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Time to complete

1. Please enter your project title. *

Reusable Dishware for the Lady Davis Institute trainee committee

2. Please enter your project leader's name. *

(First Name Last Name)

Alexandre Benoit

3. Please briefly summarize the project and its key accomplishments. How has your project helped to grow a culture of sustainability at McGill? You may consider social, economic, and/or environmental sustainability in your *

(max 5 sentences)

This project aimed to reduce waste from single-use items and promote a stronger sustainability culture at the Lady Davis Institute (LDI). Specifically, we seek to eliminate the usage of disposable plates, cups and utensil at all events hosted by the LDI trainee committee by providing reusable dishware to the students at all events. These events take place on a weekly basis and include seminars, workshops, student talks, journal club meetings and social activities (ex: BBQ). As we currently rely on single use items, the cumulative potential waste reduction is significant. Events are usually hosted at the LDI, a McGill affiliated medical research institution that hosts trainees, which are primarily graduate and post-graduate students from the McGill Faculty of Medicine.

4. If applicable, how many volunteers have been involved in your project? *

(# or N/A)

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-Pandemic- This was our main issue since every stores were closed most of the year when we were awarded with this fund.

11. Is there any additional information you would like to share about your project?

The amount of fund needed for dishware was much lower than expected when we explored second hand stores like Renaissance. This was great!

Since starting your SPF project, has your team improved its knowledge of sustainability? *

