

SDG Goal 17 Partnership For The Goals

Year	Event
Ongoing	TU Dublin is a member of SGroup. SGroup is a network of over 50 higher education institutions from 23 European countries and six countries outside Europe that aims to strengthen the institutional capacities of its member universities to reinforce their international visibility, to expand their collaboration opportunities in education and research and to improve the quality of their governance, teaching, research and administrative practices.
Ongoing	TU Dublin Strategic Intent 2030 was created having engaged over 2,500 stakeholders. A key pillar in our TU Dublin Strategic Intent is Partnership. TU Dublin actively reaches out and in to connect people, to share competencies, join ideas, create synergies and unearth new opportunities. The University seeks to increase and deepen partnerships all over the world, on the understanding that the complex problems of today are solved together.
Ongoing	TU Dublin, in conjunction with Dublin City Council is working with local schools on an Air Quality Project This project is part of the UN Globe program and is supported by the Irish European Protection Agency (EPA) and An Taisce's Global Citizen Science Initiative. Schools use their grounds to take NO2 measurements, comparing the results with others in the area, nationally and internationally.
Ongoing	The three main campuses at TU Dublin are implementing a <u>Biodiversity Plan</u> in <u>Action Plan</u> in conjunction with local government, with interventions that aim to progress the local natural environment.
Ongoing	TU Dublin is a member of Campus Engage, a national initiative that seeks to enable and embed civic and community engagement activities in higher education (SDG 11). Their report, Campus – Community Engagement in Action, features initiatives from all three main campuses: - City Campus (p. 6) students collaborated with the Irish Penal Reform Trust (IPRT) to produce reports that could affect Irish penal policy into the future.

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	- Blanchardstown Campus (p. 10) worked to inform the development of a five to ten year social, community and economic plan for the Mulhuddart area - Tallaght Campus (p. 18) I-VOL mobile app was developed by a part time student to enable Volunteer Ireland to engage people through use of the app. I-VOL makes the process of finding a suitable volunteering opportunity in your locality easier
Ongoing	TU Dublin is a member of <u>SFI MaREI</u> which comprises of 220 researchers focusing on defined global challenges such as Energy Transition, Climate Action and the Blue Economy.
Ongoing	TU Dublin has a range of initiatives that engage local stakeholders, including residents, local government, local private groups and local civil society representatives: GLLF- The Grangegorman Labour and Learning Forum (GLLF) is a multi- agency voluntary group made up of representatives of a range of statutory, voluntary and community organizations and stakeholders. SLWC: This award-winning program involves TU Dublin staff & students working with communities to develop real life projects for mutual benefit. CIRCLET: CIRCLET is an international learning community, which has developed two new professional development initiatives supporting community engaged learning and research. Grangegorman ABC Programme- This is a prevention and early intervention program for children aged 0-6 and their families. It is part of the national ABC program, funded by TUSLA, the Child and Family Agency TU Dublin Active Retirement Association- TU Dublin ARA was set up and is managed by the retired members of staff of the University and currently has over 100 members
Ongoing	Partnership with <u>lbec Academy</u> since 2008 to design and accredit micro credential programs in areas such as coaching, human resource management,
March 2024	leadership, employment law, mediation, and industrial relations. President of Technological University Dublin (TU Dublin), and his delegation visited Shanghai Pharmaceutical School (SPS)
June 2024	Higher Education Climate Leadership Summit 2024- over 100 senior leaders and teaching staff came together to discuss the important role that higher education plays in addressing climate change through action. Minister Ossian Smyth TD, Minister of State at the Department of Environment, Climate and Communications attended to address the group.

October 2024	Student Climate Summit- TU Dublin hoisted over 80 students from all over the island of
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	Ireland, with speakers, workshops and welcoming Change Clothes Crumlin hosting a
	pop- up second- hand clothes sale.
January 2024	<u>UNITAR Webinar: From Knowledge to Action</u> - Fostering Sustainability Competences
	for a Better Tomorrow- a webinar on the contributions higher education can give to
	sustainable development
Ongoing	Since 2023, students have a talk on sustainability during <u>orientation</u> and have
	Sustainability and Climate Action Challenges throughout orientation week.
June 2024	TU Dublin is recognised as the first <u>Centre for Sustainability Across the Curriculum</u> in
	Europe
September	TU Dublin Sports, Societies and Volunteering Student Life Festival-taking place across
2024	all campuses, the festival acts as a way to introduce clubs, societies and opportunities
	to students for them to join and contribute to. With 40 sports clubs and just over 90
	societies, there are a range of opportunities available to students depending on their
	interests and aims for their university experience. As well as this, those elected onto
	committee undergo training and all the time they invest is considered volunteering for
	the university community.
November	TU Dublin Welcomes Dutch Delegation for an International Exchange on Business and
2024	<u>Cultural Insights</u>
November	Nanjing Tech University Delegation Visits TU Dublin- This visit marked another
2024	milestone in the evolving 18-year partnership between the two universities