

Sharing Experiences of How to Include Training of SDG in Education

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SUMMARY

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) represent a set of universal objectives, targets, and indicators that UN member states have committed to using as a framework for shaping national and international development policies in the years to come.

As professionals, we carry a responsibility to actively work toward achieving these goals. It is incumbent upon us to ensure that young professionals receive the necessary education and training to integrate these objectives into their daily work effectively.

This imperative underscores the importance of disseminating knowledge from academic and educational institutions that are closely aligned with SDGs. It is essential that this knowledge is made accessible to all, in a manner that is both comprehensive and effective.

In line with this mission, we propose the establishment of common knowledge exchange, where it can be shared enriching experiences that contribute to the academic and professional realms. These webinars/platforms aim to incorporate fundamental concepts related to the SDGs into the learning curriculum. Specifically, this article will highlight the experiences of the authors at the University of the Republic in Montevideo. These experiences have been shared with various academic institutions at the regional level, with the support of academic networks such as AUGM, UNGGIM: Americas, and the FIG Regional Network for the Americas.

Within this paper, we will present the shared experiences, offer an illustrative application that can be adapted by other institutions, and introduce additional initiatives for knowledge exchange currently in development.