

Union Council Motion

Motion Title: UN Sustainability goals and Aston University

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Union Council Notes

1. UN's sustainable development goals are a universal call of action to end poverty, protect the planet and ensure that all people enjoy peace and prosperity by 2030.
2. Aston University has consistently been working towards these goals in recent years.
3. The SDG (Sustainable development goals) accord and The Impact Ranking are two ways education institutions can review its performance and engage with other education institutions on sustainability issues.

Union Council Believes

1. The university needs to continue making steps in the right direction when it comes to the UN's SDGs
2. Through taking part in the SDG accord and The Impact Ranking the university will be able to better understand how it can improve

Union Council Resolves

1. Aston University to sign the SDG accord as an institution.
2. Aston University to make a submission every year for The Impact Ranking