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Respondent

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Time to complete

1. Date of this semester progress report submission \*

12/17/2025

2. Name of project exactly as it was listed in your award letter \*

UIUC Campus Wind Turbine Project

3. Date of original award letter \*

11/21/2024

4. Date of expiration listed on award letter (or on scope change approval if more recent) \*

11/21/2026

5. How much was your award (i.e., original award plus any approved budget increases)? \*

160000

6. How much of your award has been spent to date (in dollars)? \*

150000

7. Date of forecasted project completion \*

11/21/2026

8. Have you submitted one or more semester progress reports previously? \*

YES

NO

9. Describe, in detail, what has been completed on the project since the last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? \*

The wind turbine has been installed. We have also performed a trial run with the operation. The wind turbine was able to send power to the grid. Please attached report document to see the latest photos from the site.

10. Describe, in detail, the project's challenges/obstacles since your last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? \*

The major challenge we faced was to get the clearance from IDNR and Ameren. IDNR approval is almost finalized waiting for the signatures from respective parties. Ameren clearance is still pending. We are working to get the Ameren clearance in the Spring 2026. Also, we had to do a budget reallocation as the payment for the original line items became challenging. We have ordered the generator and it is currently getting manufactured. Many thanks to SSC for your flexibility in approving the line items.

11. Describe, in detail, the project's successes since your last semester progress report (or since the project commenced if you have not yet submitted a semester progress report)? \*

Our biggest success this semester was to see the wind turbine operational and producing power to the grid.

12. Did your project have any changes to its team that SSC should know about (e.g., project lead, faculty/staff advisor, departmental financial contact)? \*

**NOTE: If yes, please complete the SSC Project Contact Information Change Form located at this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/uBjx9nmNpG>**

YES

NO

13. Complete and upload the semester financial documentation for your project. You should reflect all expenditures since your last semester project report. We strongly suggest that you also upload supporting financial documentation from Banner for your award CFOP. NOTE: When your project is completed and/or expired (whichever comes first), any remaining project funds will be transferred back to the SSC.

<https://studentengagement.illinois.edu/sites/default/files/2024-09/SSC-Budget-Timeline-SEMESTER-PROGRESS-REPORT-template.xlsx>

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 [SSC-Budget-Timeline-SEMESTER-PROGRESS-REPORT- Arijit Banerjee.xlsx](#)

14. (OPTIONAL FOR SEMESTER REPORT) Upload project marketing and/or media not previously submitted in semester progress reports.

**NOTE: Project marketing and/or media must include SSC's logo and/or a statement of which fee(s) funded the project.**

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