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## ANNUAL REPORT



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## DEAR STUDENT ENERGY COMMUNITY,



The most fitting word to describe Student Energy in 2018 would be... **growth**.

Being nine years since our first Summit, it is clear we are no longer a start-up. It is exciting to see that does not mean our growth has ceased, and in fact we are seeing quite the opposite. Our growth as an organization is swift and global while also being focused and deliberate. Student Energy is doing what it does best, and it is doing it with more and more energetic young people all over the world.

Last year was our biggest budget year in history and with that came a growing team, a new office in Vancouver, and improved systems that allow us to manage more activity and momentum. Programmatically, our Chapters program saw incredible growth, reaching 30 geographically diverse chapters by end of year, and many more on the waiting list. We onboarded our new Summit planning team for 2019 in London who plan to break barriers when it comes to engaging youth in energy. We launched the Greenpreneurs program, which supported budding youth entrepreneurs from developing economies. And we began planning of our first-ever Indigenous Student Energy Summit, *SevenGen: Powering Resilience*.

Myself and the entire Board are incredibly proud of the strides that Student Energy made in 2018 and we are even more excited to report that 2019 is set to be another record year. I would like to take a moment to recognize the volunteers who are the heart and soul of Student Energy. Whether it be passionate students who plan our Summits and run Chapters, or energy professionals who sit on advisory boards and take time to speak to the next generation, this organization truly would not be able to operate if it were not for their incredible work. Thank you to each and every one of you.

2018 shone a spotlight on the potential of young people to develop and champion real solutions to the world's most pressing problems. Student Energy remains dedicated and steadfast in building the next generation of leaders who can shape the sustainable energy future we all want and need. Thank you for another year of sustained support. Fuel the future.

**KALI TAYLOR**

CO-FOUNDER

BOARD CHAIR



# 2018: RAMPING UP THE STUDENT ENERGY NETWORK

**2018 was a year of impressive growth for Student Energy.** Our Chapter program expanded from seven Chapters to thirty-three across five continents, underscoring the real need for connected networks of young energy change agents. Our Chapter network reached new heights leading initiatives, like organizing the first Canada-wide Indigenous Student Energy Summit (Mount Royal University), fundraising to join the Student Energy cohort at the Sustainable Energy for All Forum (University of Guadalajara and Carleton University), and running the 2019 International Student Energy Summit (Durham University). Our Chapter network proved that they are capable and bring value to the global stage of the energy conversation.

**As our Chapter network expanded, we also spent 2018 preparing for our largest, most geographically diverse International Student Energy Summit to date.** For the first time SES is being led by a pan-continental team of students from across Europe, reflected in the Summit's theme of "Breaking Barriers". The program will tackle challenges and opportunities in the energy transition, in the contexts of climate change, geopolitics, technology, and more. Among the Summit's keynote speakers are the Director-General of the International Renewable Energy Agency, Francesco La Camera, the Executive Director of the International Energy Agency, Dr. Fatih Birol, and the United Kingdom's Minister of Energy and Clean Growth, the RT Hon. Claire Perry MP.

**The Energy Literacy Platform is hitting over 2.3 million users a year,** and increasing steadily in numbers, geographic diversity, and gender balance. As 2018 didn't see any new material added to the platform, these metrics reflect how digital learning is still on the rise and is valued by youth.

**As an organization Student Energy reached new levels of national and global profile,** approached by organizations to advise on youth and collaborate on programs that had never before engaged young people. This shift reflects the changing intergenerational power dynamics happening on the global stage, seen in the new UN 2030 Youth Strategy, Global Climate Action Summit, and the rise of the youth movement led by actors such as the Sunrise Movement and Greta Thunberg.

**Student Energy continued to diversify our partnerships through 2018,** working with increasing numbers of Inter-Government Organizations, diverse private sector actors, philanthropy and research institutions. As we diversified our partners and grew our core programs, our newly instated Developmental Evaluation framework guided the organization to make decisions that best serve our Theory of Change and identify where our programs and capacity can make the greatest impact across youth communities.



# 2019: STRENGTHENING OUR ORGANIZATIONAL CORE

**2018 demonstrated that Student Energy’s global expansion shows no signs of slowing down.** While it is clear that our youth-empowerment model and Theory of Change are effectively serving a diverse network of young people and generating impact, it is important that the organization and operational model is primed to sustain this growth.

**Looking ahead, Student Energy staff will focus on deepening the three core programs:** the International Student Energy Summit, the Energy Literacy Platform, and Student Energy Chapters, while also implementing our most integrated program to date: the Student Energy Leaders Fellowship to streamline Chapters education. We are generating great results out of each, but we also know that with more focus and strategy we can build upon these successes and leverage each program to push the organization to new heights. In 2019, our main focus will be to deliver the programs we have effectively while working to leverage them for greater global expansion both in terms of our chapters and base but also for our potential organizational funders.

Currently, a compact leadership team executes the majority of the work necessary to sustain impact. **In 2019 our goal is to expand our core leadership team with operations, communications, and additional Chapter program support.** Strengthening these areas unlocks huge potential for the efficiency of our organization, and contribute to our long-term vision for Student Energy, as a well-established nonprofit that has deepened its impact over ten years.

**We intend to cement Student Energy’s strategic focus by launching Student Energy’s Global Advisory Board.** Members will represent current world leaders who support the youth climate and energy movements rapidly accelerating around the world today.

We also have several very exciting opportunities to include and represent the youth voice in 2019: Sevengen: Indigenous Student Energy Summit; Clean Energy Ministerial / Mission Innovation Youth Program; SES 2019; and the UN Climate Summit. Student Energy needs to ensure that youth are effectively represented and meaningfully included in these discussions and are getting real value out of these events.

# 2018 AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

## WIRE WOMAN OF THE YEAR IN ENERGY

Student Energy's Executive Director Meredith Adler was awarded the WiRE (Women in Renewable Energy) Woman of the Year award! WiRE Women of Distinction Awards recognize and celebrate professional women working in the energy sector who go above and beyond 'business-as-usual'. These women stand out through excellence in areas such as leadership, policy and advocacy, technical advancement and R&D, project development, community engagement and increased adoption of RE technologies, volunteering and/or being a role model contributing to the advancement of women in the energy sector.

2018 WiRE Woman of the Year Award



MEREDITH ADLER

Executive Director, Student Energy

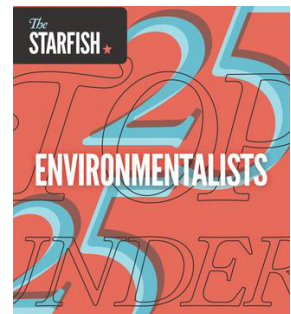
## GLOBE SERIES PETER MACCONNACHIE COLLABORATION AWARD

The GLOBE Series recognized the legacy of Peter MacConnachie as a collaborator and bridge-builder in Canadian sustainability, awarding Meredith Adler, our Executive Director and Linda Coady, Chief Sustainability Officer at Enbridge the 2018 award.



## CANADA'S 25 ENVIRONMENTALISTS UNDER 25

Student Energy's Director of Innovation and Partnerships Helen Watts was named one of Canada's Top 25 Environmentalists under 25. The Starfish Canada's Top 25 Environmentalists Under 25 program recognizes and rewards young Canadian leaders creating positive environmental change in their local communities. realization of the 2030 Agenda while celebrating the invaluable contribution of young people to sustainable development.



## ENERGY DISRUPTORS ADVISORY BOARD

Student Energy's Global Community Manager Olivia Reshetylo has been invited to participate in the International Disruptors of Energy Alliance (I.D.E.A.), a global network of future energy thought leaders. The vision of IDEA is to create a centralized hub where the most progressive leaders in traditional energy can join forces with influencers at the forefront of energy transformation. The annual Energy Disruptors conference will be held in Calgary from September 17 to 18th, 2019.



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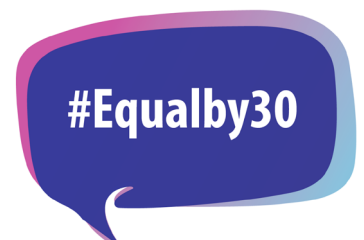
## CONNECT4CLIMATE KNOWLEDGE PARTNER

Student Energy has partnered with the World Bank's Connect4Climate Initiative. Connect4Climate is a global partnership program with a coalition of about 500 partners including UN agencies, climate programs in leading academic institutions, private sectors, media, youth groups and CSOs. Our knowledge partnership focuses on sharing and cross-promoting activities and creating new connections in creative ways that will amplify each other's initiatives and projects.



## EQUAL BY 30 SIGNATORY

Student Energy is an official signatory of Equal by 30. Equal by 30 is a public commitment by public and private sector organizations to work towards equal pay, equal leadership and equal opportunities for women in the clean energy sector by 2030. Equal by 30 asks organizations, companies and governments to endorse principles, then take concrete action to accelerate the participation of women in the clean energy sector, and close the gender gap.



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# 2018 **CREATING CHANGE AGENTS**

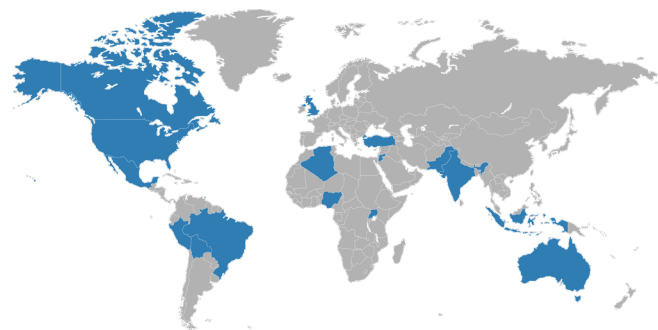
# 2018 CHAPTERS

## OUR GLOBAL NETWORK

2018 was an exciting year for Student Energy Chapters, seeing a 73% increase in active Chapters. Rapid Chapter growth and innovative new Chapter-led projects showed us that these groups can be real community powerhouses for taking action on energy and skill-building.

We are ahead of schedule in our Canadian Chapters Expansion with ten chapters across the country in six provinces. Global expansion will ramp up in 2019 alongside a diversification of community engagements in our Canadian Chapters community.

We welcomed our new Community Manager Olivia Reshetylo to spearhead the next Chapters expansion phase. *Fun fact: Olivia was part of the original team who designed and piloted the Chapter program in 2015!*



Student Energy's Chapter Network

### 2018 Highlights

- Chapters expanded to large Canadian Universities such as McMaster University, University of Toronto and Dalhousie University;
- We began our expansion in the United States, welcoming active Chapters at Stanford University and the University of Rhode Island;
- 2018 brought the expansion into South America, with Chapters now active in Bolivia, Brazil, Peru and Trinidad and Tobago;
- We also saw expansion across the continent of Asia with Chapters starting at Universities in India, Jordan, Pakistan, Indonesia and Palestine.



President of Student Energy at Guadalajara University, Axell, and President of National Autonomous University of Mexico, Taku, working with a pan-Mexico team of students to organize a regional Summit.



President of Mount Royal University Cory Beaver, Canada's Minister for Environment and Climate Change Catherine McKenna, and Student Energy Executive Director Meredith Adler



# 2018 CHAPTER OUTCOMES

## UNITING COMMUNITIES

Dustin Taylor from the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology developed an energy literacy curriculum for elementary school students in his community after his daughter became interested in his activities with the NAIT Chapter. Now Dustin and his Chapter go to elementary schools in Edmonton to teach young students about the energy system.

## BUILDING CAREERS

Student Energy at Carleton University recently held a Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Networking Night. Students from across campus and industry professionals discussed the relationship between energy and the SDGs and networked with each other, learning about the real-time work professionals are doing to implement and impact the SDGs.

## CREATING GLOBAL CONNECTIONS

Our new University of Manitoba Chapter participated in a energy case study swap with our Chapter at the University of Nigeria. Working across time zones and continents, the two Chapters developed a clean cooktop prototype to increase safe energy access for households in Nigeria.

## EMPOWERING NEW FACES

At the International Student Energy Summit 2017 in Merida, Mexico, Indigenous Youth Summit Co-Chairs Cory Beaver, President of the Student Energy at Mount Royal University Chapter and member of the Stoney Nakoda First Nation and Disa Crow Chief, Natural Resources Canada Generation Energy Youth Champion and member of the Siksika Nation, Blackfoot Confederacy first shared their vision for the Canada-wide Indigenous Student Energy Summit.

Now leading our Mount Royal University Chapter, Cory and Disa have decided to put their vision into action, and unite 200 youth across Canada in Calgary from January 24 to 27th, 2019. Their goal is for the youth attending to see that energy and climate action is a way they can impact communities now, throughout their lives, and in their future careers.

# 2018 CHAPTER HIGHLIGHTS

## CANADIAN CHAPTER HIGHLIGHTS:

- Our University of Manitoba Chapter led a geothermal site tour for their members
- Our Northern Alberta Institute of technology held an energy issues documentary screening for 30 of their members
- Our Mount Royal University Chapters has organized the first ever Indigenous Student Energy Summit, uniting 200 Indigenous youth from across Canada to unite communities, build relationships and break social barriers in the energy conversation

## NORTH AMERICAN CHAPTER HIGHLIGHTS:

- The National Autonomous University of Mexico participated in the Latin America Environmental Student Summit where they engaged over 300 youth on energy literacy
- Our Chapter President at the Bolivia Catholic University “San Pablo” won an award for her work in energy and plastic reduction from the United States Embassy

## GLOBAL CHAPTERS HIGHLIGHTS:

- Our Shiv Nadar Chapter held an energy literacy Bingo night for over 40 students
- Our Durham Chapter has introduced a one on one mentorship program, matching its members with local energy professionals to help with resume building and work experience





# 2018: PLANNING THE 6TH INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ENERGY SUMMIT

**SES 2019 will gather 600 students from around the world in London, making it the most geographically diverse and impactful edition of the Summit to date.**

The International Student Energy Summit (SES) is the largest global event for future innovators, entrepreneurs, and intrapreneurs in sustainability energy. Since 2009 SES has been hosted around the world from Canada to Mexico, bringing students together to ideate and meet leading institutions ready to support students on their sustainable energy careers and youth-led energy solutions. The Summit has launched young innovators into some of the world's most pressing challenges, like energy access, clean heating and cooling, and financing the low-carbon transition.

## 2019 THEME: BREAKING BARRIERS

Our overarching theme Breaking Barriers symbolises the urgency and scale of the challenges our societies face. It means acknowledging that communities are intrinsically different and face different challenges, yet all face the need to transition to a climate-safe sustainable energy future.

The Summit will bring different stakeholders under one roof, encouraging cross-disciplinary innovation for the variety of our world's challenges. Breaking Barriers means nobody is left behind.

## SES 2019 FACTS & FIGURES

PRE-REGISTRATIONS AS OF JANUARY 2019:

**1,400 STUDENTS**

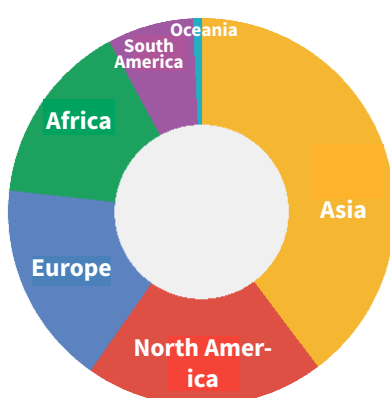
**33% UNDERGRADUATE**

**47% MASTERS**

**20% PHD**

MAJORITY OF ACADEMIC BACKGROUNDS:  
**ENGINEERING, SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT,  
TECHNOLOGY, FINANCE, ECONOMICS,  
SCIENCES, BUSINESS**

Pre-registration Geography

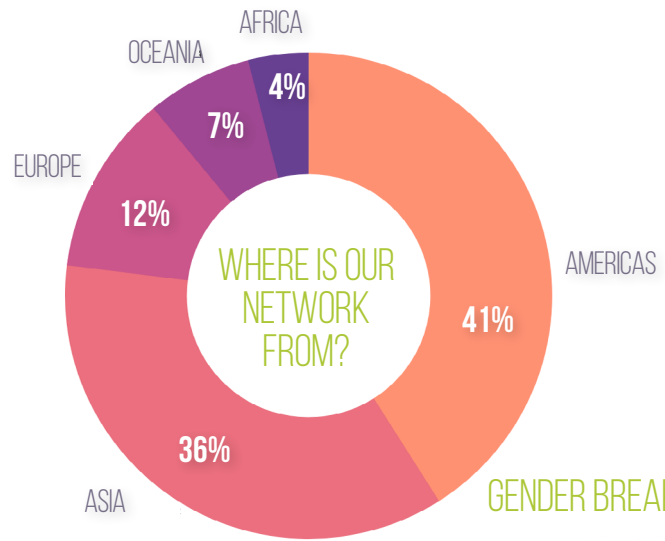


# 2018: ENERGY SYSTEMS MAP

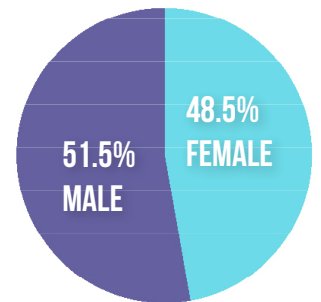
## HOW DID WE DO IN 2018?



- > 662,000 MAP USERS
- > 1.7 MILLION YOUTUBE VIEWS



**GENDER BREAKDOWN:**



## OUR DIGITAL REACH

2018 was a great year for Student Energy’s digital engagement. 9,000 new subscribers signed on to our Energy 101 YouTube channel, and our website user base continues to increase by an average of 30% each month. Student Energy’s digital network continues to shift towards an equal gender-balance of users, demonstrating the passion and enthusiasm all youth have for the energy system.

We also saw impressive growth in the geographic diversity of our user-base, shifting from over 50% of users based in the Americas, to an increase of users in Asia by over 15%, Europe by 2% and a doubling of users in Africa.

## WHAT’S NEXT FOR 2019?

We are already well on track for over 3 million engagements of the energy literacy platform in 2019. Our goal for 2019 is to refresh [studentenergy.org](http://studentenergy.org), improving the user experience and mobile and tablet-friendly versions of our website, as well as launching phase two of the Energy Systems Map: the Energy Transition Experience. This will offer a more interactive and holistic learning experience. Planning for the expansion will begin in February 2019 and officially begin in April 2019.

**Interested in the next phase of our systems map expansion?**

Contact Helen at [helen@studentenergy.org](mailto:helen@studentenergy.org)

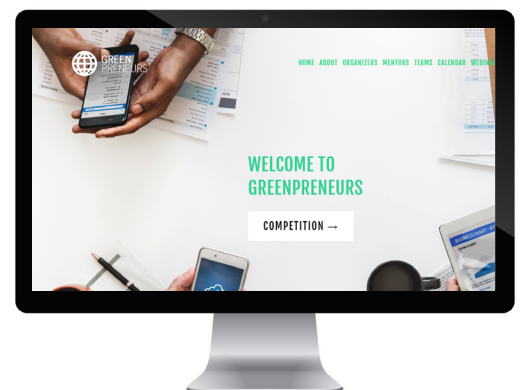
# 2018 FEATURE: GREENPRENEURS



The Global Green Growth Institute, four Greenpreneurs winning teams, Director-General Frank Risjberman, Former UN Secretary-General and Chair of GGGI Ban ki-moon, Student Energy and Youth Climate Lab at the GGGI Seoul Headquarters and Award Ceremony in October 2018.

In early 2018 Student Energy partnered with the Global Green Growth Institute and Canadian non-profit the Youth Climate Lab to design and deliver a new initiative: Greenpreneurs. Greenpreneurs is a four-month global competition and business accelerator open to youth. Youth can submit their business proposals for solutions that positively impact the future of sustainable energy; water and sanitation; sustainable landscapes; and green city development.

The selected ten teams were taken through a 10-week entrepreneurship program to support their development of a viable business plan, and compete for small-scale seed funding and conference bursaries. Student Energy had over 350 applications to participate from over forty countries, and will bring the winning three teams to Seoul, South Korea to receive their award from former UN Secretary-General Ban-Ki Moon.



## 2018 WINNERS



### **Cambodia Green Infrastructure (CGI)**

Location: **Cambodia**

Project: *Shaping healthy, resilient, and sustainable places through living green infrastructure*

Theme: **Green City Development**

Team Members: Sirey Sum, Aaron Sexton, Hinson Oudom



### **WEYE Clean Energy Enterprise**

Location: **Uganda**

Project: *Solar and clean biomass cooking technologies solving youth unemployment*

Theme: **Sustainable Energy**

Team Members: Kakembo Galabuzi Brian, Eng. Nyeverai Rujeko Mushove, Eng. Kyeswa Philip, Eng. Nassanga Rhodah Nakate



### **Bumdest**

Location: **Indonesia**

Project: *Natural pesticide with enhanced rainfastness*

Theme: **Sustainable Landscapes**

Team Members: Jonathan Kent Sorensen, Natali Gupita Abhirama, Albertus Alphero, Tangkilisan, Muhammad Hafish Mahdi, Yohanes Susanto



### **Zelij Invent - Paveco**

Location: **Morocco**

Project: *Eco-friendly, recycled paving stones*

Theme: **Green City Development**

Team Members: Saif-Eddine Laalej, Houda Mirouche

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## GLOBAL CLIMATE ACTION SUMMIT

Student Energy brought a delegation to the 2018 Global Climate Action Summit in San Francisco, working to elevate the voice of youth in the global climate and energy conversation. Student Energy partnered with the City College of San Francisco (CCSF) and LinkedIn to host the side event “Climate Action Careers Fair” at LinkedIn’s San Francisco headquarters to spearhead youth engagement in the Global Climate Action Summit and celebrate the Climate Careers Commitment. The Climate Careers Commitment is a Canadian youth-led initiative designed to connect sustainability-minded youth and employers looking to integrate sustainability into their organization.



*Student Energy Executive Director Meredith Adler speaking on “Energy Systems, Sustainable Communities and Land Stewardship” alongside Greenbiz, San Francisco Sustainable Cities Initiative and Grid Alternatives.*

The Climate Action Career Fair was designed to educate, motivate and inspire members of the youth community and summit attendees on the educational and career pathways that will meet today’s need for a resilient, regenerative and inclusive economy. The event was a success, with a diversity of sectors and students participating in career tabling, exhibitions, and speaker sessions featuring Student Energy’s Executive Director Meredith Adler and Lucas Joppa, Microsoft’s Chief Environmental Officer.

## GLOBE SERIES AND LEADING CHANGE



*Student Energy ran and moderated an inspiring panel of young entrepreneurs and climate leaders: “Harnessing Youth Innovation”*

Student Energy ran the panel “Harnessing Youth Innovation”, which included young founders and executives in Canada’s energy and innovation space. The panel discussed best practices to make youth engagement a focus in policy development and technology initiatives, and how we can empower and support the next generation of sustainability and innovation leaders.

Leading Change is held in conjunction with the GLOBE Forum. Leading Change brings together young leaders between the ages of 19-35 to catalyze action for environmental change through a variety of activities including social labs, keynotes, collaborative workshops, open discussions, and mentoring sessions. This year Student Energy ran a “[Shaping the Energy Transition](#)” workshop at the 2018 Leading Change conference in Vancouver, British Columbia. The workshop gave 120 Leading Change delegates a chance to do some intensive strategic planning and teamwork to move from ideas to action. The strategies and actions generated in this session contributed to NRCan’s recommendations to the G7 Summit in October 2018.

# 2018 MAKING SPACE FOR YOUTH

## CANADA AND THE G7

In early 2018 Student Energy worked with Natural Resources Canada to contribute youth perspectives to Canada's presidency of the G7. A series of activities promoted the G7 themes and gathered feedback from participants, including Student Energy at Carleton University's 'Women in Energy' event, Student Energy's gamified 'Shaping the Energy Transition' workshop at Leading Change conference, and digital outreach to Student Energy's 50K+ global network.

Student Energy at Carleton University's "Women in Energy" panel discussion and working session included six women at various career stages in the energy industry, discussing ways to advance gender equality in the energy sector (and STEM more broadly) in line with Canada's G7 focus on women's empowerment. The event highlighted and identified how greater participation of women in the field of energy will help to reach goals around fighting climate change, investing in clean energy and developing and deploying new innovative technologies. The event was a huge success, with over 75 youth attending from Carleton and Ottawa University.

## COP24: KATOWICE

Student Energy and the 2019 International Summit team went to COP24 in Katowice, Poland. Student Energy met with industry, governments and other civil society allies to plan for 2019 and represent the youth voice. Student Energy's Director of Partnerships Helen participated on a "Canadian Young Women in Climate" panel with the BCCIC, CityHive, Youth Climate Lab, Prime Minister's Youth Council, and Climate Guides to discuss the role of young women leading climate action and sharing experiences and challenges.



*Student Energy Community Manager Olivia Reshetlylo, 2019 International Student Energy Summit Co-Chair Geraldine Satre Buisson, and Student Energy Director of Partnerships Helen Watts at COP24 in Katowice, Poland*

The negotiations at COP 24 focused on finalizing the Paris Rulebook, and making space for actors to come together and spark new collaborations. Through contingencies like YOUNGO and other civil society groups the youth voice was loud at the conference, with young leaders like Greta Thunberg speaking at the official COP processes to urge for drastic action on climate change that will avert the youth generation inheriting it's worst impacts. By bringing the student organizing team of the next International Student Energy Summit we further amplified the youth voice in the COP space and supported them learning how a large-scale conference is executed, and how to connect with diverse groups to engage them in the Summit goals.



*BCCIC's COP24 Side Event: Young Women Leading on Climate: A Canadian Panel Discussion, featuring Climate Guides, CityHive, the Prime Minister's Youth Council, BC Council for International Cooperation, Youth Climate Lab, and Student Energy (Helen Watts, Director of Partnerships)*



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## SEVENGEN: THE 2019 INDIGENOUS STUDENT ENERGY SUMMIT

The first-ever Indigenous Student Energy Summit is being led by a team of First Nations students at Student Energy's Mount Royal University Chapter. On January 24th to 27th, 200 Indigenous youth from every province and territory in Canada will come to Calgary to learn from each other and be inspired to lead on energy and climate in their communities. Workshops, discussions, and mentorship will drive the program of the Summit and youth will leave understanding how the energy transition can strengthen their communities and their own potential as an energy and environment leader in Canada and their communities.



## CEM-MI YOUTH PROGRAM

This marks the first time the Clean Energy and Mission Innovation Ministerials are including a youth program, and the 2019 program will be led entirely by Student Energy. The core of the program is sharing clean energy stories: fifty youth will be selected from the Ministerial member countries and trained on communicating their story of how they demonstrated clean energy leadership. These stories will be brought to the Vancouver Ministerial in May and shared with government and industry to raise ambition on empowering youth for the energy transition. The youth program at the Ministerials in Vancouver will engage youth in Canada and globally in energy policy hackathons, innovation jams, and Facebook live interviews with ministers and energy influencers.



## GREENPRENEURS 2019

Led by Student Energy, the Global Green Growth Institute, and Youth Climate Lab, Greenpreneurs will be run for its second year in summer 2019. Greenpreneurs is a virtual green entrepreneurship accelerator for youth in developing and emerging economies to learn how to get their idea from concept to market. In its pilot year in 2018, 350 teams applied to participate from 40 countries, and ten teams were selected to participate in the ten-week program. The ideas chosen to participate have to correspond with GGGI's thematic priorities: sustainable energy, green cities, sustainable landscapes, and water and sanitation. The 2019 program will accept fifteen teams, and the program will begin in June 2019 with the final business competition for small-scale seed funding running in August 2019.

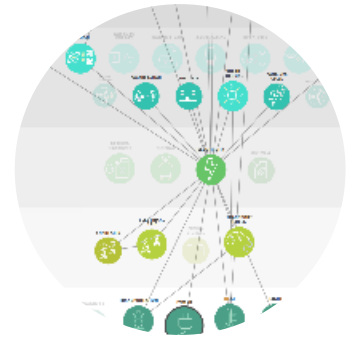


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## ENERGY SYSTEMS MAP PHASE II

In 2019 Student Energy will begin expansion of the Energy Systems Map to include *Influencers on the Energy System*. These will include how factors such as energy poverty, energy access in rural and remote locations, policies, and climate change interact with and within the energy system. Users will be able to interact with how energy systems affect influencers and vice versa. Student Energy is working with an education technology consultant who will offer us with insight into the most effective digital learning methods to incorporate into this map.



## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ENERGY SUMMIT 2019

The International Student Energy Summit is the largest conference in the world for students on sustainable energy, held biennially in different universities around the world. The July 2019 summit will be hosted by a pan-European team of students at Imperial College in London. The 2019 Summit has the theme *Breaking Barriers*, aiming to be the most geographically diverse and sector-integrated summit to-date. 650 students will attend from 100 countries. Already we have 1500 students pre-registered to attend. 2019 speakers include the Executive Director of the International Energy Agency, the United Kingdom's Minister for Energy and Clean Growth, HSBC's Global Head of Business Development in Sustainable Finance, the CEO of OGCI Climate Investments, and H.R.H. Princess Abze Djigma Renewable Energy Ambassador of Burkina Faso.



## STUDENT ENERGY LEADERS FELLOWSHIP

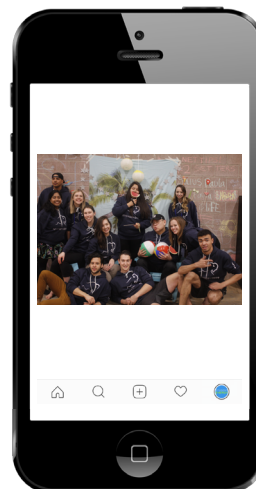
In September 2019 Student Energy will launch the Leaders Fellowship. The goal of the fellowship program is to provide diverse capacity building and skill development to our chapter members. We will reach out to energy industry professionals to work with us on hosting a curriculum of mentoring webinars to show young people career paths they could take to make an impact in energy and climate, and we will host sessions with early-career professionals that show youth how to land a job in the field. Student Energy will provide skill building sessions to match mentor and career information. All students will work in teams to deliver a practicum project on energy in their communities.



# MEET THE TEAM

## STUDENT ENERGY GLOBAL

Meredith Adler, *Executive Director*  
Helen Watts, *Director of Innovation and Partnerships*  
Olivia Reshetylo, *Community Manager*  
Eduardo Lopez, *Global Projects Coordinator*  
Shakti Ramkumar, *Project Coordinator*  
Amanda Chouinard, *Partnerships Assistant*  
Greta Jang, *Communications Assistant*



## STUDENT ENERGY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Kali Taylor, *Co-Founder and Board Chair*  
Sean Collins, *Co-Founder and Vice-Chair*  
Janice Tran, *Co-Founder and Board Member*  
Rhea Hamilton, *Board Member*  
Timothy Hensman, *Board Treasurer*  
Julia-Maria Becker, *Board Member*  
Rosie Pidcock, *Board Member*  
Mihir Desu, *Board Member*

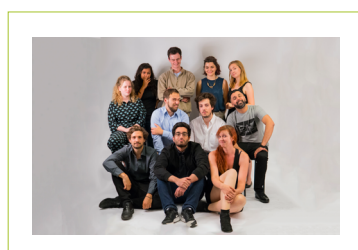
## INDIGENOUS STUDENT ENERGY SUMMIT 2019 EXECUTIVE TEAM

Cory Beaver, *Chair*  
Disa Crowchief, *Co-Chair*  
Braden Etzerza, *Delegate Relations*  
Lindsey Redcrow, *Delegate Relations*  
Devon Blind, *Delegate Relations*  
Nathan Kaye, *Programming*  
Nikita Kahpeaysewat, *Logistics*  
Hunter Adams, *Marketing*  
Olivia Reshetylo, *Marketing*  
Michael Batas, *Social Media*



## STUDENT ENERGY SUMMIT 2019 EXECUTIVE TEAM

Geraldine Satre Buisson, *Co-Chair*  
Jochen Cremer, *Co-Chair*  
Luciana Miu, *Vice-Chair Sponsorship*  
Kitty Stacpoole, *Vice-Chair Program*  
Hannah Cardiff, *Vice-Chair Program*  
Michael Ehrenstein, *Finance Director*  
Sohail Mian, *Vice-Chair Event Management*  
Pietro Mezzano, *Vice-Chair Marketing*  
Shane McDonagh, *Vice-Chair Impact & Legacy*  
Cecile Farber, *Sustainability Director*  
Caoimhe Culhane, *Sponsorship Fulfillment Director*  
Fernanda Sapina, *Media Director*



# FINANCIALS

## STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the year ended December 31, 2018

	2018	2017
<b>REVENUE</b>		
Corporate sponsorships	\$ 285,073	208,892
Grants	246,909	75,898
Philanthropy	927	519
Other income	530	8,241
Program income	-	4,149
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b>533,439</b>	<b>297,699</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Salaries and wages	\$ 242,882	144,849
Contractors and consultants	65,603	37,257
Travel	44,652	61,008
Amortization	30,814	30,814
Rental	30,396	21,347
Awards	27,680	-
Office and administrative	12,509	7,766
Facilities and equipment	11,621	29,722
Insurance	8,899	2,325
Professional fees	7,295	11,823
Marketing	7,139	3,557
Website	3,168	333
Interest and bank charges	957	873
Other expense	289	402
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$ 493,904</b>	<b>352,076</b>
<b>EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$ 39,535</b>	<b>(54,377)</b>

# FINANCIALS

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at December 31, 2018

	2018	2017
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>Current</b>		
Cash	\$ 131,764	\$ 4,829
Accounts receivable	470	4,542
Goods and services tax receivable	3,077	1,118
Property (Note 3)	21,474	52,288
	<b>\$ 186,319</b>	<b>\$ 65,053</b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>		
<b>Current liabilities</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 20,175	\$ 15,783
Deferred contributions (Note 4)	114,048	36,709
	<b>134,223</b>	<b>52,492</b>
<b>Net assets</b>		
Unrestricted	42,850	(11,774)
Invested in property	9,240	24,329
Share capital (Note 5)	6	6
	<b>52,096</b>	<b>12,561</b>
	<b>\$ 186,319</b>	<b>\$ 65,053</b>

\*Full audit report is available at <https://www.studentenergy.org/annual-report-and-financials> with the financial statements.

This segment has been included in the annual report to disclose a qualification in the audit report dated

Basis for qualified opinion - Student Energy derives a portion of its revenues from donations, the completeness of which is not susceptible to audit verification. Consequently, we were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to support the completeness of donation revenue, and we were unable to determine whether any adjustments were necessary.

Qualified opinion - In our opinion, except for the effects of the matter described in the Basis for qualified opinion paragraph, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Student Energy, as at December 31, 2018 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for not-for-profit organizations.

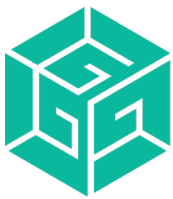


# STUDENT ENERGY PARTNERS



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NORTH GROWTH  
FOUNDATION



Global  
Green Growth  
Institute



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# MEDIA AND COLLABORATING PARTNERS

