



# NUS Students' Green Fund: engaging academics

EAUC Competency Level: Starting Out/ On the Road

Monday 15 September 2014, 12pm - 1pm

60% of students want to learn more about sustainability, and so NUS is committed to greening curriculums across the UK.

In this webinar, we look at how NUS Students' Green Fund is meaningfully engaging academics with sustainability, and enhancing students' academic performance.

## Why should I attend?

- Hear about good practice for mass engagement on sustainability from across student movement.
- Think about new ways in which you can shape meaningful and useful engagement between students and academics
- Reconsider ways in which sustainability can be embedded into learning, and enhance academic performance

## Who is this webinar for?

- Volunteer managers / coordinators
- Sustainability project leads
- Student Union staff/representatives
- Students interested/ engaged in sustainability
- Anyone involved in sustainability and/or student engagement within their institution

## Agenda:

- 5mins: introduction from Students' Green Fund programme manager Emily Thompson-Bell
- 15mins: presentation from Liverpool Green Guild. This project at Liverpool Guild of Students has worked with local primary schools to embed sustainable development into the learning of young pupils.
- 15mins: presentation from the Exeter Green Unit. This project at University of Exeter Students' Guild partners student activism with academic expertise to create innovative environmental solutions.
- 15mins: presentation from Green Living Project. This initiative at Falmouth and Exeter Students' Union has carried out a range of activities, including a campus-wide waste audit.
- 10mins: Q&A facilitated by Emily Thompson-Bell.

## Our expert speakers:

**Dave Wheatley**, Green Guild Project Manager, Liverpool Guild of Students



**Norrie Blackeby**, Students' Green Unit Manager (incorporating Facilities and Central Services)  
University of Exeter Students' Guild

Norrie Blackeby is the Manager for the Students' Green Unit at the University of Exeter Students' Guild. Norrie is also the Head of Facilities and Central Services and has led the Guild's sustainability development since 2011. Norrie has achieved various awards and nominations since 2011. Norrie is also member of the University's Sustainability Advisory Group.

**Stephen Murphy**, FXU Sustainability Project Coordinator, Falmouth & Exeter Students' Union

Stephen has joined the SGF after years of environmental, social and climate related communications for greenpeace, christian aid, the centre for alternative technology and other grass roots organisations. From taking on the UN at COP, to climate-disaster appeals, Stephen is using this experience to engender an ethos of environmentalism at FXU.

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