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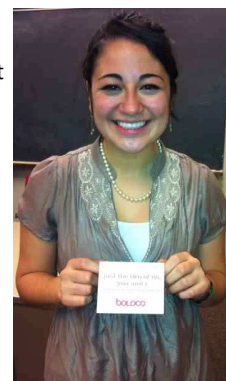
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Dear Tufts Environmental,

First of all, congratulations to Genesis Garcia for winning the \$25 Boloco gift card from our raffle last month! Her name was drawn among participants in the [Zero Waste Challenge](#) who dropped off their bags at the culminating [Jumbo Mountains event](#) on the ResQuad. This month, there's a dorm party at stake with the Eco-Reps' "Do it in the Dark" inter-dorm energy saving competition. (See "On Campus Event" for details.) [Have you pledged to participate yet?](#)



Zero Waste Challenge raffle winner Genesis Garcia

These past two weeks, [Tufts Sustainability Collective \(TSC\)](#), the active umbrella organization for environmental groups on campus, has been very busy! The student-run group hosted two successful events, a Sustainability Roundtable and a Sustainability Dinner with Tufts Dining at Dewick. Both of these events have become staples each semester, so if you missed them this time around, look for their reappearance in the spring!

This fall's [Sustainability Roundtable](#) featured the [Campus Sustainability Council](#) three working groups for Energy and Emissions, Waste, and Water. Each group presented their goals for the university and their progress since convening earlier this year, pursuing a dialog with members of the Tufts community from students to the head of Facilities. [Read more on our blog](#) about [meeting the standards set by Kyoto protocol by 2012](#), water reuse systems for machinery in laboratories, and the recent construction of a university rain garden near the lower campus dorms.

The [Sustainability Dinner](#) last Thursday night was a big hit as well, with scrumptious foods healthy for us and for the environment! There were also educational booths staffed with TSC volunteers and entertaining student performances.

Our next newsletter won't be out for another three weeks, so on behalf of the Office of Sustainability, we wish you and your

family a very happy and [green Thanksgiving!](#)

- Anne Elise
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On-Campus EVENT

NOW - Nov 18: Do It in the Dark with Tufts Eco-Reps!



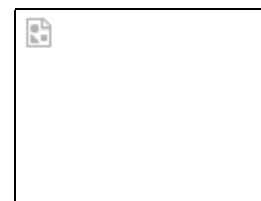
The Tufts Eco-Reps are back with their annual inter-dorm energy-saving competition! From now until mid-November, every dorm's energy use will be monitored. The dorm with the lowest usage by the final day of *Do It in the Dark* will a SUPER AWESOME PRIZE! Work with your hallmates and roommates to unplug unused

electronics and appliances, turn off bathroom and bedroom lights, and do everything in the dark to see if your hall will end up on top! The dorm or house with the greatest change in energy usage will not only get bragging rights but awesome incentives from the Office of Sustainability. Keep an eye peeled for upcoming DO IT IN THE DARK handouts and pledges coming from your Tufts Eco-Reps!

Off-Campus EVENT

Nov 16 - 22: Chasing Ice Film-Boston Opening (Kendall Square)

Chasing Ice is a film by Academy Award winner Jim Balog and has won nearly 20 awards at film festivals around the world, including



Chasing Ice Official Trailer

Sundance. It is the story of Jim Balog's mission to change the tide of history by gathering undeniable evidence of climate change. Using time-lapse cameras, his videos compress years into seconds and capture ancient mountains of ice in motion as they disappear at a breathtaking rate. *Chasing Ice* opens in Boston on November 16th and runs until November 22nd at Kendall Square Cinemas. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to see a game-changing environmental film!



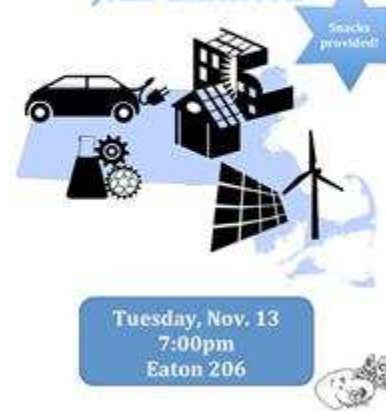
Featured Eco-Rep Event

MA Clean Energy and Climate Plan Talk
Tuesday, 11/13 - 7pm in Eaton 206

Ever wonder what Massachusetts is doing to reduce its greenhouse gas emissions? Come hear John Clarkeson from the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs talk about the Massachusetts Clean Energy and Climate Plan for 2020, Tuesday 7pm in Eaton 206. Mr. Clarkeson will also talk about internship opportunities with the EEA, and snacks will be provided!

Sponsored by the Eco-Reps; check out the [Facebook event](#) for more info.

MA Clean Energy and Climate Plan Talk with John Clarkeson



More Events

- [Nov 13: GDAE Brown Bag: Is Protecting the Environment Bad for the Economy?](#)
- [Nov 14: Environmental Leadership Program Webinar: Ecological Econ](#)
- [Nov 15: America Recycles Day](#)
- [Nov 15: Lunch & Learn: Creating Only ONE Sustainability Footprint to Help Lower Corp. Business Risk](#)
- [Nov 15: MIT Food and Farm Film Double-Feature](#)
- [Nov 15: "Do the Math" with Bill McKibben](#)

- [Nov 17 - 18: New England Climate Summit](#)
- [Nov 19: CIERP Seminar: No Great Wall - The Global Diffusion of Clean Energy Technologies](#)

Contests

- [Nov. 15: Cool Science Art Competition](#)
- [Call for Submissions: Exploring Urban Identities in De-industrialized Cities](#)

Visit the [Tufts Environmental Calendar](#) or subscribe to [our Events RSS feed](#) for more frequent updates.

Jobs in Sustainability

- [Built Environmental Specialist Assistant \(New York\)](#)
- [Environmental Interpretation Internship - Patuxent Research Refuge \(Laurel, MD\)](#)
- [Green Retrofit Intern - Local Initiatives Support Corporation \(Boston, MA\)](#)
- [ELP Fellowship Program](#)
- [Beyond Oil Campaign Internship - Sierra Club \(Washington, DC\)](#)
- [Tobin Friends of Fresh Pond Club Leader \(Cambridge\)](#)
- [Public Relations and Marketing Intern - Green Salem Business Challenge \(Salem, MA\)](#)
- [MIT Climate Co-Lab Fellows \(Cambridge, MA\)](#)
- [Permaculture Design + Regenerative Leadership Initiative \(San Francisco, CA\)](#)
- [Internship - Kalu Yala \(Panama\)](#)

Job and internship opportunities are posted regularly on the [TuftsGetsGreen blog](#) 

Set up a dedicated RSS feed for the "Career" category so you never miss another post!

Additional internship and academic opportunities may be found at the [Environmental Studies Program blog](#).

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