



# SEI: Empowering Emerging Leaders through Sustainability Education & Workforce Development

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## Mission

**Building leaders to drive  
sustainability solutions**



## Vision

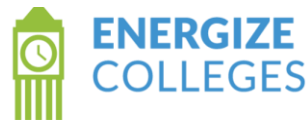
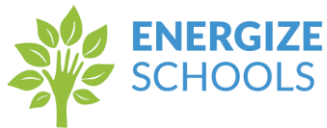
**A resilient world where all  
communities thrive**



## Values

**Model diversity, promote  
inclusion, and challenge  
systemic barriers  
in order to reimagine and  
create a sustainable world**

# SEI's Education & Workforce Pathway



# *Energize Colleges: Higher Education Approaches*



## **Build Capacity**

Sustainability curriculum,  
faculty learning  
communities, and training



## **Empower Emerging Leaders**

Sustainability projects to  
enhance students'  
educational and workforce  
experiences



## **Respond to Community Needs**

Community of practice for  
faculty and staff members  
customized to community  
needs



“[Energize Colleges] has tons of research material already to offer us, and so we’re super excited to pull all [of it] together and connect the dots so that we can get faculty super excited and see some big change coming out of this.”

**Kylee Singh,**  
**California Polytechnic State University, San Luis**  
**Obispo**



# Climate Corps: Workforce Development Approaches



## Build Capacity

Extensive training and support including a 4-day orientation, monthly trainings, a retreat, PD plan, conferences and networking opportunities



## Empower Emerging Leaders

Equipped with career-launching skills and awarded a climate change professional certification through credited college work



## Respond to Community Needs

Implement high-impact climate change resiliency projects, develop sustainability skills, and build partnerships in their community



“I think [Climate Corps] is a great opportunity for sustainability-minded leaders to get access to an awesome network of people, training, real-life experience to advance their work, cultivate the skills necessary for a successful career working for the environment... Without SEI, I wouldn’t be in this position that I’m in right now.”

**Banu Erdim,**  
**Kitsap Bank**



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Read stories of emerging leaders driving sustainability solutions through SEI's flagship programs





**Let's build leaders for a  
resilient world, together!**



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