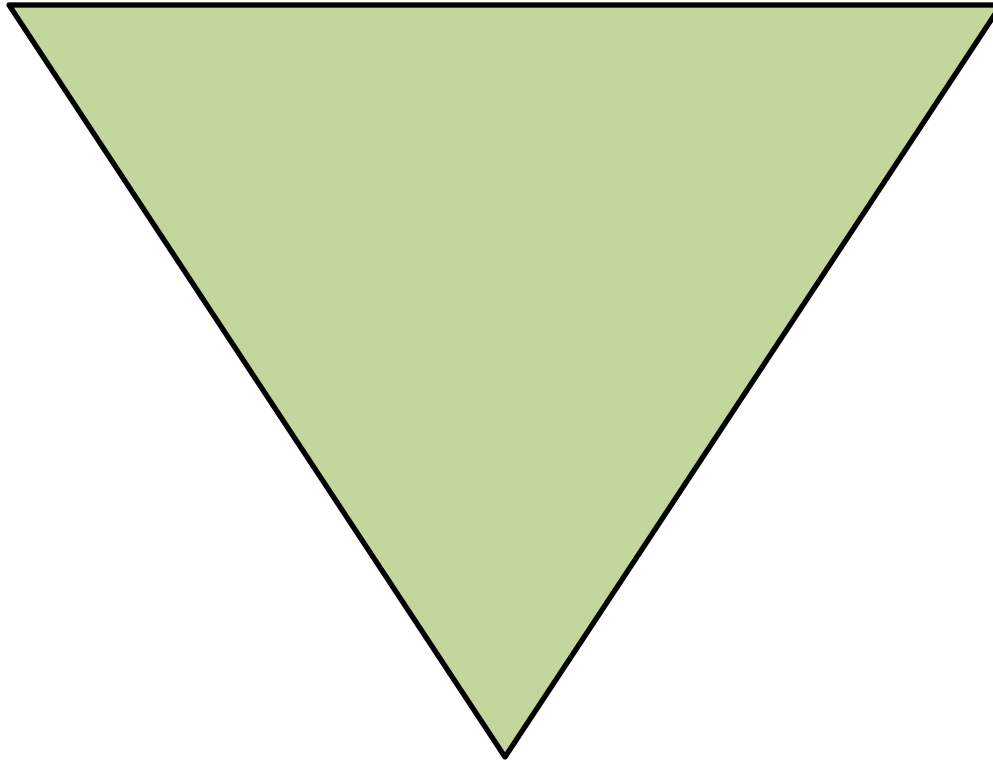


**The Tree
House**

a sustainable living community

Vision



Reality

timeline

Mar 2 (team)

Advisor

Chuck

- On science knowledge

Leah/Kenara

- experience @ WVU

grad students

- need research

geo teacher / lab

Physical Changes

- lights - surge protect

- faucets

- shower
- sink
- toilet

- thermal blinds

- window cover

Stack

floor

Room

pro - Biggest Impact

- positive social pressure
- Have events eco
- Everyone would know about it

- easy organize
- RA in charge

- easy
- next yr

con - Most expensive

- Hard to organize
- Slow to do

- extremely diff
to monitor

- not huge impact
- social pressure

Curriculum

Proximity
Common Goals
Leadership
Communication

Environmentalism

Efficiency

Stewardship
Sustainability
Future

Wisconsin Madison



THE UNIVERSITY
of
WISCONSIN
MADISON

University of North Carolina



THE UNIVERSITY
of NORTH CAROLINA
at CHAPEL HILL

Appalachian State

Appalachian
STATE UNIVERSITY
BOONE, NORTH CAROLINA 28608

Example

Resident Advisors and Directors

Programming

LEED Gold Certification

Res Life

Buchanan Tower Addition

Campus housing

Campus Sustainability Manager

Res-RAP

Eco Reps

Sustainability Advocates in the Dorms

Outreach

Sustainable Behavior
Curriculum

Treehouse

Living Together

Huxley Professors

Academic

So really, what is this?

- ❖ Academic connection

- ❖ Programs

 - ❖ Curriculum

 - ❖ Seminars

 - ❖ Field trips

- ❖ Living Guidelines

- ❖ Themed quarters

- ❖ Economy
- ❖ Education
- ❖ Taking Action
- ❖ Development
- ❖ Politics
- ❖ Creativity
- ❖ Personal
- ❖ Ecology



Hurdles to Jump

- Exclusivity
- Joining for Location
- Program Overlap
- Lack of Interest
- Hasty Implementation
- Too Much Work



To do list

- ❖ Measure student interest with surveys
- ❖ Create connections with faculty
 - ❖ Test out curriculum
- ❖ Hire RAs and interns
- ❖ Make sure we have funding
- ❖ Start process to implement Fall 2012

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