AFFILIATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN

THE U.S. GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL

AND THE USGBC STUDENT GROUP - [NAME OF COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY]

The Student Group at **[Name of College/University]** (“Student Group”) hereby petitions for recognition from the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) as an affiliated Student Group and hereby agrees to comply with the provisions prescribed by USGBC for such affiliation.

The Student Group and USGBC, upon the exchange of good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, enter into this Affiliation Agreement and agree to be bound by its terms and conditions.

The Student Group agrees:

1. To abide by the constitution and bylaws of the Student Group as approved by USGBC national staff;
2. To contribute to the achievement of the objectives set by USGBC;
3. To refrain from holding out the Student Group as acting on behalf of USGBC;
4. To maintain at least ten student members at all times;
5. To utilize *only* those names and logos of USGBC as specifically granted to the Student Group, and to refrain from any use of any other USGBC trade names or logos;
6. To cooperate and comply with policies and procedures applicable to USGBC Student Groups as may be reasonably adopted from time to time by USGBC;
7. To maintain its standing as a recognized student group by [Name of College/University];and
8. To report metrics and actively participate in National Field as well as regularly participate in calls with your USGBC Students Regional Chair, National Chair, or USGBC Students Nationals as directed.
9. To commit to and to undertake six (6) or more of the following events/activities – at least one (1) from each category- within the school year:

* Campus
  + Participate in Campus Conservation Nationals competition (February-April)
  + Participate in Don’t Be Trashy freshman move-in recycling drive (August/September)
  + Start/participate in a campus sustainability advocacy initiative
  + Plan and complete a sustainability project on campus
  + Host a Campus Sustainability Day
* Community
  + Host an event for the Green Apple Day of Service (September)
  + Help a neighboring college or university establish its own USGBC student group
  + Attend a USGBC Emerging Professionals or USGBC Chapter event
  + Plan and complete a community service project (October-May)
  + Members take a Green Building Tour
* Career
  + Earn media for an event you host on campus
  + Attain a 10% rate of students sitting for the LEED GA exam
  + Members attend a sustainability conference
  + Host a USGBC Emerging Professionals speaker
  + Set up an interview process/resume building session with your Career Center

For more information, contact your regional chair or reference your [USGBC Students Toolkit](http://centerforgreenschools.org/docs/USGBC_StudentsGuide.pdf).

USGBC agrees:

1. To offer certain support and promotional materials upon request by the Student Group; and
2. To provide general information, resources and assistance to the Student Group.

USGBC hereby grants permission to Student Group a royalty-free, nonexclusive, revocable license to use the phrase “USGBC Student Group, [Name of College/University]” and “USGBC Student Group – [Name of College/University]” and to use the USGBC Student Group logo provided.

The Student Group and **[Name of College/University]** agree that USGBC may terminate this Affiliation Agreement and revoke the license granted to utilize the name “USGBC” (and any related logo) in connection with the Student Group at any time if the Student Group fails to meet its obligations herein.

The term of this Affiliation Agreement is for one year, beginning this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ date of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_. This Affiliation Agreement may be renewed upon completion of a renewal agreement provided by USGBC.

USGBC Students Regional Chair

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

GROUP FACULTY ADVISOR

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

GROUP PRESIDENT

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Names, signatures, and emails of Student Group Members (Must Be No Less than Ten)

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|  | **Name** | **Signature** | **Email** | **Graduation Year** | **I’d like to receive e-mails** |
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