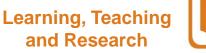


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- Introduction to whole institution approaches to ESD
- Pecha Kucha case studies:
  - Valeria from MMU
  - Jess from NTU
  - Grace from ARU
  - Maria from Kingston
- Wrap up
- Q&A

## How do we define ESD?



**Education for sustainable development** is the process of equipping students with the **knowledge and understanding, skills** and **attributes** needed to work and live in a way that safeguards environmental, social and economic wellbeing, both in the present and for future generations.

QAA ESD guidance 2014

## **Student demand**





85% of students consistently agree or strongly agree that "sustainable development is something which universities and colleges should actively incorporate and promote"

70% of students consistently agree or strongly agree that "sustainable development is something which university and college courses should actively incorporate and promote"

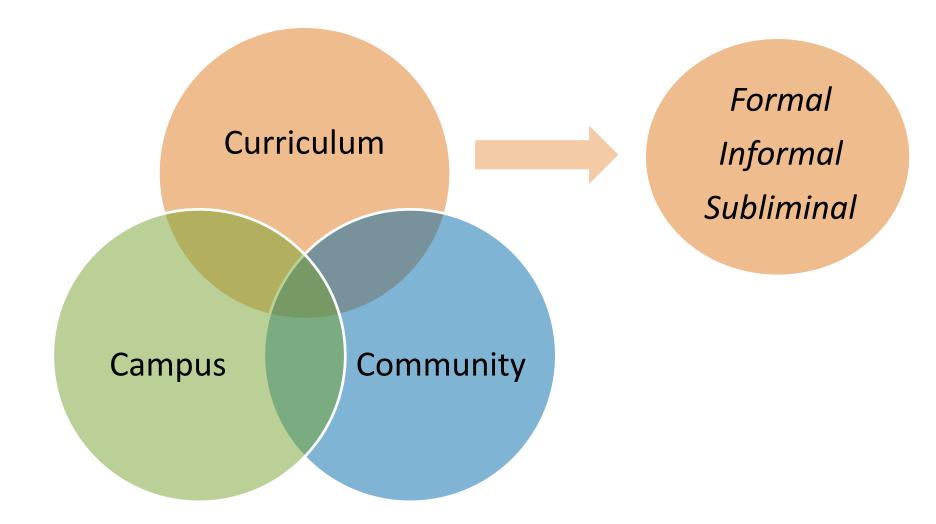
60% of students consistently agree or strongly agree that "sustainable development is something which I would like to learn more about"





## **Across the institution**





## Whole Institution Approaches





Connecting and spreading good practice through:

- Effective strategy
- Cohesive approaches
- Collecting and sharing information on existing action
- Engaging across *all* faculties and departments



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### Sustainable and Ethical Enterprise (SEEG)





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Sustainability Research Network



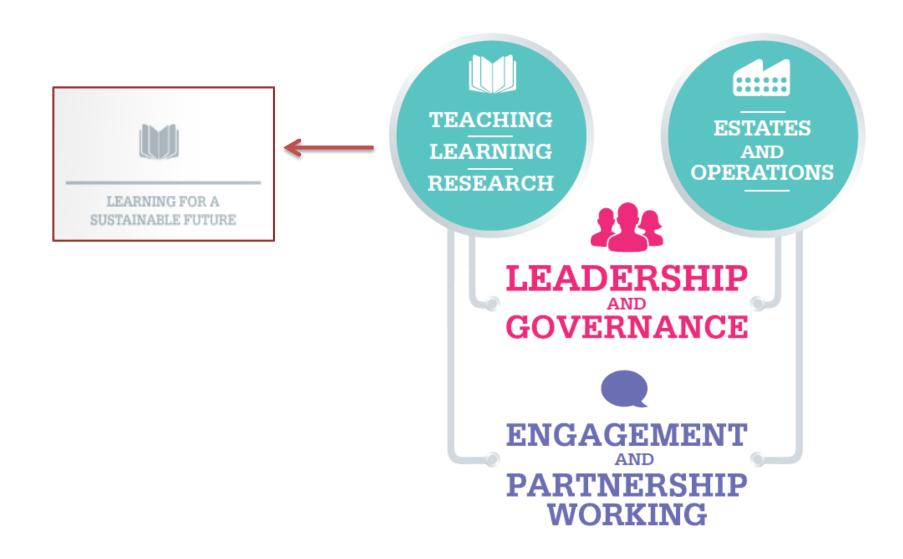


## Environmental Sustainability Strategy

## 2014-2020



## **Our Approach**





# People and Planet, University League 2015

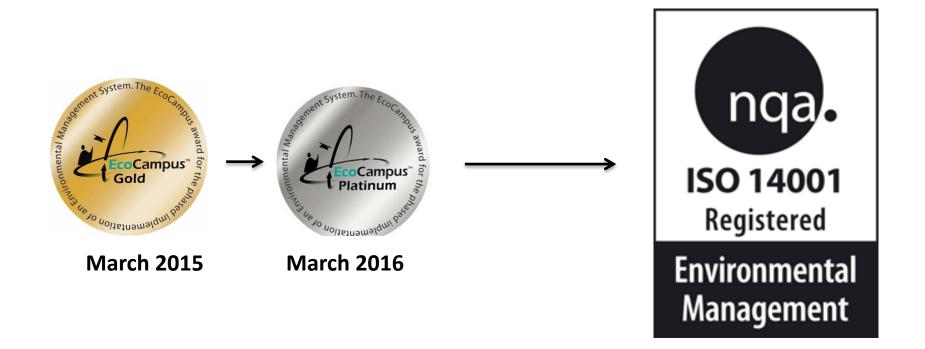


## Result of **100% in Education for Sustainable Development Criteria** in the People and Planet Green League, which contributed to MMU's 3rd place in this league.



## International Environmental Management System











**Accredited institution** 



## Engagement of Key Stakeholder groups

- Students
- Course Reps
- Teaching staff from all faculties (ESD group)
- Institutional leadership teams:
- Estates and Services Advisory Group (ESAG)
- Environmental Strategy Board (ESB)
- Faculty Executive Groups (FEG)



#### Sustainable actions

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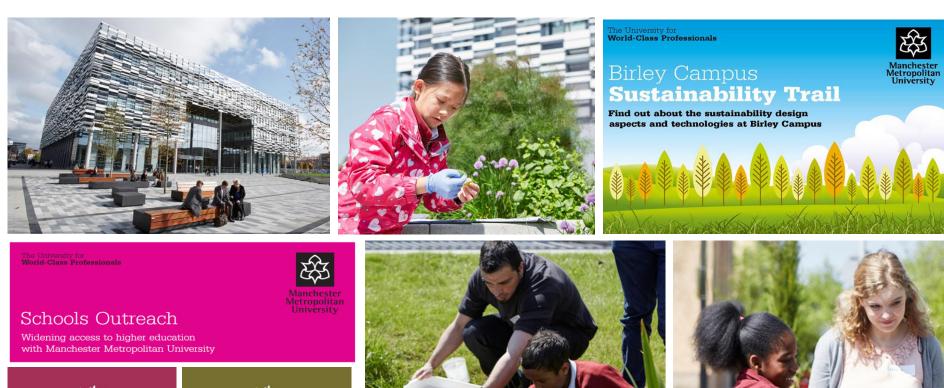




















## Carbon Literacy Project





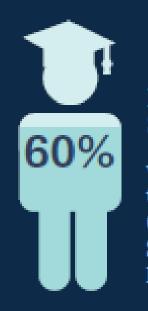












NEW STUDENTS

would like to learn about GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY ISSUES

# What our students say...

65%

#### RETURNING STUDENTS

said they better understand KEY GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY ISSUES

CURRENT STUDENTS 83% think that we're an ENVIRONMENTALLY SUSTAINABLE UNIVERSITY



QAA-HEA Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) Guidance

- Global citizenship
- Environmental stewardship
- Social Justice, ethics and well-being
- Future facing outlook

Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (QAA), Higher Education Academy (HEA) (2014), *Education for Sustainable Development : Guidance for UK Higher Education Providers*.



in the CeLT site 💌

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Search for

MMU Homepage -+ CELT home -+ Developing Programmes -+ Education for Sustainable Development

Education for Sustainable Development (ESD),

Global Citizenship, and Curriculum Development

#### CELT

Centre for Excellence in Learning and Teaching

#### About CELT

CELT staff

MMU Strategy for Learning, Teaching and Assessment

Academic Staff Development Developing Programmes

Planning a new programme or periodic review Designing your programme Programme Enhancement Continuous Monitoring and

Improvement

Disabled Student Support

Employability

Education for Sustainable Development

Inclusive Curriculum Induction and Transition

Internationalising the

Curriculum

Programme/Unit Leadership

Progression and Retention Students as Partners

Targeted Programme

Improvement

**Developing Teaching** 

Developing Scholarship of Teaching and Learning

Resources

Good Practice Exchange

CELT blog Newsletter

Site A-Z

Contact Us

role play local people affected by your proposed engineering project reflect on the value of working collaboratively on a problem scenario design a process for community consultation in your discipline

give a presentation on the ethics of producing components in developing nations

#### Introduction

Programme teams should review their curricula for opportunities to include new elements, or foreground existing elements, that allow students to develop as critical global citizens – including their **ethical**, **social**, **and environmental awareness of global and collective wellbeing**. This may also involve finding ways of linking international partnerships, research and other international activity more explicitly back into the curriculum so that staff 'global capital' is shared with students.

#### Provide the curriculum review tool »

You can see some examples from the curriculum review tool above. If you have any suggestions for adaptation or inclusion, please contact us!

There are various ways in which ESD and Global Citizenship are conceptualised, understood and communicated. Use the links on the right to explore these concepts and how they articulate with each other and ask what this means for curriculum development at MMU. An excellent summary of some of the recent thinking around these related concepts can be found here: *The Elusive Concept of Internationalisation of the Curriculum* by Valerie Clifford.

#### Introduction

Education for Sustainable Development

**Global Citizenship** 

Internationalising the Curriculum

Human Capabilities Approach

So what does this mean for our curricula?

NUS Responsible Futures Project

**ESD Video Resources** 

CPD Opportunities

Good Practice

MMU Strategy and Policy

**CELT** intranet





Theme: Curriculum Category: ESD



Carbon Literacy Training Dr Chris Stone Hollings



Employability, Expertise and Ecology

Stuart Marsden & Konstantinos Tzoulas Science and Engineering



Postgraduate Engagement with Sustainability

Ajay Patel Hollings



Talking Sustainability

Dr David Haley School of Art



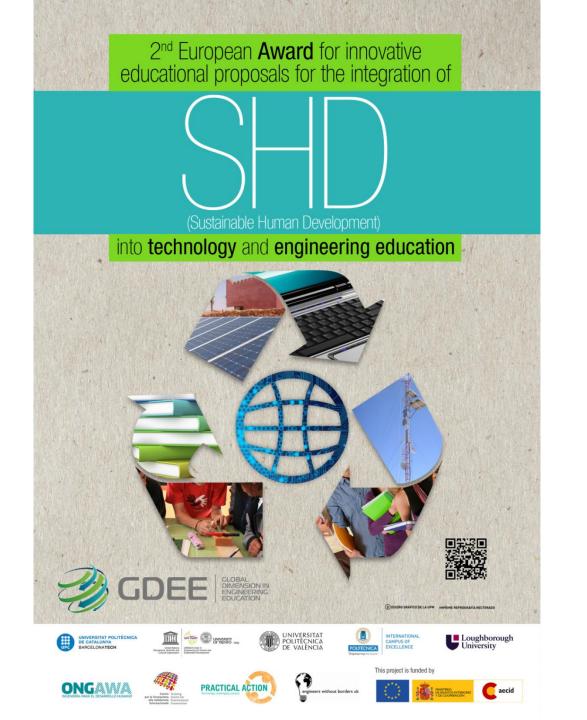
Site-based Projects

Eddy Fox School of Art



Sustainability as Stand Alone Units

Liz Walley Business and Law

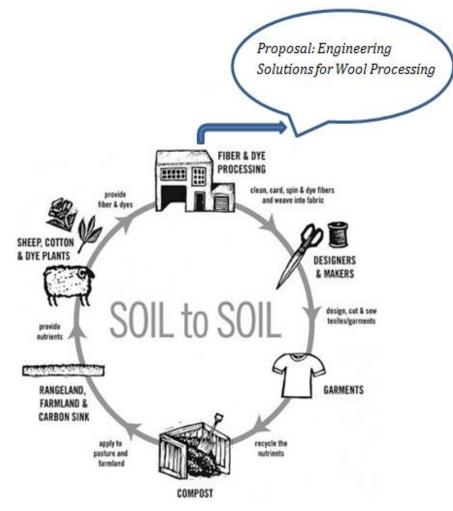






#### European Award- Global Dimension of Engineering Education

- School of Engineering
- School of Fashion
- Engineers without borders
- Student Projects
- Provided funding to student to go to conference and present their work
- Provided funding for Unit X project in the Art School



Adapted model from

http://www.fibershed.com/wool-mill-vision/



## **Scholarship of Teaching and Learning**

The SOTL research grants support and encourage scholarly work that aims to improve the quality of students' learning.

- Enhancing student experience through embedding Education for Sustainable Development in the curriculum
  Dr. Hannah Matthews
- Teaching Ethics and Sustainability to Accounting Students A Student View
- **Dr. Jack Christian**







Massachusetts Institute of Technology



Hochschule für Angewandte Wissenschaften Hamburg Hamburg University of Applied Sciences





14-16 September 2016: WSSD-U-2016 at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)





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## The Journey to Curriculum Refresh



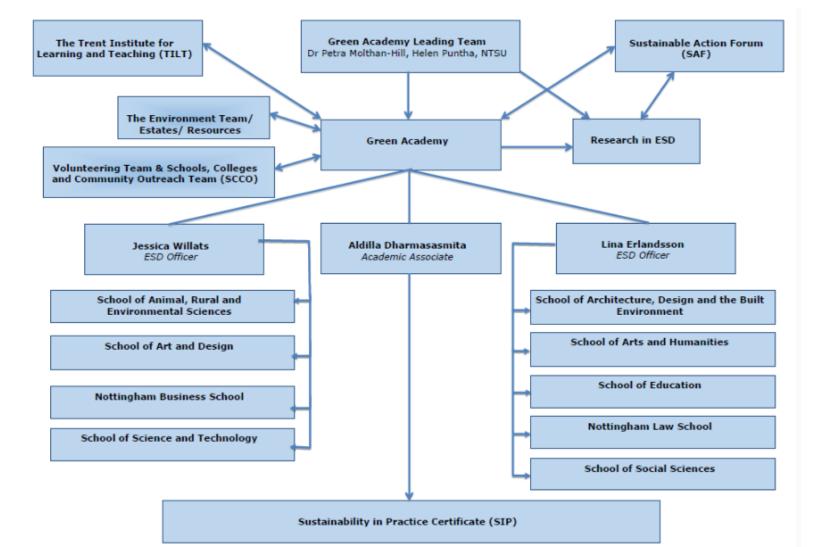






## **The Green Academy**







## "They brainwashed us from day one. I'm sick of hearing about global warming, healthy eating, and multiculturalism"



## The Sustainability in Practice (SiP) Certificate









## How do we feed the world without destroying it?



## **SiP Challenge Day**



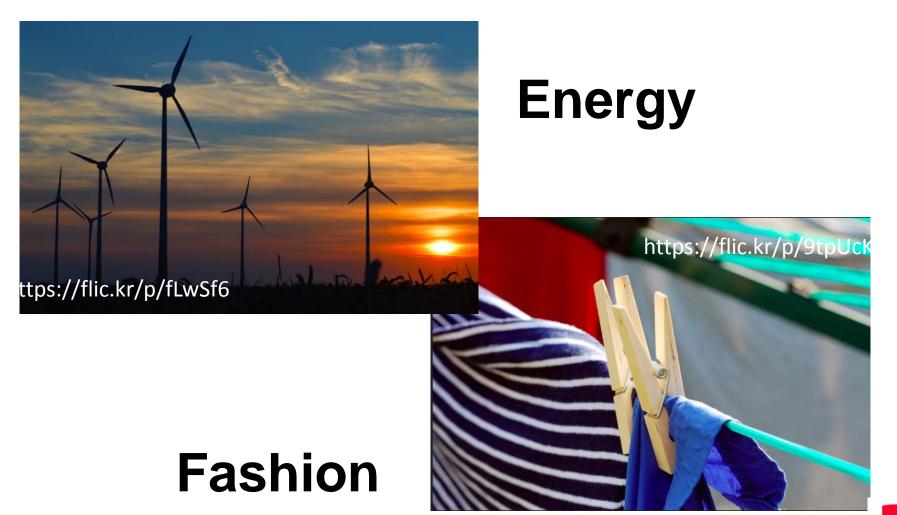






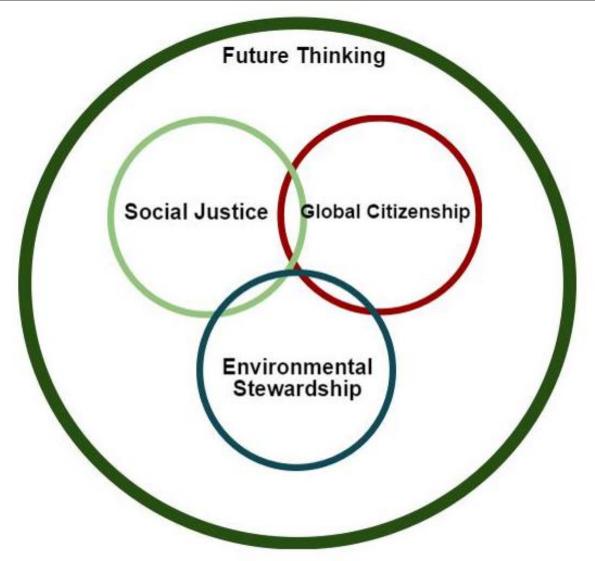






## The Future Thinking Model





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### **Curriculum Refresh**



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### **The ESD Framework**

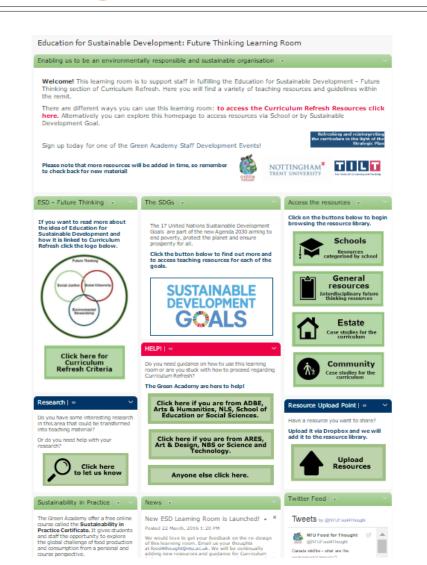


# Refreshing and reinterpreting the curriculum in the light of the Strategic Plan



### ESD: Future Thinking Learning Room









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# Linking to the SDGs







### **NTU Case Studies as Teaching Resources**



### **Estate Case Studies as Learning Resources**

Please complete form and email to Food4Thought@NTU.ac.uk. Any gueries please contact the Green Academy on the same email address.



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See page 2 for more details about the project and a list of data/drawings available.

### **Contact details for project:**

Contact name: Ivan Hopkins

Email address: Ivan.hopkins@ntu.ac.uk

### Especially suitable for: (tick all that are relevant, or leave for Green Academy to complete if unsure)

Nottingham Law School

School of Social Sciences

School of Science and Technology

School of Animal, Rural and Environmental Science Nottingham Business School

- School of Architecture Design and Built Environment
- School of Art and Design
  - School of Art and Humanities
- School of Education

Teaching Ideas: (to be completed by the Green Academy):



### Estate

### Case studies for the curriculum



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NTU

### Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) Staff Development by TILT - Green Academy

12 <sup>th</sup> May 2016	SAF Reps, LTCs and School Quality Manager ESD Curriculum Refresh SCALE-UP Workshop 15.00-17.00 An opportunity to explore the ESD curriculum refresh framework and consider how to integrate ESD into the curriculum context in line with strategic aspirations and in ways most likely to benefit student learning.
17 <sup>th</sup> May 2016	<b>Course Leaders Conference</b> The Green Academy are running a surgery session where delegates will have the opportunity to explore the newly refurbished 'ESD: Future Thinking Learning <b>Boom</b> ', ESD Officers will be on hand to discuss the inclusion of relevant material in existing modules in line with ESD curriculum refresh framework.
24 <sup>th</sup> May 2016	SIP Award Night An evening to celebrate the achievements of those who have completed the Sustainability in Practice Certificate.
8tt.Jung 2016	Course Leader ESD Curriculum Refresh SCALE-UP Workshop* 14.00-16.00 Perfect for Course Leaders, or those looking to integrate ESD across a whole course. The session will explore aligning discipline-specific information that can be easily embedded into existing course content in line with the ESD curriculum refresh framework.

### **Responsible Futures**





# Responsible Futures







## Email: jessica.willats@ntu.ac.uk







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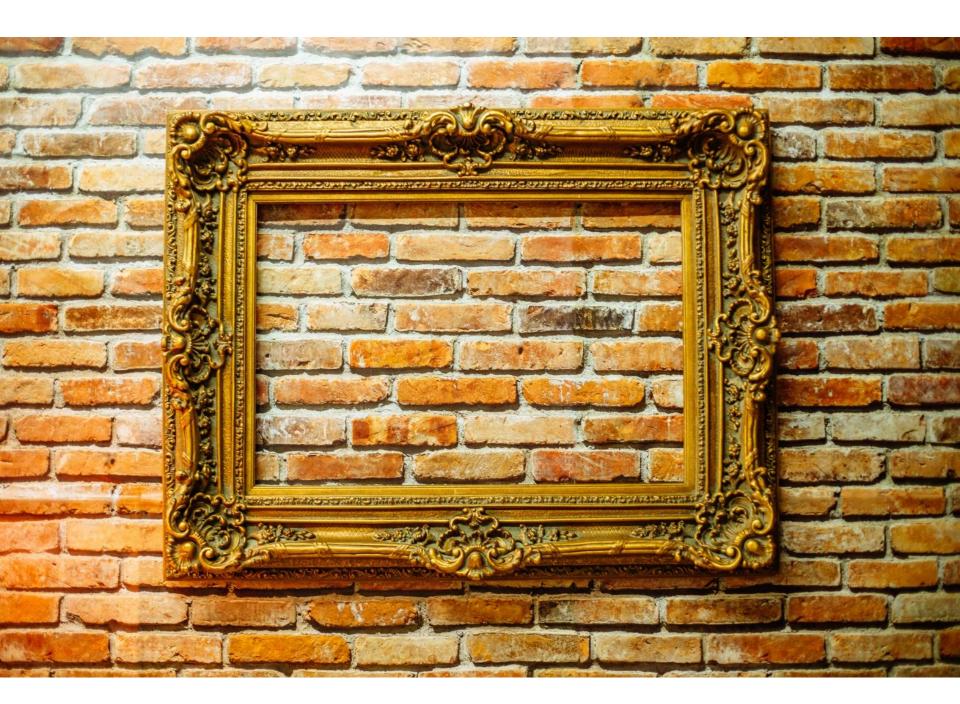


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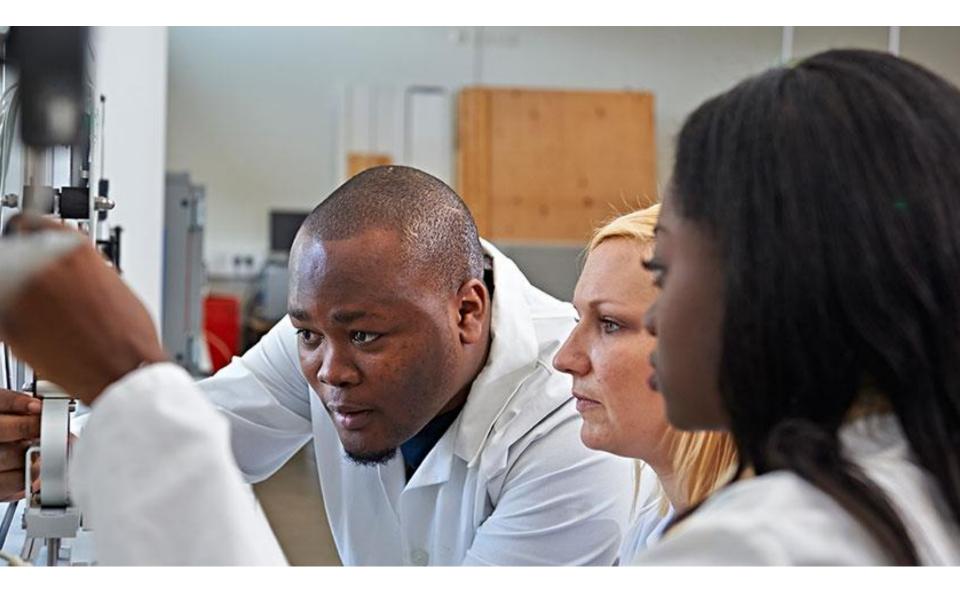




















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● Articles (✓ include patents) ○ Case law

Stand on the shoulders of giants







Entrepreneurial University of the year 2014 THE AWARDS AWARD WINNER ENTREPRENEURIAL UNIVERSITY OF THE YEAR Anglia Ruskin University



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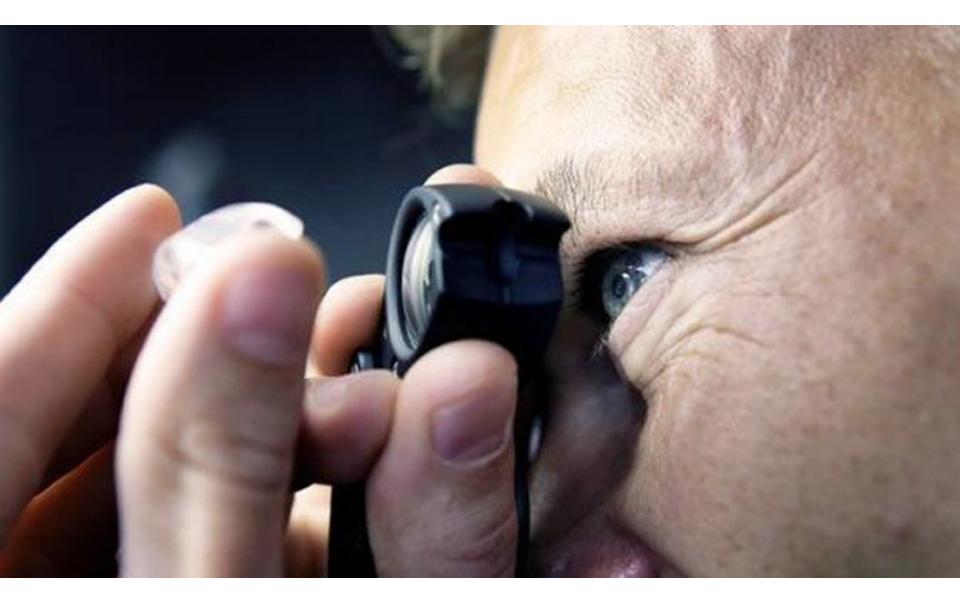
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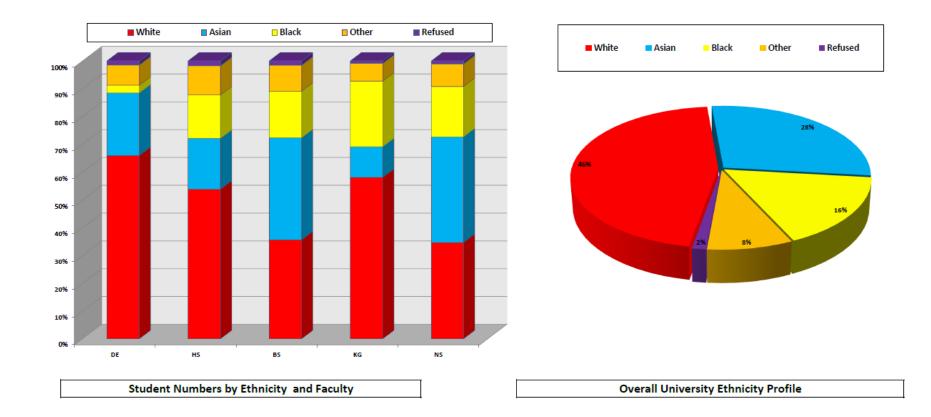






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A mouse-click away: An international network of multidisciplinary knowledge and expertise, and practical help, is at students' fingertips Getty Images



At Kingston University London (KUL), sustainability and ethics are at the core of our learning and teaching, our research and our enterprise activities, with the intention to create graduates who are "...professional, creative, proactive, thoughtful, resilient and globally aware..."

Kingston University London





Formal Curriculum Learning and Teaching Led By Learning Course Design / Validation/Review - RAF/AQSH Kingston Graduate attributes Academic and SMT Champions Sustainability Hub, VCASD Collaborations: Personal Tutors, EDI Support learning and teaching across the university

Responsible Futures and University Education Committee

Cocurricular Learning Kingston Award

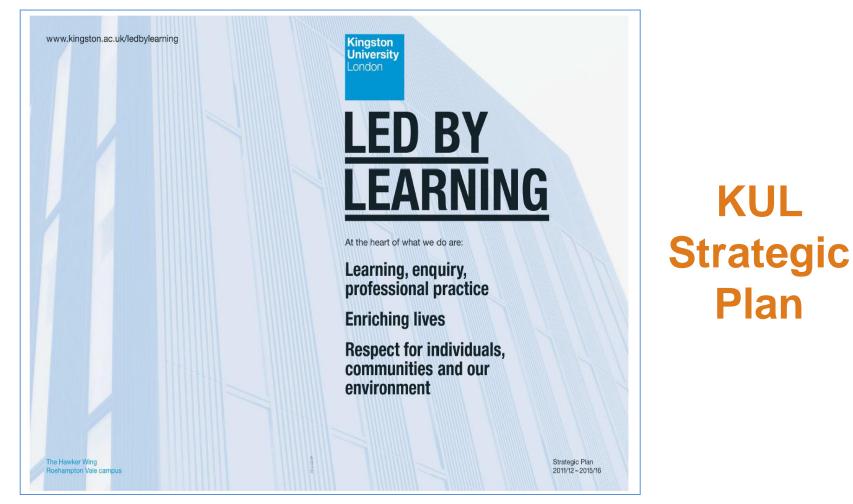
Students' Union Kingston Hub "Living Laboratory" Green Impact / SSO Green Connectors Volunteering

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## KUL Courses









#### PROFESSIONAL

Our graduates are knowledgeable and confident in using their subject expertise at work. They are self-aware, and understand how their actions impact on others and the need to act ethically. They work effectively in teams and play a full part in achieving organisational success.



#### PROACTIVE

Our graduates use their knowledge and skills to lead and influence: encouraging others and bringing teams together around a common goal. They are committed to personal and professional development and want to make a positive difference in the world.

#### THOUGHTFUL

Our graduates are reasoned thinkers. They are information literate and can analyse, synthesise and evaluate complex information from a range of sources. They are culturally and emotionally intelligent and open-minded.

#### CREATIVE

Our graduates have original ideas and communicate them well to others. They are inventive and experimental, finding original solutions to problems and influencing change. Many are entrepreneurial, finding solutions to commercial or social challenges.



## KUL Graduate Attributes













Academic & Senior Management Champions





## Sustainability Hub, Vice Chancellor's Advisory and Support Directorate

Purchasing	Research	Travel	Waste & Recycling	Water
Biodiversity	Community	Construction & Development	Curriculum	Energy & Carbon





### More and more collaborations



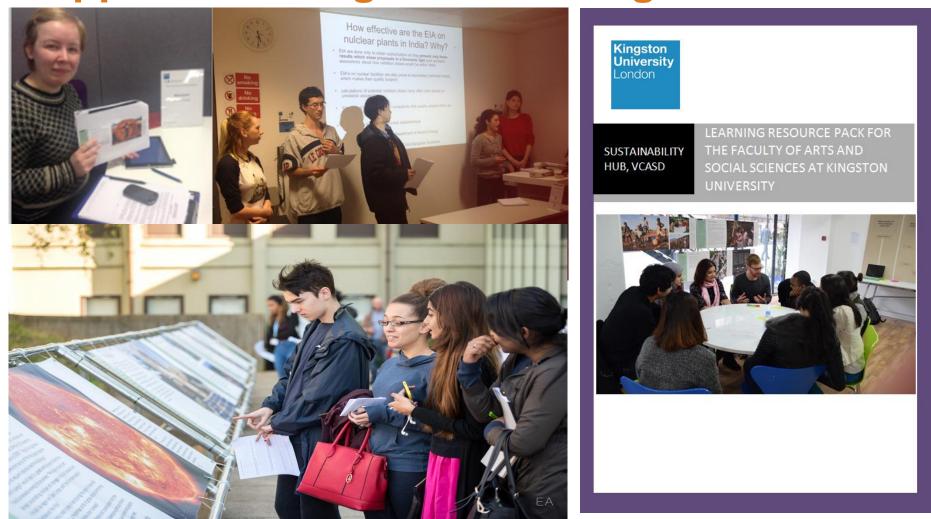








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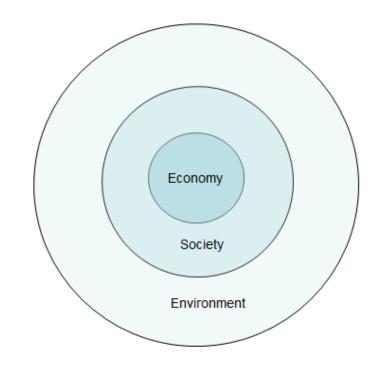
Responsible Futures is a whole-institution change programme and accreditation mark to embed social responsibility and sustainability across the formal and informal curriculum across both HE and FE run by the National Union of Students. This is the second year of the programme.

- The scheme facilitates close working partnerships between students' unions and their institutions through a structured framework of criteria drawn from good practice across the sector.
- Partnerships take part as a cohort which share and learn together as they proceed through the accreditation.
- Partnerships are audited by a team of trained students, coordinated by NUS, resulting in a feedback report. Accreditations are awarded annually and last for three years.



## The 'SU Sustainability' model

- Campaigning
- Fundraising
- Social Enterprise Projects, i.e. food growing projects
- Sustainable Events for Societies
- Environment and Ethics Officer
- Co-design the curriculum with students
- EWG
- Senior Management Committees





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### Don't Bin It...Donate It!

Volunteering Week (22-29th of February) All donated food will go to a charity in Wandsworth

"If the amount of food wasted around the world were reduced by just 25% there would be enough food to feed all the people who are malnourished, according to the UN. We throw away 7 million tonnes of food and drink from our homes every year in the UK, and more than half of this is food and drink we could have eaten according to Love Food Hate Waste. Last year, Kingston University produced over 1045 tonnes of waste - that is 44 kg per student which is the equivalent of a relatively large baby Hippo! We recycle 53%, the rest is incinerated and only 15 tonnes of food is recycled. We know we could do much better with your help!

During Volunteering Week, there are specially allocated food boxes in all Kingston Halls. All you need to do is make your donation and give us your quote about how you are going to reduce your food waste! The halls with the largest food donation and the best quote, will be rewarded! What are you waiting for? Tell your friends!"

For any questions, contact us on sustainability@kingston.ac.uk

The photo " Story of Stuff" is part of the Whole Earth? exhibition currently showcased in Kingston Hill



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# "Living Laboratory"

Sustainability at Kingston University We are committed to creating a sustainable university.

Working with Kingston Sustainability Hub to : 'develop a more sustainable culture across

mathew higgins Major Project Proposal k122



#### Boost Your Employability!

Did you know that more and more employers seek graduates with the skills to reduce the impact of their operations on the environment and on society?

The sustainability Hub now offers you an established accreditation on environmental auditing!

Sign up to Green Impact Auditor Training and get

- Free IEMA\* approved training
- Volunteering experience
- Transferrable skills
- o Free refreshments!

Thursday 28th April, 9:15am-5pm, PRJG2011

Contact Maria Xypaki on <u>M.Xypaki@kingsto</u> to find out more and to book your place.

Deadline for registering: 21st of April, 5pn

\*www.iema.net







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## **Key learning outcomes**



Celebrate pockets of good practice and continue to encourage and support your champions

Use these examples to build the case for wider engagement

#### Engage across the campus

- Students' union
- Teaching and learning staff
- Sustainability / estates team
- Wider community

Use cohesive, embedded strategy to drive forward and strengthen your work Link this strategy to institutional values, priorities, and desired graduate attributes

# Thank you!





### Any questions?

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