**Sustainability Ambassador Application for Fall 2017**

To apply to become a Sustainability Ambassador, please submit the written application (part 1) below as well as a short video (part 2).

**Part 1 – Written Application:**

Name:

Email:

Phone:

Major:

Minor (if applicable):

Year (freshman, sophomore):

Expected Graduation Date:

1. Why would you like to become a Sustainability Ambassador?
2. What sustainability classes have you taken (if applicable)?
3. Tell me about any involvement you’ve had with sustainability outside the classroom (if applicable)?
4. What are the three most important “sustainability messages” that we should communicate to incoming students?
5. In your experience, what have been effective ways for you to learn about sustainability? (ie. peers, particular classes, a particular professor, specific books, specific lectures, specific media sources, your family, etc).
6. Will you be living on or off campus in the Fall of 2017?
7. What hours on Thursdays in the fall of 2017 are you available?
8. What other responsibilities do you have in the fall of 2017? (ie. RA responsibilities, other jobs, leading student orgs) Do you have time to be a Sustainability Ambassador?

Email the written application to mittenl@newpaltz.edu with “Sustainability Ambassador Application” in the subject line.

**Part 2 – Video Application:**

**Video Submission Instructions**

**Audience:** Assume your audience is an incoming student to SUNY New Paltz and your job is to inspire them to get involved with sustainability at New Paltz.

**Video Length:** Please make the video short, sweet and to the point!

**Video Content:**

1. Introduce yourself, your hometown, your major (and minor, if applicable), and any student orgs you’re involved with that relate to sustainability (if applicable)
2. Tell a story of the sustainability experience (a class, a professor, a guest speaker, your major, a student organization, an experience off campus) that has impacted you the most that you would want to share with incoming students to encourage them to get involved with sustainability at SUNY New Paltz.

Please do not worry about submitting a fancy, edited video. Feel free to record the video simply and quickly in one take. The main purpose of this video is for me to assess how you’d connect with an incoming student about sustainability.

**How to submit the video:** After you record the video on a smartphone, connect your phone to a computer and submit the video file using google drive via your hawkmail account to mittenl@newpaltz.edu with the subject line “Sustainability Ambassador Video”. Follow [these instructions to email the file](http://www.wikihow.com/Email-Large-Video-Files). If you need assistance with sending the video, contact Lisa Mitten at mittenl@newpaltz.edu.