

RECYCLING

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN



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Talk to this guy to order recycling bins for your office — for free!

SPECIAL MATERIALS

Click to find out how to recycle...



Batteries



Ink & toner cartridges



Lab chemicals



Personal laptops & phones



Styrofoam



Fluorescent lamps



Nitrile gloves

HELPFUL LINKS

- [Recycling tips from Facilities & Services](#)
- [Download campus standard recycling bin signage \(PDF\)](#)
- [The "Bin It" Campaign \(features lots of printable posters and videos\)](#)
- [Campus Waste Reduction Plan \(PDF\)](#)
- [The Illinois Climate Action Plan Portal - Procurement & Waste](#)
- [Campus Purchasing, Waste, and Recycling SWATeam](#)

WATCH



VIDEO: U of I Director of Bands Barry Houser learns to Bin It!

THE BASICS

What can I recycle on campus?

PAPER

- Office paper
- Newspaper
- Magazines
- Journals
- Envelopes (all types)
- Junk mail
- Ream wrappers
- Books
- Phone books
- Manila and file folders

PLASTIC

- Bottles #1 and #2
- Other numbers are not recyclable on campus.

CANS

- Aluminum only
- DO NOT put steel cans (like those soup comes in) in the recycling bin

CARDBOARD

- Consult facility managers or building service workers for best cardboard recycling practices, as collection varies among buildings.