperson

Claire Keating	Claine Ke <del>ating</del>	12/07/2023
Name	Signature	Date
Institute for Sustainability, Ene	ergy and Environment, Director	
Jennifer Fraterrigo	Jenifer Fraty	12/06/2023
Name	Signature	Date
Vice Chancellor for Student Af	fairs	
Danita Brown Young	Duntwestyn	12/06/2023
Name	Signature	Date

### **Funding Acknowledgement**

By signing below, I agree to the terms and conditions for this award. If you have any questions regarding these requirements, please contact the Student Sustainability Committee Advisor at <u>ssc-advisor@illinois.edu</u>.

**Award Recipient** 

Leon Liebenberg

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Name

Signature

12/08/2023

Date

Project Advisor Signature (Student-Led Projects Only)

Name

Signature

Date

# Fall 2023 Liebenberg Funding Award

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