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INSTITUTIONAL SUSTAINABILITY POLICY

Istanbul Okan University adopts a holistic institutional management approach to sustainability encompassing environmental, social and governance dimensions and aims to create value according to sustainable development principles. It implements sustainability policies not merely as documents but within measurable, monitorable and continuously improvable systems

Policy Core Actions ;

- Develop and implement sustainability policies aligned with the institutional strategic plan, quality management system and relevant documents.
- Define version control, publication dates and periodic review for policies and strengthen document management.
- Establish institutional monitoring and evaluation with indicators, responsible units and reporting periods for all sustainability areas.
- Link policy commitments to institutional performance monitoring and strengthen data-driven management.
- Keep policy references current and aligned with national and international policy documents.
- Ensure institutional compliance with legislation and regulations appropriate to the University's legal status.
- Align sustainability policies with international standards and frameworks, including ESG, the UN Sustainable Development Goals and relevant ISO standards.
- Encourage academic and administrative units, students and external stakeholders to participate in sustainability processes.
- Conduct policy development and updates through thematic working groups and systematize these processes.
- Plan, monitor and report sustainability practices and integrate them into institutional decision-making.
- Monitor effectiveness and continuously improve practices through the PDCA cycle.

