

Membership and Terms of Reference for Sustainable Development Committee

Membership

PVC Research (Chair)

Director of Sustainability (Secretary)

University Secretary or nominee

Chief Information Officer or nominee

President of SU or nominee

Assistant Director of Student Life

Academic Lead for Sustainability

Head of Press and Public Affairs

prevent pollution and mitigate University's significant environmental impacts, including developing and monitoring carbon footprint, reduction targets

formulating strategies to minimise impacts and create opportunities for societal change.

2. To monitor and report to UEB on the University's performance against sustainability, including against environmental performance indicators.
3. To oversee the management of the University's Environmental and Sustainability Management Systems
4. To advise and make recommendations to the University Executive Board on policies, processes and initiatives that will enable the University to meet its objectives and targets for sustainability.
5. To review, revise and approve existing policies on a periodic basis.
6. To oversee the development and submission of grant applications related to sustainability, referring to UEB for approval as appropriate.
7. To promote the continual improvement of the University's social and environmental performance, ensuring University staff and students are aware of relevant legislation.
8. To advise the University on legislative compliance as necessary.

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9. To promote engagement with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and other approaches to sustainability and social responsibility within the University's curriculum and research.
10. To develop initiatives to promote Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) within the teaching, learning and student experience at the University.
11. To promote good practice in sustainability and social responsibility within the wider community.
12. To consult effectively with students, staff, and communities.

Meetings

The Committee should meet 4 times a year.

Reporting

The Sustainable Development Committee reports directly to the University Executive Board, providing a written report after each meeting. It will also report on relevant matters as appropriate to Learning, Teaching and Student Experience Committee and Research and Knowledge Exchange Committee. In addition, it will report to the Joint Consultative Committee.

The following groups and forums will report to the Sustainability Strategy Committee:

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