



# Sustainable OIT

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- ACUPCC and OUS
- Faculty, Staff and Students
- Geo-Heat and Oregon Renewable Energy Center
- Facilities
- Community



# ACUPCC and OUS

- Interim President signed ACUPCC in Nov. 2007
- OIT is one of 7 institutions within the Oregon University System (OUS)
  - Brings together sustainability coordinators and related staff
  - Coordinates system-wide energy efficiency efforts and renewable energy projects
  - Work collectively on challenges



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# Faculty, Staff, Students, Programs

- Dispersed effort
  - Sustainability Coordinator(s)
  - Energy Analyst
  - OREC Assistants
  - Sustainability Club
  - Sustainability Interns
  - Sustainability Committee
  - Renewable Energy Engineering Degree
  - Environmental Sci/Civil Engineering
  - Facilities staff
- Regular meetings with admin
  - President
  - VP of Finance
  - Provost and Deans



# Geo-Heat and OREC

Oregon Renewable Energy Center

- 100% Geothermally heated since 1964
- Small power plant - soon
- Large power plant ~ 2yrs
- Grants
- State and Federal Incentives and Programs
- Bonds, legislation
- Student Projects



# Facilities

- LEED Silver Equivalent
- Geothermal heating/hot water
- Lab Techs Reuse/Repurpose
- Identifying opportunities for conservation (water, energy)



# Community Partnerships

- Composting with local CSA
- Recycling Paper with REACH
- Klamath Sustainable Communities
- City and County
- Klamath Community College



# Sustainability Resources

- [www.oit.edu/sustainable-OIT](http://www.oit.edu/sustainable-OIT)
- <http://oitsustainability.pbwiki.com/>

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