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To Whom It May Concern:

In March 2014, Dickinson College initiated a new and innovative event that brought together students from colleges and universities across the state of Pennsylvania. In partnership with our organization, the Pennsylvania Environmental Resource Consortium (PERC), Dickinson served as organizers and hosts for this ground-breaking event in which students from 25 of our member schools gathered to share knowledge on over fifty projects. The [event recap](#) highlights some of the great work presented in the 19 presentations, 29 posters and 8 round table discussions.

PERC aims to enable Pennsylvania colleges and universities to share knowledge and take action towards a sustainable future. Our partnership with Dickinson for this, for the first time, brought students to the forefront of our organization's efforts. It was received with great response, and we are currently planning the second annual event at Bucknell University for March 27, 2015. Thanks to the groundwork laid by Dickinson, continuing this innovative project is something that PERC believes can be achieved.

The Student Sustainability Symposium is an innovative project that is inspiring collective action and reshaping student collaboration in the state of Pennsylvania. The event would not have been formed, and would not be as impactful as it is, without the involvement and leadership of Dickinson College.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Josh Hooper".

Josh Hooper

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