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SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

UF's Sustainability Committee is composed of 19 faculty, staff, and student members. The committee is responsible for promoting sustainability at UF and in the University's relations with the larger community. Guests are welcome at committee meetings – please contact the Office of Sustainability for updated meeting times and location.

EAT LOCAL

Eat local and eat well. North Central Florida is blessed with a climate that supports year-round agriculture. Take advantage of this abundance of fresh, local produce by joining a Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program or by shopping at one of the many local farmers' markets. There are many CSA's around Gainesville, including Gator CSA, coordinated by the university with an on-campus pick up.

Gator Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) >> <http://sustainable.ufl.edu/topics/food-dining/gatorcsa/>

Gainesville farmers' markets
>> <http://www.hogtownhomegrown.com/Our%20Local%20Farmers%20Markets.html>

UF Organic Garden

Grow your own organic produce at UF's organic community garden. Plots are rented for 6 months and include access to tools, water, compost, some seeds, and a shared herb garden. >> <https://sites.google.com/site/uforganicgardens/>



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GREEN RECOGNITION FOR OFFICES & WORKSPACES (GROW)

We can help you green your lab, office, or special event! The Office of Sustainability is currently updating our certification program: GROW – Green Recognition for Offices and Workspaces. **GROW includes certification for university offices, laboratories, and special events.** Please contact our office for more information and updates. >> info@sustainability.ufl.edu



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Greener Gator Nation!



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DON'T CANCEL CLASS, CALL SUSTAINABILITY!

If you know ahead of time that you won't be able to teach a scheduled class, don't cancel it! Call the Office of Sustainability, give us some information about your course, and **we'll tailor a lecture to discuss sustainability at UF and its intersection with your discipline.** >> <http://sustainable.ufl.edu/get-involved/for-faculty-staff/>

PRAIRIE PROJECT

The Prairie Project is an annual two-day workshop based on a highly successful national model that focuses on providing faculty with the resources and interdisciplinary interactions to begin incorporating sustainability in their courses. **Come engage with faculty colleagues from across UF** who are passionate about teaching sustainability both creatively and within a discipline-specific context. >> <http://sustainable.ufl.edu/academics-research/curriculum-development/>

SUSTAINABILITY COURSES

The Office of Sustainability maintains a list of sustainability-related courses that are highlighted on our website and through our electronic communications to students, faculty, and staff. If you are teaching a course focused on or related to sustainability, please email info@sustainability@ufl.edu – we'd love to include it on this list. >> <http://sustainable.ufl.edu/academics-research/course-offerings-in-sustainability/>



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BY BICYCLE

Departmental Bike Share Program:

Need a bike? We'll get you rolling! Cycling is consistently the quickest mode of transportation around campus, and the Office of Sustainability wants to make sure you have easy access to this fast and healthy form of travel. We refurbish bicycles that are abandoned on campus and provide departments with a bike, helmet, U-lock, and maintenance **free of charge** to be used by UF faculty and staff. >> <http://sustainable.ufl.edu/get-involved/for-faculty-staff/departmental-bike-share-program/>

BY BUS

Gainesville Regional Transit System (RTS):

Gainesville's bus system is one of the best in Florida, with routes that service the entire metro area. **UF faculty, staff, and students ride free with their Gator1 ID card.** RTS buses are also equipped with front-mounted bike racks. Easily find your bus with TransLoc - a powerful, free app for Apple and Android devices that allows you to track the buses on any RTS route in real time. >> <http://go-rt.com>

BY CAR (IF YOU MUST!)

Zipcar: Get a car when you need it! UF faculty, staff, and students can sign up for accounts for personal driving, while faculty and staff can also use their departmental account for official business. There are several convenient Zipcar locations around campus, and getting a car is as simple as a couple clicks to reserve the vehicle and the wave of a credit-card-sized pass to unlock it. >> <http://www.zipcar.com/ufl>

Zimride: Going my way? Give a ride or get a ride with Zimride, which provides a **ride sharing platform exclusively for UF faculty, staff, and students.** Share a daily commute, a ride to the airport, or even a lift out of town with a fellow Gator. Users' identities are verified via their GatorLink account, so you know who you're riding with. Drivers can choose whether to charge for rides to recoup their costs. >> <https://www.zimride.com/ufl/>

Electric Vehicle Charging Stations:

UF supports electric vehicles on campus! If you brought an EV with you to Gainesville, you can charge it at two locations on campus, each with a 4-hour charging limit. More charging stations will be added soon. Current locations include:

- * Reitz Union parking garage near space #38
- * East end of the parking lot to the south of the Shepard Broad Building (use water plant entrance off Mowry Rd.)

>> <http://www.plugshare.com/?location=11804>

