"Introduction of the Sustainable Campus Working Group within the ECIU-Network"

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I. Intro to ECIU
− research intensive young universities with strengths in engineering & social sciences
− emphasis on innovation, creativity, societal impact, entrepreneurship, innovative teaching & learning practices
Organisational Structure

ECIU Executive Board

Institutional Presidents/Rectors

Entrepreneurship and Societal Impact of Research Steering Committee
Institutional Experts

Innovation in Teaching and Learning Steering Committee
Institutional Experts

Human Resources Working Group
HR Personnel

EC Activities Working Group
Experts

Public Relations and Engagement Working Group
PR Personnel

Thematic Working Groups/Professional Networks
Thematic Specifics

SCWG
II. Intro to SCWG
Introduction SCWG – Sustainable Campus Working Group

- Established: 2012
- Objective: to promote sustainable campuses within ECIU
- Sustainable Campus Charter signed
- Knowledge transfer of best practice
- Indicator matrix
- Broad membership – Operations/HR/Research/Management
Our Approach

Innovation in Sustainable Development

- Alborg, DK
- Averio, PT
- UT, NL
- DCU, IE
- ITSEM, Mex
- LiU, SE
- UAB, SP
- UoS, NO
- Rostov, RU
- TUL, PL
- TUHH, DE

Shared Learning
Joint indicators
Best Practice
Demonstrated savings
III. Focus & projects
Focus topics within SCWG

- sustainability indicator matrix
- support societal adoption of sustainable best practices and innovations
- potential for several inter-institutional/interdisciplinary H2020 proposals
- living lab model for sustainable campus
- certified energy management systems
Project ideas
“Teaching & Learning”

The 2030 University

- Carbon neutral student lecture series
- Short-term student exchange on sustainability projects
Indicator Matrix

Initial
Operational Indicators: (e.g. Energy, Water, Waste, Biodiversity, Transport)

Future
Teaching & Learning
Research Development & Innovation
Shared communication platform

Community Description

Here is a place where we will be collaborating in order to carry out the work of ECIU's Sustainable Campus Initiative.

We will be sharing documents, information, open discussion and follow up.

Feel free to participate and contribute.

Files:
- SDWG_Dusseldorf_9_19Oct2014.ppt
- SDWG_Dusseldorf_9_19Oct2014_s.pdf
- SDWG_Dusseldorf_9_19Oct2014_S2.pptx
- SDWG_Dusseldorf_9_19Oct2014_S2.pdf

Google Drive

Dropbox
IV. Success Factors / Challenges
Success Factors/Challenges

• sustainability – grand challenge/ existential issue facing us all
• implementing best practice across ECIU
• embedding graduate competencies
• resources for management and coordination of SCWG
• We are all unique but must work together!
Thank you.

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