# BRANDING SUSTAINABILITY Our Story

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## Once upon a time .....

- TravelSmart campaign (2002)
  - No budget
  - Hand drawn logo
  - Smartshare permits for car share scheme
  - Website
- 2005 "Travelbug" is born









### **Growth and Focus**





Mixed Messages





Save energy Recycle more Less flying Sustainable local food







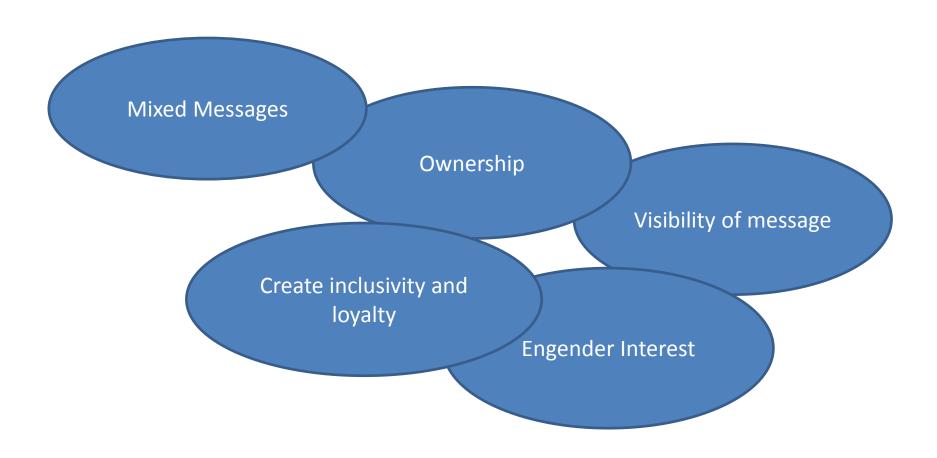






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## The Challenge

- Required a "brand" to represent
  - "sustainability" as a whole
  - individual areas of activity, energy, recycling etc.
  - green champions network
  - Pledges
  - campaigns
- Understandable and relevant to all sections of the University community
- Flexible with longevity
- Work in a range of formats including, posters, stickers, freebies etc.
- And above all FUN

## The Daddy!



Have you got the Travelbug yet?

#### Presenting The Family













Join the CarbonCrew... Sign up and help us at www.carboncrew.uea.ac.uk errial us carboncrew@uea.ac.uk or foliow us at facebook.com/carb A little **thank you** for turning your computer off.

And, don't forget to switch off all non-essential electrical appliances during the Christmas and New Year break.







## Norwich has the same average rainfall as Addis Ababa

**Water is precious**. Make every drop count; otherwise everyone will be counting the cost.

Addis Ababa receives on average 1089 mm (42.9 in) of precipitation annually or 91 mm (3.6 in) each month.



Encouraging people to do more...

To find out more and to join the **Carbon**Crew community sign up and help us at **www.carboncrew.uea.ac.uk** or email us **carboncrew@uea.ac.uk** 



### And now meet the Crew!



### The Carbon Crew Volunteers



#### The Obstacles

- Image clash with corporate face
- Engagement with academics
- Managing the Brand
  - Over population! Everyone wants a "bug"
- Print costs less impact in black & white
- Where next?

### Carbon Crew Benefits

- Uncomplicated
  - pictures can speak louder than words!
- Transferrable to external service providers
  - bus shelters in the city centre
  - refuse lorries
- Visibility & Engagement in Wider Community
- Adoption of concept by other Estates departments

## **Judging Success**

- 79% of staff recognised the logo as relating to sustainability activity
- 76% of staff knew how many characters made up the logo
- Over 100 Carbon Crew volunteers
- Range of annual "Carbon Crew" events including the student led Pledge for the Planet Day
- Campaigns = Results

## Thank You

