Our Mission

We seek to train students to be leaders of sustainability for their class and school.

By giving the EcoReps the skills and knowledge needed to promote environmentally responsible behavior in all students living on freshman residence halls, our program strives to create an environmentally literate student population.

"EcoReps is such a fostering community for friendship and sustainability. Before I joined, I wasn't nearly as focused on the environment as I am now."
- DeeDee Krupkin

"'Reps…has taught me how to liaise with administrators, seek out resources, and advocate for a more sustainable future."
– Niru Murali

"EcoReps gave me wonderful friends whom I will cherish forever and an experience I will never forget."
– Jeremy Deniega

Apply Today!

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WWW.ROCHESTER.EDU/SUSTAINABILITY/ECOREPS

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY MAY 31

EcoReps 2014 - 2015

University of Rochester

EcoReps 2015 - 2016

EcoReps participate in campus-wide green events like RecycleMania

What is the EcoReps Program?

Our current EcoReps program was inspired by similar EcoReps programs at schools across the country. The EcoReps at the University of Rochester are unique because the program is specifically geared toward freshmen, with the expectation that they will work to create change within their community

No prior experience is required to be a great EcoRep. All you have to do is apply and attend training!

Benefits

* Leadership experience.

* Knowledge of environmental and social topics.

* 4.0 credits for the academic year.

* Getting involved immediately in the on-campus community.

* Building lasting relationships with staff, faculty, and students.

*Experience working with other passionate students and staff to achieve common goals.

* Assisting the University in obtaining a more sustainable future.

EcoReps recycling on Move-in day 2014

EcoRep Responsibilities

* Planning hall programs.

* Helping to organize campus events.

* Attending class twice a week.

* Updating EcoBoards.

* 2-3 hours of independent work per week.

* All EcoReps enroll in two semesters of CAS 303: EcoReps and Sustainability, a two credit graded course that will help teach the EcoReps to ask hard questions and come to their own conclusions about sustainability.

* EcoReps move in 3 days early for training on Saturday, August 22nd at 12:00pm.