Purdue Day at the Statehouse
On March 22nd, several of our members of the team headed to the Indiana Statehouse for Purdue Day at the Statehouse. The event was an opportunity for Purdue students to showcase technology related projects. While displaying our model, we informed state representatives about our designs and progress on the house. Pictured right is Purdue President France Córdova admiring our model with four of the INhome team members.

Sharing the INhome at the Indiana Statehouse

Construction
On Monday April 18th, the INhome construction was officially underway. We have a construction site just north of the Purdue West shopping center. Our first open house is planned for the 2nd of July from 4-8 pm. More information to follow on the construction of the home, and make sure to stop by and say “Hey” if you see us working.

Earth Day
Purdue held an Earth Day celebration on the Stadium Mall on Tuesday, April 19th. The INhome team was out in force showing off the model and educating fellow students on the importance of energy conservation in the home.

Green Tour
Purdue joined the greater Lafayette community by being a part of a local green tour on May 7th! Although weather was not in our favor, we gained more local support and plan on continuing open houses and tours to educate the community on all the benefits INhome offers!

Spotlight on a Student
Sam Landry is Junior in the Electrical Engineering Technology program at Purdue. Sam is assisting in the design of the photovoltaic panel array for the INhome. When asked about his experience on the INhome team Sam stated, “It is amazing to witness the amount of enthusiasm that the teams have for their home and the overall competition. There is a lot of camaraderie within teams, but everyone in the end wants to see everyone else excel because we all support the same cause.”

Club Car
Check out the INhome’s new ride! Club Car, a partner of Ingersoll Rand, donated this cart to the team. We plan to use this cart on the job site and in Washington D.C. for the competition. Oh, did I mention the cart is equipped with solar panels?!! This Club Car is covered with solar panels on the roof and fits right in with what we’re promoting here; SOLAR ENERGY! If you stop by, I promise to take you for a ride around the site.

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