AURORA
University of Aberdeen

The project

The University of Aberdeen is part of the Aurora Universities Network, a network comprising of ten European Institutions. The network's main aim is to harness the **collective impact** that the institutions have **on society** through research and teaching. The key themes include diversity, inclusion, and sustainability, with a specific emphasis on the **SDGs.**

Outcomes and implications

- As part of the project's mission to evaluate and harness societal impacts, AURORA developed a bibliometrical analysis tool that helps gauge their impacts against the SDGs

- AURORA is also delivering a sustainability lecture series focusing on each of the SDGs

- A diversity inclusion awards programme was developed with the aim of exchanging good practice and advancing the network's vision on diversity

SDGs

AURORA is an example of achieving **SDG17** as it establishes and uses **relevant partnerships** to work towards the achievement of the SDGs

With the network's work being especially focused on **diversity and inclusion**, and on looking at how they **integrate sustainability** within their research and teaching, AURORA also contributes towards **SDG4** and **SDG10**