

Planning a Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory at St. Mary's College of Maryland

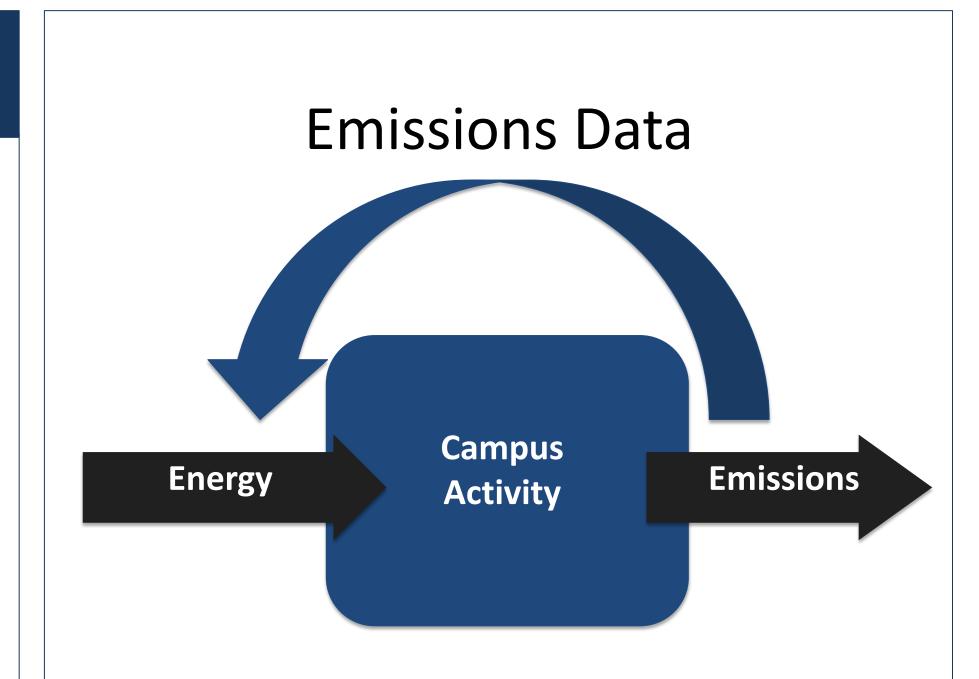


ENST450: Applied Sustainability Practicum



Objectives

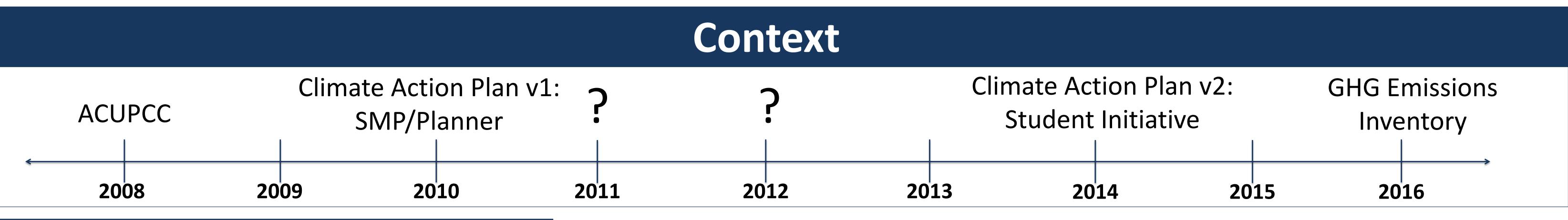
- 1. Expand metrics of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions measurement at SMCM by surveying the best practices of other institutions
- 2. Connect GHG emissions metrics to specific oncampus sources of data
- 3. Develop a collaborative system of reporting emissions data to a central source to be compiled into a GHG emissions inventory



Motivation

Feedback from emissions to energy use

- Potential to increase energy efficiency
 Centralized availability of information
- Directed research on institution
 Fosters leadership in sustainability
- Innovation may lead to recognition
 Organization breeds implementation
- Increases the chance of execution



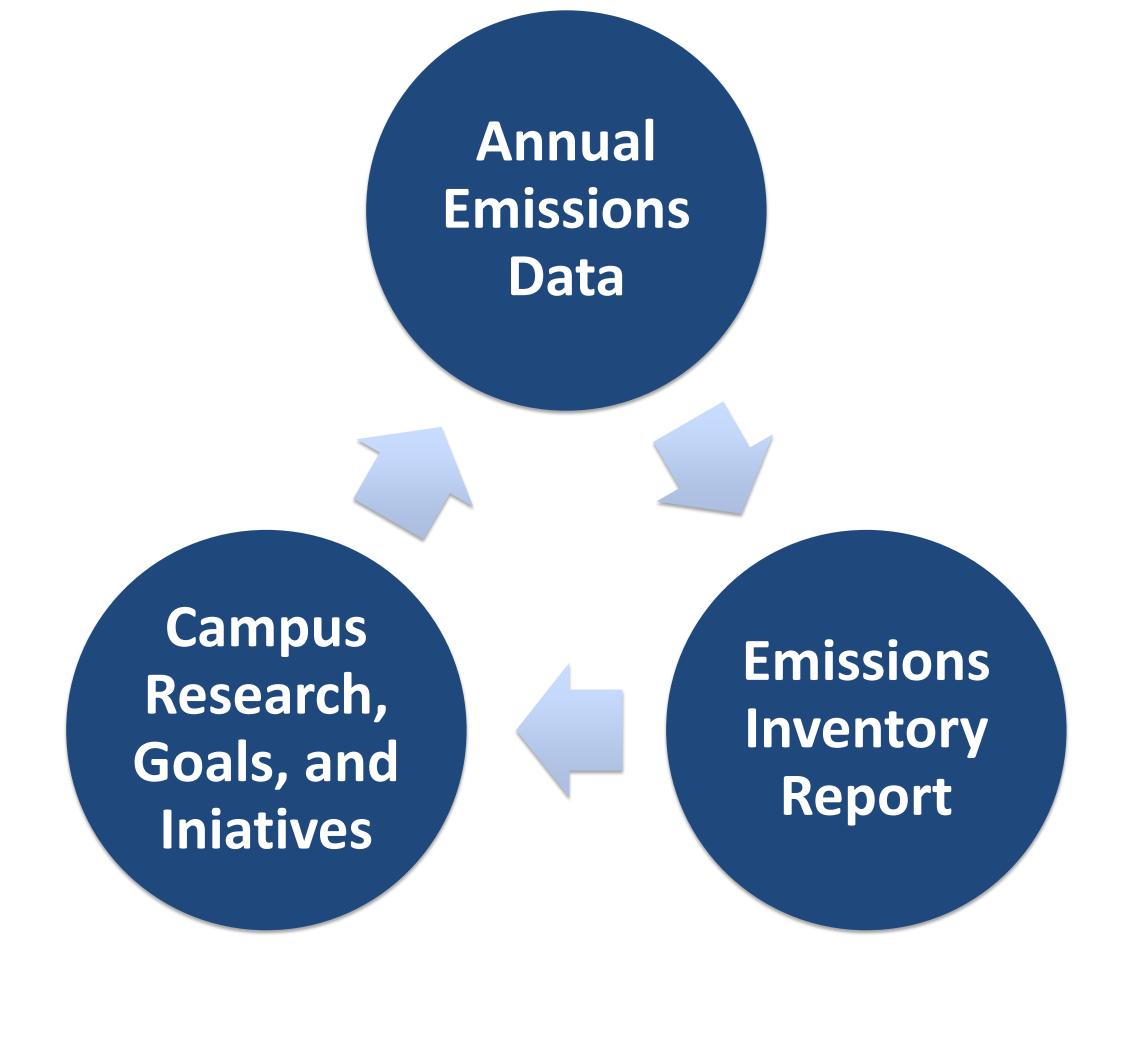
Defining Terms

Scope 1: Direct emissions from sources owned or controlled by the college

Scope 2: Indirect emissions not owned or controlled by the college, but still associated with its energy consumption

Scope 3: Indirect emissions associated with the production and consumption of the college

Next Steps





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References