

## CCSE Events and Activities Meeting Minutes

**Date:** Tuesday, February 25, 2014

**Time:** 1:00-2:00 p.m.

**Location:** University Hall (UH), Room 2650

### Attendees:

Lisa Sanzenbacher

Norma Ramos

Brian Zeid

Shelby Egan

### Discussion/Things that have been established:

1. Earth Month Events
  - a. EcoJam (4/22/14) is the Earth Day event on campus with UIC organizations and vendors. Organizations include EcoCampus, UIC Police, UIC Dining Services, UIC Bookstore, Latino Cultural Center (LCC), Summer Institute on Sustainability and Energy (SISE), Heritage Garden, Capoeira, UIC Career Services, Bicycle Advisory Committee (BAM), UIC Commuter Student Resource Center, and Student Veterans Association. Outside organizations will include Citizens Utility Board, Zip Car, iGo, West Town Bikes, Working Bikes, Paradigm Shift, Students for Sensible Drug Policy, Donate By Design, Project Inspire, and IL Student Environmental Coalition. Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to visit each table to learn about their environmental mission, engagement games, participate, etc.
  - b. Bike2Campus Week. Will take place 4/21-4/25 and is a Chicago-wide event. Chicago universities encourage students to bicycle by competing with other universities for highest number of trips to and from class.
  - c. Tree Planting Event will occur at the College of Dentistry on Earth Day (4/22/14).
  - d. Campus Electronics recycling event (tentatively scheduled for 4/2). UIC community is encouraged to bring in personal electronics for recycling).
  - e. The Office of Sustainability would like to market other events, including academic lectures, talks, movie screenings related to sustainability. Contact Shelby Egan at [segan4@uic.edu](mailto:segan4@uic.edu).
2. Eco-Educators
  - a. New volunteer program geared towards interested students, but also open to faculty and staff. Interested persons are encouraged to assist at events to educate event goers on sustainability concepts such as waste minimization and recycling. Eco-

Educators benefit from this program by learning valuable community service skills, building their resume, and receiving incentives such as free lunches.