



ABDULLAH GÜL UNIVERSITY



Commitment Letter

24.12.2023

H.E. António Guterres Secretary-General
United Nations
New York, NY 10017 USA

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

I am pleased to confirm that Abdullah Gül University supports the ten principles of the UN Global Compact concerning human rights, labor, environment, and anti-corruption. With this commitment, we intend to support the Global Compact in advancing these principles. We will clearly state this commitment to our stakeholders and the public. We also pledge to be part of the UN Global Compact in the following way(s):

- Promoting the dissemination of UN Global Compact principles by making them our university's values and educating our students and the public with these principles.
- Aiming to contribute to the world starting from our university by implementing the Sustainable Development Goals within our university.
- Organizing seminars, workshops, symposiums, and training within our university to raise awareness of human rights, the environment, and other topics.
- Giving university laborers the right to join a union and hold meetings.
- Contributing to the environment on our campus, especially in matters related to recycling, waste, and water management.
- Aiming to develop UN values through cooperation on environmental challenges and human rights issues.

We recognize that a critical requirement for participation in the Global Compact is the submission of a Communication on Engagement (COE) that describes our organization's efforts to support the implementation of the ten principles and to engage with the Global Compact. We support public accountability and transparency and therefore commit to report on progress within two years of joining the Global Compact and every two years after that according to the Global Compact COE policy.

Sincerely yours,

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