



NYSERDA

REV Campus Challenge

NYCSHE Annual Meeting

June 25, 2015

REV Campus Challenge

- Commitment and Recognition effort to recognize New York State Colleges and Universities for Clean Energy leadership in three main areas:
 - On-campus clean energy investment and greenhouse gas reduction
 - Clean energy R&D and curricula
 - Community engagement

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- Colleges and Universities would sign up and establish goals in each of these three areas
- The State of New York would
 - Recognize achievements in specific areas periodically (likely annually)
 - Coordinate public funding and resources available to support participants in achieving clean energy goals
- This is being led by NYSERDA in close coordination with the Governor's energy team and the New York Power Authority

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Examples of possible areas of recognition:

- The college or university with:
 - The greatest net greenhouse gas reduction to date from 2010 levels
 - The most innovative approach to commercializing clean energy technology
 - The most community members enrolled in Community Solar
 - The best EV charging policies/infrastructure

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- Will include:
 - Public and private
 - Four year and community colleges
- Climate and clean energy commitments will synergize with, not supplant, existing commitments (e.g. NYC Carbon Challenge, ACUPCC, Build Smart NY etc.)

Steering Committee

- ACUPCC
- New York City
- DASNY
- Rocky Mountain Institute
- CICU
- Association of Physical Plant Administrators (APPA)
- National Grid
- Con Edison
- Sustainable Endowments Institute
- NYSTAR
- Second Nature
- New York Academy of Sciences

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- Summary and Next steps

June 30 - Workshop for potential Challenge participants

- Co-located at NYU Polytechnic School of Engineering, Brooklyn and Albany SUNY College of Nanoscale

September - Official Participation Launch

January 2016 – 1st recognition event planned

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