

Waste not, Want not: A COMPLETE COMPOSTING CYCLE FOR THE CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY

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Waste audit at Concordia 2014-2015

	Diverted (Tonnes)	Landfilled (Tonnes)	Total (Tonnes)	% Diversion
Paper	197	35	232	85
PGM	44.9	14	185	24
Organics	66	188	254	26

Concordis compost at Ontario.

74% of compostable waste (188 tonnes!) go to landfill

Where to compost

Find a compost bin at the following locations:

- LB lobby
- EV lobby
- H 7th floor
- GN, and SC cafeterias
- Cafe X (EV and VA)
- G-Lounge (AD building)
- SP Cafe

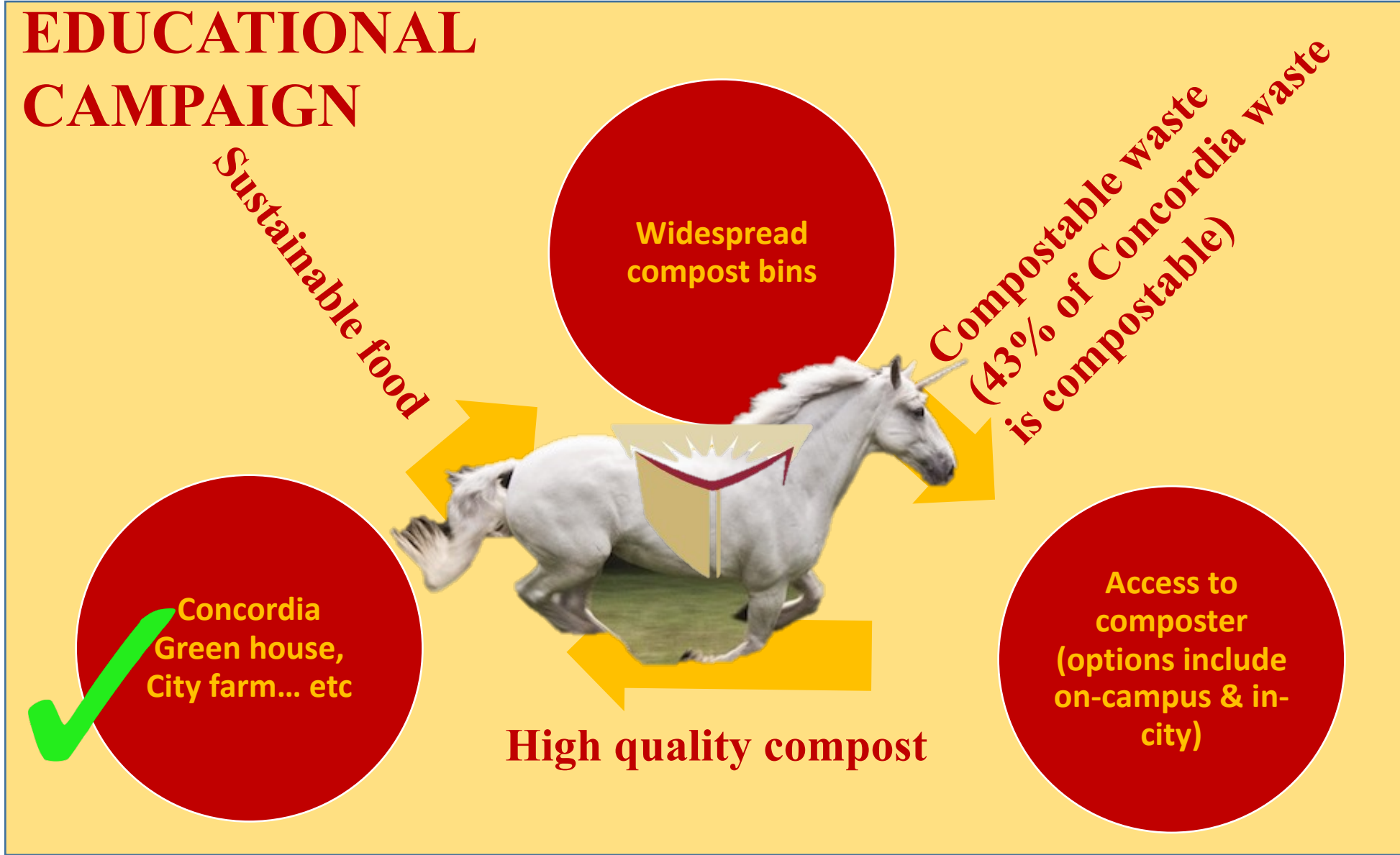


Find out about composting in office kitchenettes.

To request a compost bin for your event, [contact x2400](#)

Compost System

Resilient green-
techogawards,
Groundwater
the sustainability
gala are all **zero-
waste** events with
a technological fix.
compost!
Social problems
require social
solutions



EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN [3]

**Widespread
compost
bins
[2]**

Staff & Administration

EH&S & Concordia service sector

Students

**Graduate: GISA
Undergraduate: CSU**

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**Loyola Sustainability
Research Center (LSRC)**

**Access to
composter
(options include
on-campus & in-
city) [1]**

EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN [3]

**Complete planning during summer
- Preliminary outline**

1) Massive sustainable food festival



a) Local sustainable food groups
(Hive, Le Frigo vert)

b) Cultural diversity

c) Food-related research (INDI, LSRC
PERFORM... etc)

d) Concordia food-initiatives
(Loyola farm, Green house... etc)

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2) Comedy & Art

Will involve local
actors/comedians.



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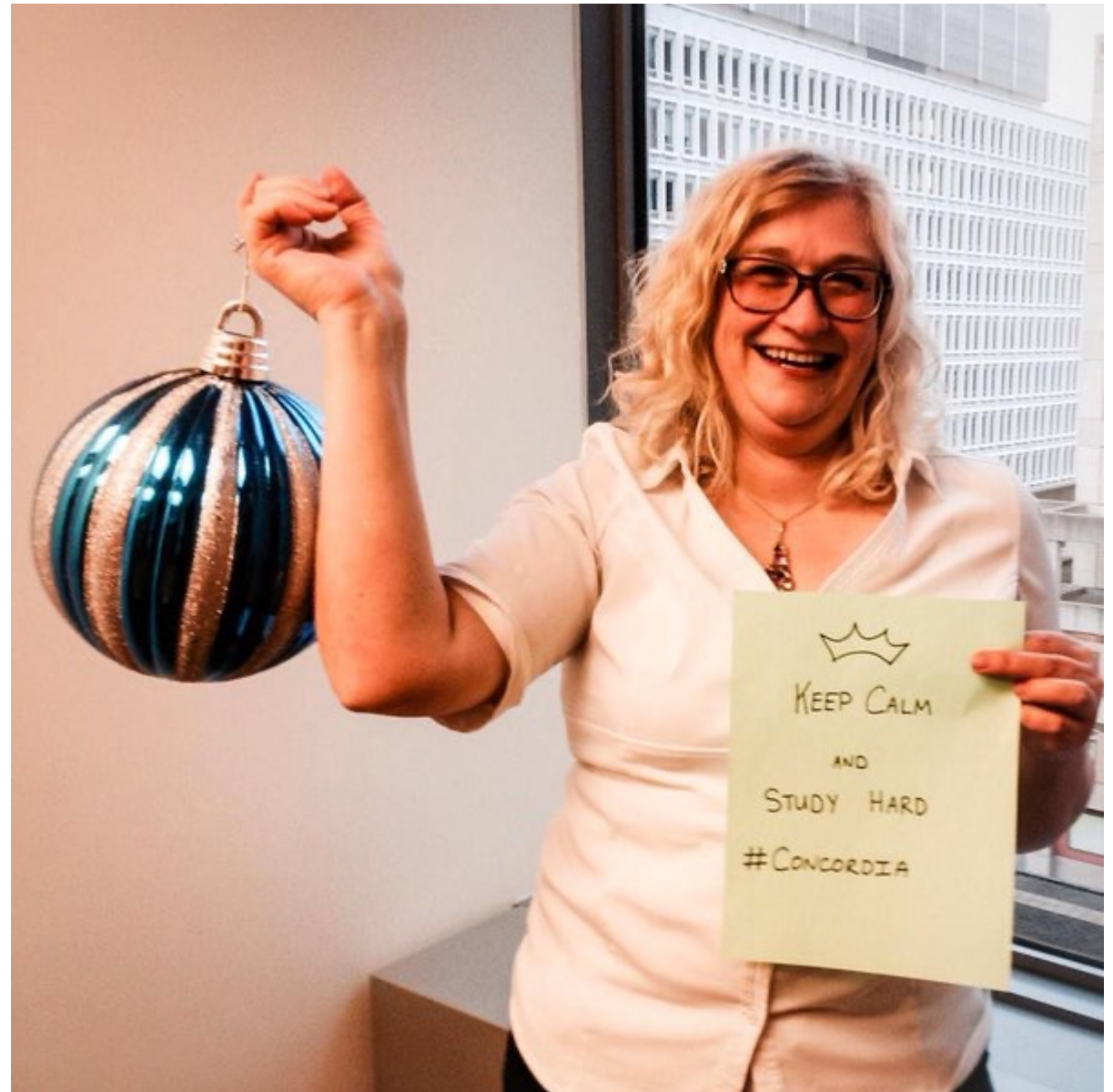
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2) Comedy & Art

3) Social media campaign

-Feature Concordian leaders,
administration, faculty, students & staff.

-Art and photography students.



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3) Social media campaign

4) Signage and billboards

- Elevators, entrances, tunnel, screens across the campus
- Art students



GOAL: 100 volunteers! (next to the bins across the campus throughout the first two weeks of classes. →

Concordia Co-Curricular Record

General budget

Item #	Item	Cost (CAD)
1	Food festival	20000
2	Comedy	7500
3	Social media	2000
4	Volunteer support and T-shirts	4000
5	Signage and billboards	2500
6	Space booking, contingency and other activities	6000
7	Project coordinator	3000
Total		45000

Organization	Potential sources of additional funding (\$)*
SAF	5-10K (more involved partnership is in discussion)
CSU	5K
GSA	5K
Office of the president	Conversation on-going
Sustainable Concordia	Organizational support

*To add on the proposed activities and/or to redo parts of it during the winter semester

Strategic directions and community involvement

Going beyond

Embrace the city & embrace the world

Get our hands dirty

Take pride