



Evidence for THE Impact Rankings Questionnaire

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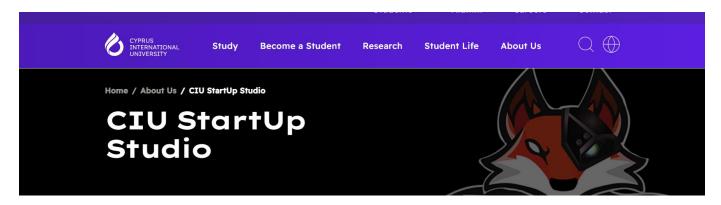
Assistance for Start-ups that Foster and Support low-carbon Economy/Technology:

We launched our start-up studio in 2023 to foster investments in sustainable StartUps. At Cyprus International University Startup Studio (CIUSS), we encourage innovation and entrepreneurship to empower the next generation of startups. Our mission is to provide a dynamic ecosystem where aspiring entrepreneurs can thrive and turn their ideas into successful businesses. Explore CIUSS and discover how we can support your startup journey.

Furthermore, two of our research centers, the Sustainable Energy Center (SERC) and the Center of Applied Research on Business, Economics, and Technology (CARBET), are ready to assist local start-ups.







CIU StartUp Studio (CIUSS)

Established with a vision to ignite innovation and drive economic growth, Cyprus International University Startup Studio (CIUSS) is a leading hub for startup development in Cyprus. Our dedicated team of industry experts, mentors, and advisors is committed to nurturing entrepreneurial talent and fostering a culture of innovation. Here's why aspiring entrepreneurs choose CIUSS to kickstart their startup journey:

- **Comprehensive Support:** CIUSS offers a comprehensive suite of programs and services tailored to the needs of startups at every stage of development, from ideation to scaling.
- Expert Mentorship: Gain access to a network of seasoned entrepreneurs, industry experts, and mentors who provide personalized guidance and support to help you navigate the challenges of entrepreneurship.
- Networking Opportunities: Connect with a vibrant community of like-minded entrepreneurs, investors, and industry professionals through networking events, workshops, and collaborative initiatives.
- Access to Resources: From funding opportunities to workspace facilities and business tools, CIUSS provides startups with the resources they need to succeed in today's competitive landscape.
- Proven Track Record: Benefit from CIUSS's track record of success, with numerous alumni startups
 achieving significant milestones, securing investments, and making a positive impact in their
 respective industries.
- **Ecosystem Integration:** CIUSS is deeply integrated into the local and global startup ecosystem, providing unparalleled access to opportunities, partnerships, and market insights.
- Innovation Hub: Located within the dynamic campus of Cyprus International University, CIUSS serves as a hub for innovation, collaboration, and entrepreneurial activity, fostering a culture of creativity and ambition.





For further details please follow the links below:

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https://ciu.edu.tr/en/student-life/ciu-startup-studio/startup-studio-programs

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Sustainable Energy Center (SERC)

Sustainable Energy Research Center (SERC) was founded in 2009 as the "Center of Excellence" at Cyprus International University. Since then, the center has carried out many research projects on Solar Energy and certification/education programs. In addition to the PV Power Plant project, SERC is carrying out many studies. Some of these studies are listed below:

- Active consultancy for numerous solar power projects, such as the PV project of the Civil Defense Organization and the PV project of Middle Eastern Technical University.
- PV Expert Certification Programs (Three-days program that includes an introduction, system definitions, techno-economic analysis, and on-site practices)
- Multiple Research Projects on Photovoltaics, Solar Thermal Systems, Energy Efficiency/Management, Energy Policies, Biogas
- Consultancy to the Ministry of Economy and Energy of Northern Cyprus on Renewable Energy and Energy Policy

More information can be obtained here: https://www.ciu.edu.tr/en/research/r







Center of Applied Research on Business, Economics, and Technology (CARBET)

Current technological advances have led to an unavertable interdisciplinary synergy between different fields. In this manner, the research center focuses on and contributes to various research segments involving interdisciplinary relations in Economics, Business, Innovation, and Technology. The Center's focus is not limited to multidisciplinary research but also relevant search topics from the fields mentioned or industrial-related research that fall in CARBET's interest. The critical concentration of the research center is on environmental management studies such as ecological systems, green economy, energy engineering, water management, and sustainability. The center provides advisory services, executive programs, teaching and training, workshops, and seminars. CARBET also collaborates with research centers at overseas universities/organizations.

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