

Our staff and volunteers have worked to establish the U.S. Department of Education's Green Ribbon Schools award program in dozens of states, strengthening the program's "three pillars" of a green school as unifying criteria for the movement. This criteria is now used by organizations in 32 countries around the world. In 2015, the Center unveiled Learning Lab, a platform for curriculum content, which piloted with over 1,000 teachers in 26 countries.

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