



Evidence for THE Impact Rankings Questionnaire

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Collaborations on Developing Best Practices for Tackling the SDGs

Cyprus International University (CIU) has established itself as a global leader in sustainability and SDG best practices, achieving outstanding success in the UI GreenMetric World University Rankings. In 2024, CIU was ranked 64th among 1,477 universities worldwide, 27th in Europe, 3rd in Türkiye, and 1st in Cyprus. This remarkable achievement highlights CIU's pioneering role in promoting sustainability, its environmentally sensitive projects, and its visionary approach to creating a greener future. Participating consistently for the last seven years, CIU has steadily risen in the rankings, maintaining its position as the most sustainable university on the island of Cyprus and reinforcing its commitment to continuous progress.

This success is not accidental but the result of CIU's close collaboration with international institutions and networks to improve SDG practices and contribute to global best practices. CIU continuously strengthens its sustainability framework through measurement, monitoring, and dialogue with stakeholders. A prime example of this is its active involvement in the UI GreenMetric initiative, developed by the University of Indonesia, which benchmarks universities worldwide on green campus policies and sustainability performance. By engaging with this platform, CIU contributes to raising awareness among global academic leaders on combating climate change, conserving resources, recycling, and developing green transportation systems. Under the guidance of experts such as Prof. Serkan, who works closely with UI GreenMetric, CIU continues to enhance its SDG strategies. This long-term commitment has culminated in CIU's recognition as one of the world's top sustainable campuses, demonstrating how consistent effort, collaboration, and visionary planning translate into international success. Further details on CIU's achievement can be found in the source: https://ciu.edu.tr/en/news/ciu-ranked-64th-ui-greenmetric-world-university-rankings.

Detail Rankings 2024 - Cyprus International University

| Rank 2024 | Country | Total Score | Setting & Infrastructure | Energy & Climate Change | Waste | Water | Transportation | Education & Research | Website |
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| 64 | Turkiye | 8700 | 1325 | 1575 | 1500 | 1000 | 1625 | 1675 | ② Website |

Note: Global ranking of the CIU according to UI Greenmetrics. Link: https://greenmetric.ui.ac.id/rankings/overall-rankings-2024/ciu.edu.tr



You are associating six different categories with SDGs.

Sustainability Improvement Trends for Cyprus International University



3. WORLD RANKINGS HISTORY



Figure 3.1 World Rankings History Diagram