Green Grants

Every year students contribute $3.50 per semester to two sustainability funds. The Sustainable Campus Initiative Fund (SCIF), a $2.50 fee, is the University of Utah’s green grant program. This grant program uses student innovation to enhance the sustainability of our campus and community. The Revolving Loan Fund (RLF), a $1 fee, is a growing pool of money that is used to fund sustainable energy projects on campus.

2010-2019 IMPACT

229 student projects funded

$1.3 million allocated

14 different colleges and departments

GOT AN IDEA? Students, faculty, and staff from all disciplines and departments are invited to propose projects that enhance the sustainability of our campus and community. Here are a few highlights of recent projects

- Installed Weather Trak controls to campus irrigations systems
- This project, in addition to creating water-wise landscapes, is helping to achieve the university’s goals to reduce water use
- Partnership with Facilities and Grounds
- Piloting sustainable tech on campus
- Researching possible applications for reflective roads in temperate climates
- Partnership with Commuter Services
- Intercolligate Partnership tracking wildlife in the Wasatch
- Statewide implications and impacts
- Collaborating with citizen scientists to get a better understanding of wildlife patterns