# **Green Impact**

### Welcome to our new students and staff

All of us have a role to play in making the University a more sustainable place – simple actions like **switching off** unneeded lights and equipment to save energy, or **recycling** your waste all add up.

You can help by sharing your ideas - post them in the Green Impact comments

box (on the landing near the Psychology library), or submit them online: <a href="http://www.psychol.cam.ac.uk/about-us/green/green-ideas">http://www.psychol.cam.ac.uk/about-us/green/green-ideas</a>.



**Students** can apply to receive training from the NUS to become a Green Impact Project Assistant (GIPA), which is a great way to get involved in Departmental activities, to meet staff and other students, and it's a great addition to your CV!

**Staff and students** can join the Department's Green Impact group by emailing the Environment & Energy Coordinator <a href="kjp37@cam.ac.uk">kjp37@cam.ac.uk</a>. Help us to work towards a **Gold** award in 2015/16!

Cambridge University Student Union are selling subsidised **Cycle Safety Kits** to staff and students. The kit can be purchased online and collected from the CUSU. Cycle helmets, bells, lights, locks and reflective gilets are also available. For more info visit <a href="http://www.cusu.co.uk">http://www.cusu.co.uk</a> and click on the e-shop tab.

**Outspoken Training** is offering confidence-boosting cycle training courses for adults. The first 150 places only cost £10 so visit <a href="www.outspokentraining.co.uk">www.outspokentraining.co.uk</a> quickly to make your booking.



# **Rubbish!**

Our most frequently asked question last year was about recycling: What goes in which bin?

# **Mixed Recycling**

- ✓ Plastic bottles and containers
- ✓ Paper and cardboard
- ✓ Glass bottles and jars

Communal recycling bins are either made from green plastic or cardboard and are located in corridors, meeting rooms and kitchens.

#### Other recyclables:

There are individual bins for used printer cartridges, batteries and envelopes in Reception in the main building.

## Landfill

- √ Food waste and coffee grounds
- ✓ Wood (e.g. coffee stirrers)
- ✓ Polystyrene
- ✓ Broken glass and crockery

Landfill bins are located in offices, meeting rooms and kitchens.

**Note:** Please ensure that broken glass and crockery is disposed of safely!

Recycling bins and infographic labels are available from kip37@cam.ac.uk