

DUKE ENDOWMENT CLIMATE ACTION PLAN WORKSHOP
JANUARY 8-10, 2009
Agenda

Thursday, January 8

- 9:00-10:00 Visiting Guests* – Bowen Patterson (Sustainability Coordinator, Campus Planning and Maintenance) Pomona College; Brett Pasinella (Program Coordinator, Office of Sustainability), University of New Hampshire; Dean Koyanagi (Sustainability Coordinator), Cornell University; Jack Byrne (Director of Sustainability Integration), Middlebury College; and Jennifer Andrews and Claire Roby, Clean Air-Cool Planet. Other Duke Endowment and Duke Endowment School Representatives – Breakfast with Dr. Angela Halfacre (Director, Furman Office of Sustainability and Environmental Education) in Trustees Dining Room
- 10:00-12:00 Tour of Furman’s Campus for Visiting Guests. Coordinated by Jeff Redderson, Vice President, Facilities Services.

Workshop Begins with noon luncheon – Attendees -- All Workshop Participants (Duke Endowment, Duke Endowment Institution School Representatives, Furman Case Study Representatives, Visiting Guests)

- 12:00-1:30 Introductions and Lunch at Furman’s Younts Conference Center
Welcome and Overview, David Shi, President, Furman University
Keynote, Jennifer Andrews and Claire Roby, Clean Air-Cool Planet
- 1:30-5:00 PANEL Visiting Guests Overviews and Guidance -- Twenty minute Presentation by each Visiting Guest (*Contact information listed at end of agenda*), Questions and Answers, Moderated by Dr. Angela Halfacre, Furman University)
- 1:30-3:30 Panel Visiting Guest Overviews/Questions and Answers
Middlebury – Overview of Climate Action Plan Model
University of New Hampshire – Sustainability Program and Climate Planning Process/Timeline and Tasks
Pomona – Sustainability and Student Involvement
Cornell – Publicizing, Collaboration, and Community Reaction
- 3:30-3:45 Break

3:45-5:00 Assignment of Goals and Groups by Plan Element
(Conservation – Infrastructure, Conservation – Behavioral,
Transportation, Offsets, Renewables), Visiting Guests and
Angela Halfacre

7:00 Dinner at Furman’s Younts’ Conference Center (Groups asked to sit
together)
Furman Case Study Overview, Coordinated by Furman’s Sustainability
Studies and Planning Council (SSPC), Moderated by Provost Tom Kazee

Friday, January 9

8:30-9:00 Continental Breakfast – Younts

9:00-12:00 Round-robin CAP Sessions: Teams Rotating every 20 minutes through the
following stations:

Conservation-Behavior; Conservation-Infrastructure; Transportation;
Renewable Energy; Curriculum; Co-Curriculum; Offsets and
Sequestration; and GHG Neutrality Target Dates and Burning Questions

Scribe and Oral Historian Assigned to Each Station for Reporting After
Lunch

12:00-1:00 Working Lunch at Younts

1:00-2:15 Group Reports

2:15-2:30 Break

2:30-4:00 Group Recaps, Brainstorming, and Duke Endowment School Questions

4:00 Completion of Formal Workshop

Furman Specific Case Study Climate Action Plan – Plan to be Created and Used as Model for Other Duke Endowment Schools

6:00 Dinner with Visiting Guests, President David Shi, Provost Tom Kazee, and Director of Sustainability Angela Halfacre.

Saturday, January 10

Attendees – Visiting Guests and Furman University SPC Core including Furman Duke Endowment Team

8:30-9:00 Continental Breakfast

9:00-12:00 Drafting Blueprint for Climate Action Plan.

Important Questions for each breakout group:

- What are the three most promising projects and why?
- What additional information do you need from your or other strategy areas to accomplish those projects?

10:30-10:45 Break

12:00-1:00 Working Lunch – Implementation Work Plans (Consideration of Stakeholder Perspectives/Responsibilities)

1:00-2:00 Compilation of group reports

***Panel of Visiting Guests**

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Co Chairs: Provost and Dr. Tom Kazee, Dr. Bill Ranson (also Vice Chair, Campus Sustainability Institutional Assessment), and Dr. Angela Halfacre (also Vice Chair, Communication and Sustainability)

Dr. Brannon Andersen (Vice Chair, Curriculum and Sustainability Studies)

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Dr. Frank Powell (Co-Convener, Subcommittee on Renewables)

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Jeff Redderson (Convener, Subcommittee on Conservation)

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Additional Participants: Dr. David Shi and Vice President Mary Lou Merkt