

TENT CITY 3 AT UW

BUILDING AN IMAGINATION

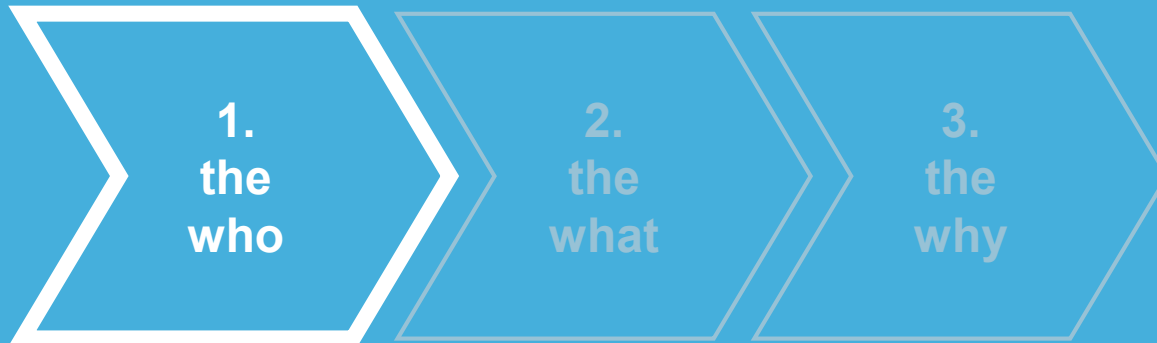


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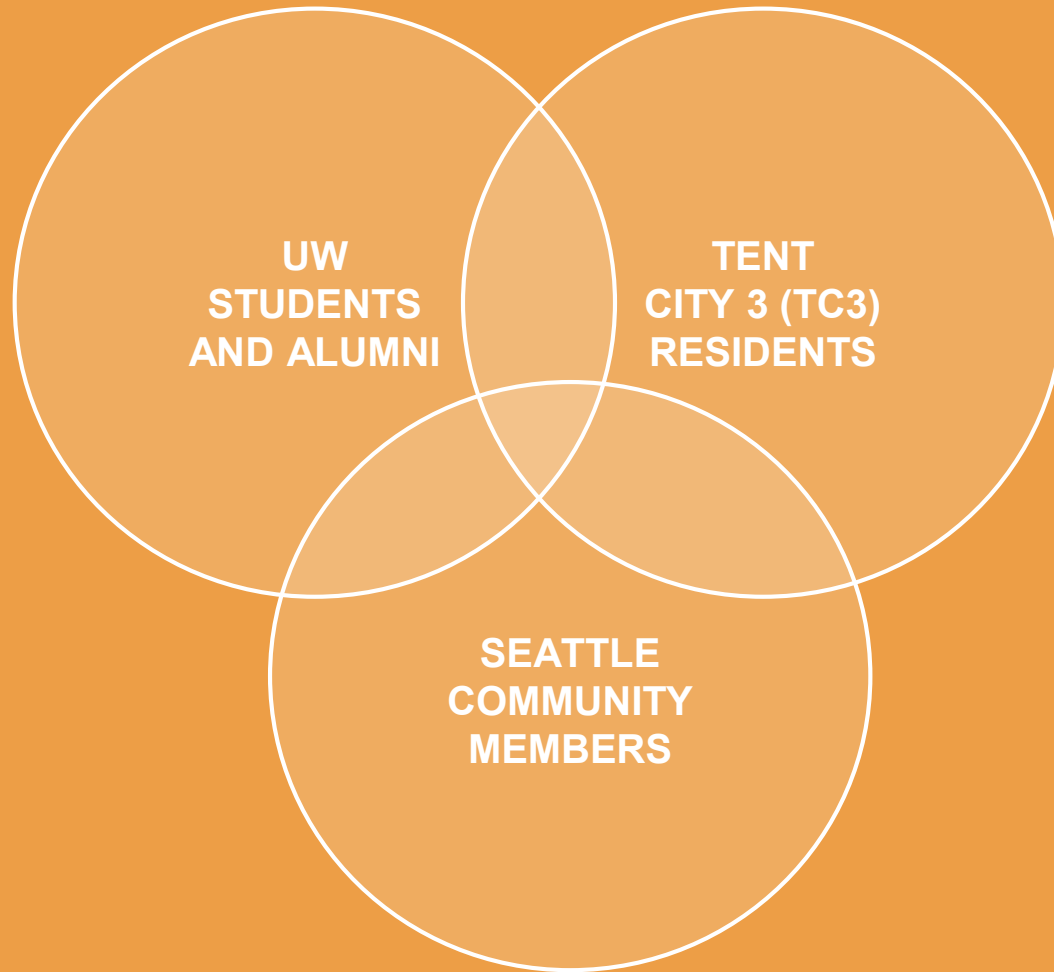


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WHO ARE THE MEMBERS OF TENT CITY COLLECTIVE?



TENT CITY COLLECTIVE





Respect
Compassion
Empowerment
Community
Strength
Education
Equity
Understanding
Partnership
Inclusivity
Engagement
Dignity
Open-mindedness
Solutions
Justice
Excitement
Destigmatization
Conversation
Innovative
Humility
Relationships
Empathy
Nurturing
Conversations
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Building
Change
Problem
Integration
Systemic
Openness
Intersectionality
Self-efficacy
Collective
Transparency
Fostering
Collaborative
Boundless
Flexibility
Hopefulness
Unity
Solidarity
Real Joy
First
People
Appreciation
Determination
Collaboration
Outreach
Student-led
Support
Solving

THE VISION

A Seattle where no one has to experience homelessness.

THE MISSION

To **galvanize, educate and unite** students and people experiencing homelessness in order to end the many inequalities that perpetuate homelessness and other forms of oppression.

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WHAT IS THE GOAL?

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THE GOAL

BRING TENT CITY 3
to the
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
In Winter Quarter of 2017

WHAT DOES HOSTING TC3 LOOK LIKE?

- 90 days
- ~10,000 sq ft (lawn, parking lot)
- 100 residents (families, men, women)
- 24/7 in-house security (check-in desk only entry/exit)
- Bring own portable shower, Honey Buckets, and kitchen
- Quiet hours: 9 PM – 8 AM
- Self-governed community (litter patrol, education outreach, advocacy)
- Strict rules — sobriety, no violence, no drugs
- Eligibility is based on government-issued photo ID



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SOURCE: "Tent City - Home," Seattle Pacific University
<http://spu.edu/events/tent-city/index.asp>

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WHY WOULD A UNIVERSITY HOST **TENT CITY?**

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A STATE OF EMERGENCY



A TEMPORARY BUT DESPERATELY NEEDED SOLUTION



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*The [UW] educates a diverse student body to become **responsible global citizens** and future leaders through a **challenging learning environment informed by cutting-edge scholarship**. Discovery is at the heart of our university. We discover **timely solutions to the world's most complex problems** and **enrich the lives of people throughout our community, the state of Washington, the nation and the world.***

-UW Vision Statement

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*Hosting Tent City 3 has been a concrete manifestation of Seattle Pacific University's mission of **engaging the culture and changing the world... the SPU community has a unique opportunity to **care for — and learn from — our neighbor.*****

— SEATTLE PACIFIC UNIVERSITY

HOSTED TC3 IN 2012 & 2015

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*[Seattle U] offers a secure, well-situated venue without disruption to our students and neighbors... [we can] create **meaningful learning and service opportunities** for students, faculty and staff.*

— **SEATTLE UNIVERSITY**
HOSTED TC3 IN 2005



**THIS ISN'T ABOUT
CHARITY.**



**THIS IS ABOUT
BI-DIRECTIONAL LEARNING.**





**THIS IS ABOUT
CREATING COMPASSIONATE
PRACTITIONERS.**



**THIS IS ABOUT
LEARNING FROM THOSE MOST AFFECTED
BY THE ISSUE.**



**THIS IS ABOUT
BREAKING DOWN THE STIGMA OF
HOMELESSNESS.**





**THIS IS ABOUT BEING IN COMMUNITY
WITH EACH OTHER.**



WHERE WE ARE NOW

○ Curriculum development in partnership with campus departments

- Interdisciplinary learning
- Interprofessional education
- Service learning

○ Securing endorsements

- **Faculty and staff:** AAUP, Urban@UW, Dr. Howard Frumpkin, Dr. Sara Mackenzie
- **Greater community:** Representative Brady Walkinshaw, Roosevelt Neighbors' Alliance, University District Community Council, University Park Community Club
- **Students:** ASUW, GPSS, RCSA, Health Equity Circle, Undergraduate Urban Planning Society, CEP Community Engagement Committee

○ Awareness raising and outreach

THE ASK

As leaders in your communities, we're asking you to endorse our efforts in bringing TC3 to our campus by passing this resolution.

**THANK
YOU.**

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