Resource Efficiency Fellow
Office of Sustainability

Description
As Connecticut College continues to expand its efforts to become a model of sustainability within higher education, an important area of work is resource efficiency. The College intends to reduce the amount of resources that our community consumes by completing infrastructural and procedural efficiency projects and by supporting our community members to adopt sustainable behaviors. The Resource Efficiency Fellow will create and support projects that address both facets of resource efficiency at Connecticut College, specifically focusing on water and energy efficiency.

The Resource Efficiency Fellow will have the following responsibilities:
- Establish institutional support for the creation of a Revolving Sustainability Fund for resource conservation and efficiency projects – push the completion of pilot project;
- Research state and federal programs that support investment in water and energy efficiency;
- Develop a program to have up to date electrical, condensate, and water meters installed in all buildings on campus;
- Research and develop projects that will help the College reduce its consumption of electricity, fuel, water, and other resources;
- Develop initiatives that support students, staff, and faculty to reduce their resource consumption and collaborate with other Sustainability Fellows to launch joint initiatives;
- Positively contribute to the warm atmosphere of the Office of Sustainability;
- Attend various Office of Sustainability sponsored events;
- Other duties as assigned.

Requirements
- Proficient with Excel, Word, and PowerPoint
- Strong interpersonal skills
- Strong writing and analytical skills
- Comfortable working with a variety of campus constituencies (staff, students, faculty)
- Comfort working on projects with short timelines
- Prior experience with resource efficiency or renewable energy preferred, but not required

Compensation
Mandatory participation in 2-credit Applications of Sustainability Seminar (SUS 293) that meets Fridays from 11:50am-1:05pm. The course is taken pass/fail.

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