



# Student Compost Facilitator

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*Fall 2024*

The Student Compost Facilitator is responsible for the proper disposal of organic waste in compost bins from all residence halls, the Academic Commons, and the Tiger Cooler. Upon analysis of data recorded during shifts, Student Compost Facilitators will propose and spearhead educational campaigns to encourage proper waste sorting habits on campus. This position is a hands-on opportunity to learn about sustainable waste management and related environmental issues, as well as gain valuable skills in data management and analysis, climate communications, and problem solving. This position is under the OSCAR project and managed by The Sustainability office.

### **Duties/Responsibilities:**

- Empty, sort, and weigh food waste from campus residence halls and Academic Commons 2-3 times per week
- Empty, sort, and weigh food waste from Tiger Cooler daily
- Carefully record data collected during shifts and make improvements to data collection methods
- Analyze data regularly to determine issues in food waste diversion habits at Oxy
- Research, propose, and implement changes to food waste diversion systems at Oxy, including educational campaigns and operational upgrades
- Create and update signage and educational materials to improve waste sorting habits

### **Qualifications:**

- Flexible availability during the week, especially after peak dining periods, including weekends.
- Must be organized, reliable, and creative!
- Preferred: Oxy Authorized Driver Status, or willingness to obtain.

**Start date:** 8/27/24

**End date:** 5/9/25

**Work Schedule:** Flexible

**Hours Per Week:** 5 hrs per week

**Starting pay rate:** \$17.28/hr

**Work Study:** No

To apply, email a cover letter and [student employment application](#) to [merel@oxy.edu](mailto:merel@oxy.edu).