Loyola University Chicago
Gold Level

1. Develop a comprehensive plan for campus sustainability that aligns with the university's strategic goals and objectives.
2. Establish a strong sustainability leadership team with a dedicated sustainability coordinator.
3. Implement a comprehensive sustainability curriculum at all levels.
4. Conduct regular sustainability assessments and track progress against established targets.
5. Foster a culture of sustainability across the campus through Buy Local initiatives.
6. Implement energy-efficient practices and technologies.
7. Promote water conservation efforts.
8. Enhance waste reduction and recycling programs.
9. Support sustainable transportation options.
10. Engage students, faculty, and staff in sustainability efforts.

Silver Level

1. Create opportunities for students and faculty to provide feedback on sustainability initiatives.
2. Increase the use of sustainable materials in construction and renovation projects.
3. Implement sustainable landscaping practices.
4. Promote sustainable food options in campus dining services.
5. Increase awareness of sustainability issues through campus-wide events and programs.

Program Overview

The Illinois Campus Sustainability Compact is an initiative that brings together Illinois universities and colleges to promote sustainability in higher education. It is a voluntary agreement among Illinois higher education institutions to adopt specific sustainability goals and implement strategies to achieve them. The compact encourages collaboration, sharing of best practices, and the development of innovative sustainability projects. By joining the Illinois Campus Sustainability Compact, Loyola University Chicago demonstrates its commitment to sustainability and its role in shaping the future of higher education in Illinois.