



DOW DISTINGUISHED AWARD FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY SUSTAINABILITY

Open to any U-M Ann Arbor undergraduate or graduate student interested in pursuing innovative solutions to affordable housing, access to healthy food, renewable energy, and more.

Distinguished Award Competition

- Annual opportunity announced each February
- Supports student-led sustainability projects beyond the U-M campus
- Requires an interdisciplinary team with at least three schools represented
- Each funded team receives \$5,000 for seed projects (May-September)
- Successful projects could lead up to \$50,000 to support larger efforts (extended timeframe and scope of work)

Advance Real-world Projects

Student teams develop innovative and practical efforts for societal benefit and sustainability impact beyond the campus. All projects must engage a faculty advisor and external client or stakeholder(s). Funding supports engagement efforts and may not be used for equipment.

Focus areas include food systems; cities; infrastructure; mobility; consumption; and energy systems.

More information

 Apply online: sustainability.umich.edu/dow/distinguished-awards

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